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COURSE CODE: HCD 3222
COURSE TITLE: Health Policy and Administration
EXAM VENUE: STREAM: BSc Community Health and development
DATE: **EXAM SESSION:**
TIME: 2.00 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer all questions in section A and any two from section B**
- 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 Questions (Total 30 marks)

1. State why it is important to study health policies (3marks)
2. Define public policy and policy analysis (3marks)
3. Briefly explain your understanding of evidence-based policy (3marks)
4. State the difference between distributive and redistributive policy (3marks)
5. Identify any policy in Kenya that you thought was successful (3marks)
6. Give reasons why the above policy succeeded (3marks)
7. Why is monitoring and evaluation important in policy making process? (3marks)
8. Highlight three characteristics of a good policy (3marks)
9. Why should stakeholder analysis be conducted? (3marks)
10. Mention three roles of actors in policy analysis(3marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS (40 MARKS)

1. Describe factors that can lead to policy change (20 Marks)
2. Discuss the key stages in policy making process (20 marks)
3. Discuss five orientations in the Kenyan health policy and their roles in health administration (20 marks)
4. Reports reaching you indicate that there's lack of safe water in a nearby community, unusually high number of cases have been admitted at the nearby health facility as a policy specialist,
 - a) State the problem in clear terms (5 marks)
 - b) Develop a policy goal and objective (5 marks)
 - c) Identify the stakeholders you will work with during the policy making (5marks)
 - d) Explain the intended role of each stakeholder mentioned above (5marks)
5. The Kenyan health policy has six objectives, discuss (20 marks)