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SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN
PUBLIC HEALTH AND COMMUNITY HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT**

4th YEAR 1ST SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

MAIN CAMPUS

COURSE CODE: HCB 1401

COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC HEALTH LAW AND CONVENTIONS

DATE: _____

STREAM: _____

EXAM SESSION: _____

TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer ALL questions in Section A and ANY other TWO questions in Section B**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on Question Paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in the Answer Booklet to the Invigilator while in the Examination Room**

SECTION A: Answer ALL questions from this section (30 Marks)

1. Analyze the importance of Law in the medical sector. (3 mrks)
2. Describe Euthanasia under Kenyan Legal System. (3 mrks)
3. Write briefly on Hippocratic Oath.
4. Analyze briefly exceptions in Abortion under the Law (3mks)
5. With relevant example, describe the process of obtaining Written Informed Consent. (3mks)
6. In Medical practice, explain confidence action. (3mks)
7. Differentiate between Crime and Civil Law. (3mks)
8. Explain briefly what you understand by Medical Duty of Care. (3mks)
9. Explain briefly the difference between Testing and Screening. (3mks)
10. Explain the principle of Confidentiality in Medical Practice. (3mks)

SECTION B: Answer any TWO questions from this Section (40 Marks)

Questions One.

Analyze the defense of Volenti fit injuria and how it is relevant to medical practice. (20mks)

Question Two

Write briefly on TWO types of Public Law legislations. (20mks)

Question Three

With relevant example explain Beneficiary Principles in Medical Practice. (20mks)

Question Four

Analyze the statutory power and authority given to public health officer. (20mks)