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1ST SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT

CDEV 414: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN SOCIETY

STREAM:

TIME: 2 HRS

DAY: THURSDAY [14.30-16.30 P.M]

DATE: 07/12/2023

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF TWO (2) PAGES

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INSTRUCTIONS

- (i) Answer Question ONE and any other two Questions.**
- (ii) Do not write on the question paper.**

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Discuss the following concepts using relevant examples
 - (i) Community development (4Mks)
 - (ii) Empowerment (4Mks)
 - (iii) Relative and absolute poverty (4Mks)
- (b) Discuss any four characteristics of a good community (8Mks)
- (c) what are the consequences of poverty in society with special reference to Kenya (10Mks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Define the term Universal Healthcare (UHC) (2Mks)
- (b) Explain the challenges facing the attainment of Universal Health Coverage in Kenya (10Mks)
- (c) Discuss issues associated with Covid 19 pandemic (8Mks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Using relevant example, define the term drug and substance abuse (2Mks)
- (b) Examine the symptoms of drug and substance abuse among the youth (8Mks)
- (c) Using examples determine the consequences of drug and substance abuse (10Mks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Identify and explain any five general principles of Un Convention on persons with disability (PWD) (10Mks)
- (b) Discuss measures the Kenya Government has put in place to recognize and appreciate people with disabilities (10Mks)

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Define the term Ethics using a relevant example (2Mks)
- (b) Examine the origin of ethics in society (6Mks)
- (c) Evaluate the consequences of climate change with special reference to Kenya (12Mks)

