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COMMUNITY HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT

HCD 3411: COMMUNITY CAPACITY BUILDING AND EMPOWERMENT

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PERIOD 3HRS

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer **ALL** questions in **SECTION A** and **ANY TWO** from **SECTION B**.

SECTION A: Answer ALL Questions in this Section

- Q1. Briefly define the following terms;
- a). Community empowerment *(2marks)*
 - c). Stakeholders *(1 marks)*
- Q3. Give **THREE** reasons why it is important to ensure stakeholders participate in community Building empowerment process. *(3 marks)*
- Q4. What are the **SIX** principles of community capacity building and empowerment? *(3 marks)*
- Q5. Briefly describe the following types of communities that require capacity building and empowerment initiatives;
- a). Full-tilt communities *(1 marks)*

- b). Gridlock communities *(1 marks)*
- c). Trojan horse communities *(1 marks)*
- Q6. What are the main **THREE** indicators of community empowerment *(3 marks)*
- Q7. Briefly discuss the rationale for Community Capacity Building *(3 marks)*
- Q8. List **SIX** domains for community Capacity Building and Empowerment *(3 marks)*
- Q9. Briefly describe **THREE** methods of stakeholder identification for community empowerment *(3 marks)*
- Q10. List SIX (6) elements of community empowerment and challenges in community empowerment programs. *(3 marks)*

SECTION B: Answer ANY TWO Questions in this Section.

- Q11. Discuss the necessary steps one should undertake for community capacity building process? *(20 marks)*
- Q12. Communities are organized into formal and informal organizations. These structures on their own have not accelerated development due to limited capacities. Assume that you are undertaking capacity building initiatives for groups in rural Kenya, discuss the techniques you will use for capacity building. Further illustrate what factors you will consider and how such factors influences selection of capacity building techniques. *(20 marks)*
- Q13. Community capacity building and empowerment not only entails imagining how things might be, but realizing what it takes to get there and then translating plans into action. It involves challenges to the status quo, and in some cases, conflict with the established modes of behavior and governance. It largely addresses the power relation imbalance through disbursement and reallocation of power from one segment of the society to the other. In other words some groups gain power while others lose that power gained in equal measure. Discuss the challenges in community empowerment programs. *(20 marks)*
- Q14. Discuss the necessary steps for stakeholder analysis and engagement process *(20 marks)*