



**AMREF INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH
DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY HEALTH PRACTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMINATION MARCH 2024**

UNIT CODE: DCHP 121

UNIT NAME: PRIMARY HEALTH CARE

DATE: Wednesday 13th March 2024

TIME: TWO Hours **Start:** 11.15AM **Finish:** 1.15PM

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This exam is marked out of 60 marks
2. This Examination comprises TWO Sections
Section A: Compulsory Question (20 marks)
Section B: Long Answer Questions (40 marks)
3. Answer ALL questions in Section A
4. For Section B, question one is compulsory, then answer one other question.
5. Use the University answer SHEET provided /Space provided
6. Use the university examination booklets provided
7. Write your student Registration Number on all the answer sheets used

SECTION A: 20 MARKS:

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

1. Define the following terms

- a) Polyclinic (2 Marks)
- b) Primary health Care (2 Marks)
- c) Universal Health Coverage (2 Marks)
- d) Morbidity (2 Marks)
- e) Community Health Volunteer (2 Marks)

2. Name 5 global and regional commitments that African leaders have ratified in order to achieve the PHC vision. (5 marks)

3. List 5 characteristics associated with the practice of clinical medicine (5 marks)

SECTION B: 40 MARKS:

LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

1.a) Write short notes on the contents of the Alma Ata Declaration. (4 marks)

b) Discuss the 8 elements through which Primary Health Care is to be implemented. (16 marks)

2. Discuss the 5 financing methods that the government uses to finance health care activities in Kenya (20 Marks)

3. a) Describe the organization of the community health unit. Describe the participants and roles of the participants in the running of a Community Health Unit (10 marks).

b) Explain 10 challenges facing the implementation of Primary Health Care services? (10 marks)