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KENYA REGISTERED COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING
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DNS 311: COMMUNITY HEALTH II

DATE: TUESDAY 11TH APRIL 2023

TIME: 2 Hours

Start: 1115 HOURS

Finish: 1315 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. This exam will be marked out of 70 Marks**
- 2. ALL Questions are compulsory.**
- 3. The Examination has Three Sections: Section I- Multiple Choice Questions, Section II: Short Answer Questions, Section III: Long Essay Questions**
- 4. Answer all Questions in the ANSWER BOOKLET provided**
- 5. Do Not write anything on the question paper -use the back of your booklet for rough work if need be.**

SECTION ONE: MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS (20 MARKS)

1. The following is true of community health strategy:-
 - a. Community health Committee is comprised of 6-8 people.
 - b. The Community Health Assistant reports to the Community Health Officer.
 - c. The Community Health Committee oversees the activities of the Community Unit
 - d. A Community Unit is composed of 1,000 people

2. The capacity of individuals, groups and communities to make independent decisions is:-
 - a. Self-Determinism
 - b. Self-Competency
 - c. Cultural-Competency
 - d. Cultural-Determinism.

3. In disaster management, during triage, a patient is reported to have a GCS of 3 with no pulse activity or respiratory effort is tagged as:-
 - a. Red
 - b. Yellow.
 - c. Green.
 - d. Black.

4. The Community Health Officer (CHO)is:-
 - a. An employee of the community
 - b. The chairman of the Community Health Committee (CHC)
 - c. Trained by the Community Health Committee
 - d. An employee of the County government.

5. Dispensaries, clinics and health centers form:-
 - a. Community level services.
 - b. Primary care services.
 - c. Level 3 facilities.
 - d. Tier 4 facilities

6. When the community has to spend long hours walking to a health facility, the facility is said to lack:-
- Availability.
 - Access.
 - Adequacy.
 - Affordability
7. A Primary Health Care element that addresses morbidity and mortality in a community is:
- Education
 - Local disease control
 - EPI
 - MCH/FP
8. A learning disorder characterized by inability to write is:-
- Dyslexia
 - Dysgraphia
 - Dyscalculia
 - Dyspraxia
9. During health education, individual approach involves:-
- TV, Newspapers.
 - Lectures, group discussions.
 - Personal phone calls, home visit.
 - Focused group discussions, role play
10. The occurrence of a particular disease in population at constant rates is referred to as :-
- Incidence.
 - Prevalence.
 - Pandemic.
 - Endemic.

11. The school health committee is made up of :-
- Teachers, Community health nurse, the church members
 - County health nurse, Community formal and informal leaders, Parents
 - Teachers, students, Community health nurse, community health worker
 - Teachers, Community formal and informal leaders, Community health nurse
12. A loss or abnormality of psychological, physiological or anatomical structure or function is:-
- Disability
 - Handicap
 - Impairment
 - Disease.
13. Primary Health Care (PHC) services that lead to catastrophic health expenditure lack:
- Acceptability
 - Affordability.
 - Availability.
 - Accessibility
14. Which of the following demonstrates inter-sectoral linkages:-
- Two-way referral system
 - Cooperation between Community Health Nurse and public school teacher
 - Team approach
 - Endorsement done by a midwife to another midwife
15. Indicate whether True or False
- A Community Health Volunteer must be a member of the community
 - A Community Health Volunteer must pass the integrity test
16. When more health resources are sent to the most deserving members of the population, the goal is to achieve:-
- Equality.
 - Equity.
 - Justice.
 - Universal health coverage.

17. Records included in a school health report include:-
- Schools covered, number of teachers, activities carried out, disease outbreaks at the schools.
 - Schools covered, pupils treated, activities carried out, health messages shared
 - Activities carried out, health achievements by the school, health messages shared, number of visits by education officials.
 - Pupils referred, type of ailments treated, activities carried out, number of teachers.
18. The needs of children are guaranteed by chapter _____ of Kenya's Constitution.
- 43
 - 53
 - 1
 - 42
19. A Mass-casualty incident is declared when:-
- Many patients are brought to the emergency unit.
 - The number of patients overwhelm available resources.
 - The severity of injuries is manageable within available resources.
 - The facility is required to recall staff of off duty to help manage the situation.
20. A disaster that can be contained using resources readily available in a community is categorized as level:-
- 1
 - 2
 - 3
 - 4

SECTION TWO: SHORT ANSWER (30 MARKS)

- Outline the pillars of Primary Health Care (7 Marks)
- State Five (5) ethical principles applicable in Community diagnosis (5 Marks)
- Highlight eight (8) common problems experienced by the elderly in the community (8 Marks)
- State Five (5) nursing interventions at a community level in preventing impaired hearing (5 Marks)
- Outline six (6) objectives of school health (6 Marks)

SECTION THREE: LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS (20 MARKS)

1. Disasters are common in Kenya and pose a great danger to the attainment of the country's economic prosperity.
 - a. Define the terms
 - i. Emergency (1 Mark)
 - ii. Multiple casualty incident (1 Mark)
 - iii. Mass casualty incident (1 Mark)
 - b. Outline the elements of disaster management (10 Mark)
 - c. Outline seven (7) goals of triage (7 Marks)

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