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KISUMU CAMPUS

COURSE CODE:

HMP 5113

COURSE TITLE:

SOCIAL DIMENSIONS OF

HEALTH

EXAM VENUE:

STREAM: MASTERS PUBLIC

HEALTH

DATE:

EXAM SESSION:

TIME:

3.00

HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer question 1(Compulsory) and any other three 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.**

Answer question ONE and any other three Questions

1. Discuss the components and benefits of YOGA as an alternative medicine (15mks).
2. Advocacy for social determinants of health requires multi-sectorial approach. Describe any 3 sectors involved, their role in enhancing health and examples on how their engagement can improve population wellbeing (15mks).
3. Understanding perceptions of the causes of ill-health common in indigenous communities may help policy makers to design effective integrated primary health care strategies to serve these communities. Discuss traditional beliefs of ill-health causation with relevant examples (15mks).
4. Discuss how the religious laws, principles and practice influence health and wellbeing of the believers. (15mks).
5. Discuss impact of substance abuse among the Kenyan youths today.
(15 marks)
6. Explain how psychosocial ill health of an individual can influence development of an **identified** non-communicable disease in that individual (15mks).