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SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH RECORDS AND INFORMATION
MANAGEMENT
END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS MAY-AUGUST 2026**

**UNIT CODE: HRI 206 UNIT NAME: ETHICS AND LEGAL ASPECTS OF HEALTH
RECORDS AND INFORMATION MANAGEMENT**

MAIN EXAM

DATE: 3RD AUGUST 2026

TIME: Two Hours

Start: 5:30PM

Finish 7:30PM

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This exam is marked out of 70 marks
2. This Examination comprises TWO Sections

Section A: Compulsory Questions (30 marks)

Section B: Answer two Questions (40 marks)

SECTION A:

Answer all questions in this section.

1.
 - a. Define ethics (2 marks).
 - b. Explain any two principles of professional ethics in Health Records and Information Management. (3 marks).
2. Outline five ethical dilemmas encountered in healthcare administration (5 marks).
3. Explain the four principles of bioethics. (5 marks).
4. State five legal responsibilities of Health Records and Information Management professionals. (5 marks).
5. Describe five measures used to maintain confidentiality and privacy of patient information. (5 marks).
6. Identify five causes of medical errors related to information management. (5 marks).

SECTION B

Answer two questions from this section. Each question carries 20 marks.

7. Analyze four circumstances under which patient's records can be disclosed (20 marks).
8. Evaluate the Tuskegee study and identify the ethical issues breached in the study.(20 marks).
9. Evaluate four statutory and regulatory requirements governing Health Records and Information Management practice in Kenya. (20 marks)