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**MAIN CAMPUS**

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**COURSE CODE: HCD 3214**

**COURSE TITLE: CONCEPTS AND TRENDS IN HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT**

**EXAM VENUE: STREAM: (BSc Comm Hlth & Dev)**

**DATE: EXAM SESSION: 2.00-4.00PM**

**TIME: 2.00 HOURS**

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**Instructions:**

- 1. Answer all the questions in Section A and ANY other 2 questions in 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: Answer all the questions in Section A (30marks)**

**SECTION B: Answer any two Questions (40 Marks)**

## SECTION ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS IN SECTION A (30MARKS)

1. Health strategies should be directed towards action on the determinants or causes of ill-health. Outline 6 such social determinants of health and development (3 marks)
2. List 6 major donors who are likely to influence health agenda and priorities in Kenya (3 marks)
3. Outline 3 health disease priorities in Kenya (3 marks)
4. Global trends and policies are likely to influence health including Epi-demographic transition trends. Outline 3 epi-demographic trends Kenya is currently facing (3 marks)
5. Define the following terms
  - a) Concepts (1 mark)
  - b) Trends (1 mark)
  - c) Development (1 mark)
6. Describe the linkage between health and development (3 marks)
7. Outline 5 health challenges in Kenya (3 marks)
8. Outline 3 contribution of Civil Society Organizations to Health Systems Strengthening (3 marks)
9. Define the following key terminologies as used in social determinants of health
  - Differential exposure (1 marks)
  - Differential vulnerability (1 marks)
  - Differential consequences (1 marks)
10. There are a wide variety of information technology types (ICT) that have an important role to play in global health including drugs, diagnostics, medical imaging etc. Outline three of such technology in health (3 marks)

**SECTION B ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS (40 MARKS)**

1. Civil society organizations are an important partner in health; they are influential in advocating for health systems strengthening and service delivery as well as a key partner in improving health outcomes. Given this fact, discuss the role of civil society organizations in Kenya (20 marks)
  
2. Global trends and policies are likely to influence health. Describe how the following health trends and policies are likely to influence health.
  - Global trends and policies (5 marks)
  - Environmental trends (5 marks)
  - Epi-Demo Transitions trends (5 marks)
  - Historical trends (5 marks)
  
3. Malaria cases were recently identified among under five children in sub-county B. Addressing the social determinants of health is therefore crucial to understanding the health problem fully, describe the social determinant factors that you would take into consideration in addressing the problem in sub-county B (20 marks)
  
4. Health sector reforms in Kenya were tailored to meet Kenya's health sector policy goal of providing accessible, affordable and efficient health care services to all Kenyans. Describe the key benefits of the health sector reforms in Kenya (20 marks)