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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

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DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL WORK**

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DEPARTMENT: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

COURSE CODE: DCS110

COURSE TITLE: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

DURATION: 3 HOURSTIME:

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers
- Answer any **TWO** questions
- *ALL PAC University's examination rules and regulations apply*

QUESTION ONE

- You have been assigned the responsibility to undertake a research on HIV/AIDS patients in all the level- 5 hospitals in Kenya, answer the following questions:
 - i. Propose a suitable title for the above study. (4 marks)
 - ii. Identify four objectives for the above study (8 marks)
 - iii. Explain the sampling technique that you would use to choose a sample population of 30% of the patients. (4 marks)
 - iv. Describe any two data collection methods that will be suitable for this kind of research. (4 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss why it is more appropriate to use questionnaire as a tool for data collection as opposed to the use of Focused Group Discussion guide. (10 marks)
- b) Using relevant examples, discuss the significance of research in addressing community development problems. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Explain five ethical considerations in HIV/AIDS research.(10 marks)
- b) Summarize five functions of literature review in community development research. (10 marks)