



**PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY  
SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES  
END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE BACHELOR OF ARTS  
IN COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY**

**MAY-AUGUST 2021 SEMESTER  
COURSE CODE: COU 2313  
COURSE TITLE: ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY  
EXAM DATE: AUGUST 3, 2021  
DURATION: 3 HOURS  
TIME: 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- This Exam has **TWO SECTIONS**.
- **SECTION A** is Compulsory.
- Answer any **TWO** questions in **SECTION B**

**SECTION A: COMPULSORY (20 MARKS)**

**QUESTION**

- a) Distinguish between depression and bipolar (4 marks)
- b) Explain in one paragraph “Abnormal Behavior.” (4 marks)
- c) Illustrate one physical and one psychological factor that is etiology for sexual dysfunction disorder (6 marks)
- d) Discuss any two behaviors a schizophrenic may manifest besides the diagnosed symptoms (6 marks)

**SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS**

**QUESTION 2**

- a) Explain the difference between anxiety and fear (4 marks)
- b) Describe two health risks associated with Bulimics (6 marks)

**QUESTION 3**

- a) Demonstrate two ways Cognitive Behavior Therapy can be used in the treatment of Anxiety Disorders (4 marks)

- b) Analyze three behaviors synonymous with individuals presenting with Avoidant Personality disorder (6 marks)

#### **QUESTION 4**

- a) Describe two ways that a sexual dysfunction can affect a marital relationship (4 marks)
- b) Case Scenario:
  - John is a 16 year old male youth and the parents suspect he could be having a personality disorder.
  - Argue for or against their perception (6 marks)

#### **QUESTION 5**

- a) Explain any two symptoms of schizophrenia (4 marks)
- b) Describe any three areas covered in Mental Status Examination (6 marks)