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COURSE CODE AND TITLE: BSN 127 COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING 1

DATE: 18th April 2023

Duration: 2 HOURS

Start: 2:00 PM

Finish: 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1.** This exam is out of 70 marks
- 2.** This Examination comprises **THREE** Sections. Section I: Multiple Choice Questions (20 marks) Section II: Short Answer Questions (30 marks) and Section III: Long Answer Questions (20 marks)
- 3.** Answer **ALL** Questions.
- 4.** **Do Not write anything on the question paper -use the back of your booklet for rough work if need be.**

SECTION I: Multiple Choice Questions**20 Marks.**

1. The nurse fails to raise the side rails and the confused patient falls. The nurse is liable for:
 - a. Malpractice.
 - b. Negligence
 - c. Carelessness
 - d. Deregistration.
2. In nursing, health promotion is also called: -
 - a. Health advocacy
 - b. Health Education
 - c. Public Health
 - d. New Public Health
3. The primary goal of community health nursing is to: -
 - a. Support and supplement the efforts of the medical profession in the promotion of health and prevention of disease.
 - b. Enhance the capacity of individuals, families and communities to cope with their health needs
 - c. Increase the productivity of the people by providing them with services that will increase their level of health
 - d. Contribute to national development through promotion of family welfare, focusing particularly on mothers and children.
4. A man who has married many women is best described as having practiced: -
 - a. Polygamy.
 - b. Polygyny.
 - c. Polyandry.
 - d. Group Marriage
5. Risk markers for disease include: -
 - a. Genetic makeup, Gender.
 - b. Obesity, Nutritional status.
 - c. Acquired immune deficiency, environmental pollution.
 - d. Marital status, occupation.
6. An activity of the entry phase of home visiting is: -
 - a. Gathering information about the patient by reviewing the client's health records
 - b. Determining family willingness for home visit.
 - c. Establishing rapport to firm up Nurse- Patient relationship.
 - d. Assembling supplies.

7. In the infectious disease model, environmental factors include: -
 - a. Virulence, mutation
 - b. Age, genetic make-up.
 - c. Nutritional status, immune competence.
 - d. Climate change, Overcrowding
8. Administration of Vitamin K to neonates is an activity of: -
 - a. Primordial prevention.
 - b. Primary prevention.
 - c. Secondary prevention.
 - d. Tertiary prevention.
9. The Community Health Assistant is: -
 - a. An employee of the community
 - b. The chairman of the Community Health Committee
 - c. Trained by the Community Health Committee
 - d. An employee of the County government.
10. Licensing, control food services and veterinary services are functions regulated at: -
 - a. Level 4.
 - b. Level 3.
 - c. Level 2.
 - d. Level 1.
11. During health education, mass approach involves: -
 - a. TV, Newspapers.
 - b. Lectures, group discussions.
 - c. Personal phone calls, home visit.
 - d. Focused group discussions, role play
12. A statement that exemplifies normative belief within the context of the Theory of Planned Behavior is: -
 - a. Expecting to have my blood pressure measured when I visit my physician.
 - b. Doing what my peers suggest to me about my health is important.
 - c. I think my mother would like me to quit smoking.
 - d. Being healthy is a desirable outcome of quitting smoking.
13. A statements that best describes the concept of "*perceived behavioral control.*" is:
 - a. I think that being healthy and looking good are desirable attributes.
 - b. I am confident that I could quit smoking if my spouse stopped stressing me.
 - c. The decision to exercise is within my control.
 - d. Doing what my peers suggest to me about my health is important

14. Immunity provided by antibodies that cross the placenta from mother to fetus is: -
- Natural passive
 - Natural active
 - Artificial active
 - Artificial passive
15. Live attenuated vaccines include: -
- BCG, Pneumococcal
 - OPV, HPV
 - Measles, Tetanus
 - Yellow Fever Virus, Typhoid.
16. A 3-month old Baby has been brought to the clinic for the first time. The immunization nurse will administer: -
- BCG, OPV 0.
 - BCG, OPV 1, DPT+HepB-Hib1, PCV1
 - BCG, OPV 1, DPT+HepB-Hib1
 - BCG, OPV 0, OPV 1, DPT+HepB-Hib1 and PCV1
17. A vaccine vial monitor's (VVM) inner square is same color as the outer circle. The nurse will: -
- Discard the vaccine.
 - Use the vaccine first.
 - Document the finding as normal
 - Be confident that the cold chain system is intact.
18. An acceptable herd immunity level in the community is: -
- 60-70%
 - 75-80%
 - 95-100%
 - 50-60%
19. A woman comes to the ANC clinic for her first pregnancy. The nurse anticipates to administer: -
- First dose of TT vaccine.
 - Second dose of TT vaccine.
 - Fourth dose of TT vaccine
 - No TT vaccine.
20. Oral polio vaccine is: -
- stored in a blue tray.
 - sensitive to cold

- c. a type of inactivated vaccine
- d. stored top most in the RCW 42 EG freezer

SECTION II: SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

(30 marks)

1. Outline any four (4) intentional torts the community health nurse may be liable for (8 marks)
2. State five (5) functions of the ministry of health (5 marks)
3. Outline any four (4) PHC principles adopted by Kenya (8 marks)
4. Discuss the utilization of the Donabedian model in improving service delivery (5 marks)
5. Discuss the activities of the secondary level of disease prevention of HIV (4 marks)

SECTION III: LONG ANSWER QUESTION

20 Marks.

1. Discuss the barriers to successful community health nursing (10 marks)
2. Discuss the impact of the family on the health of family members (10 marks)