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### UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE COMMUNITY HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT/ PUBLIC HEALTH

# $2^{ND}$ YEAR $2^{ND}$ SEMESTER 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR NAIROBI CITY CAMPUS

**COURSE TITLE: GENDER AND HEALTH** 

**COURSE CODE: HCD 3225** 

**VENUE: 9<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR ROOM 2** 

DATE: 03/12/2018 EXAM SESSION 2PM -4PM

**TIME: 2 HOURS** 

#### Instructions

- 1. Answer question 1 (compulsory) and ANY other 2 questions.
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.

#### **Section A**

Answer all the questions in this section

### Define the following terms

1.	Gender analysis	(3 Marks)
2.	Health	(3 Marks)
3.	Gender health	(3 Marks)
4.	Give three diseases that affect women only and men only	(3 Marks)
5.	Explain for reasons why is gender an important factor in health	(4 Marks)
6.	Outline why it is important to consider gender issues while allocating health resources (4	
	Marks)	

### **Section B**

- 1. Men have higher rates of mortality, but women have higher rates of morbidity. Explore this paradox (20 Marks)
- 2. Discuss, using a specific example, how gender differences can influence health outcomes.

(10 Marks)

- 3. How does health behavior differ by gender during both the early life course (e.g., childhood, adolescence) and adulthood? (10 Marks)
- 4. Explain the differential mortality and morbidity rates in gender comparably between developing and developed countries (10 Marks)
- 5. Develop a gender analysis framework with a disease of your choice (10 Marks)