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Carry Out Crisis and Disaster Management

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WRITTEN ASSESSMENT

Time: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

1. Marks for each question are indicated in the brackets.
2. The paper consists of **TWO** sections: **A** and **B**.
3. Candidates are provided with a separate answer booklet
4. **DO NOT** write on this question paper.

This paper consists of FOUR (4) printed pages
Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all
pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.

SECTION A (40 MARKS)

Answer ALL the questions in this section.

1. Disaster and crisis are words which are often used interchangeably in the society in relation to disaster. Define the TWO terms:
 - a) Disaster (2 marks)
 - b) Crisis (2 marks)
2. Disasters have been categorized in different ways in respect to certain aspects. Mention FOUR categories of disasters. (4 marks)
3. The Kenya Defense Forces during national days have always showcased how they respond to disasters. State FOUR benefits of disaster drills in disaster management. (4 marks)
4. Disasters; most often strike without warning hence the devastating effects on both humans and environment. State FOUR effects of disasters. (4 marks)
5. Disaster preparedness calls for auditing not only on the organization's resources but also where the organizations location. List FOUR roles of auditing in disaster preparedness. (4 marks)
6. Local institutions always act as emergency coordination centers during disasters. Highlight FOUR roles of National Disaster Management Authority in relation to disaster management. (4 marks)
7. Community X has experienced a series of disasters, prompting the government to take proactive measures to minimize their impact. Highlight FOUR measures of disaster mitigation. (4 marks)
8. Mr. Ibu is a disaster manager was requested to conduct a risk analysis and come up with disaster risk measures. Outline TWO measures of disaster risk analysis he will come up with. (2 marks)
9. Disasters are a common phenomenon in the modern society. List FOUR common disasters that occur within Kenya. (4 marks)
10. Records and information regarding disaster management are put at risk if when not stored securely. State FOUR ways of storing such documents to avoid losing them or being mutilated. (4 marks)
11. You have been employed by an NGO to evaluate their prevention and response implementation plan. State TWO data collection tools you will need to use. (2 marks)

SECTION B (60 MARKS)

Answer QUESTION 12 and Any other TWO Questions

Read the case study below and answer the questions that follow

12. The During the past two months, the Upendo community has experienced heavy rainfall, which is vital for their farming activities. However, the community has faced challenges due to the reliance on farming, resulting in the depletion of forests for cultivation. Additionally, irregular rainfall patterns caused by climate change have led most farmers to cultivate along river banks. Unfortunately, this lack of forest cover, combined with heavy rains, resulted in a significant landslide, causing widespread devastation overnight. As a response to this disaster, the county disaster manager has taken constructive steps by recognizing that the county government alone cannot address the situation. They have mobilized support from the Red Cross, defense forces, and other stakeholders to assist with search and rescue efforts, providing psychosocial support, evacuation, emergency first aid, and provisions of foodstuffs. This collaborative approach will ensure a more effective and coordinated response to the challenges faced by the community.
- a) Based on the case study, identify FOUR causes of disaster. (4 marks)
 - b) Explain THREE activities which were performed during the Upendo disaster response exercise. (6 marks)
 - c) Outline the FIVE factors that the county disaster management should consider when seeking partners to respond to disasters. (10 marks)
13. Disaster prevention is seen as a prudent action by disaster managers aimed at stopping the occurrence of disasters. However, they face various challenges in implementing these measures.
- a) Discuss FIVE problem areas in disaster management. (10 marks)
 - b) Explain FIVE types of resources that are required to implement disaster prevention programs and measures. (10 marks)
14. Bidii works for Tasha Company as a salesperson. On one occasion, there was a fire outbreak during working hours. Mr. Bidii, without knowledge of how to fight fires, joined a volunteer team attempting to quell the fire. Unfortunately, his nylon clothes led to him becoming a casualty along with his teammates. As a result, the company recognized the need for capacity building in disaster response for its employees.
- a) Discuss FIVE factors that should be contained in their capacity building plan. (10 marks)

- b) Explain FIVE reasons why we should consider the views of community members in disaster management when a disaster occurs. (10 marks)
15. You have been employed in an organization to lead a team in auditing their disaster preparedness and identify the gaps in their preparedness measures.
- a) Enumerate FIVE audit gaps you are likely to identify. (10 marks)
- b) Explain FIVE measures that can be put in place to reduce floods in Kenya. (10 marks)