



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

PHD IN MARITAL AND FAMILY THERAPY

END OF TERM EXAMINATION (MAY TO AUGUST 2020)

DEPARTMENT: COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: PMFT 112

COURSE TITLE: ADVANCED ETHICS AND LAW

EXAM DATE: 20th AUGUST 2020

TIME: TWO (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Read all questions carefully before attempting.**
- **Write your student number on the answer booklet provided.**
- **Question ONE in SECTION ONE is Compulsory.**
- **Answer any other TWO questions in SECTION TWO from the choices provided.**

SECTION ONE - COMPULSORY QUESTION

QUESTION 1

- a. A psychologist is providing psychological consulting services to a manager of an international mining company about his strengths and effectiveness within the organization. The manager is required to travel to remote areas of the world and consulting sessions have become irregular due to his work. Nevertheless, the manager is motivated to continue and he suggests that online therapy could serve as a means for maintaining regular contact. Discuss any five ethical challenges that the use of online therapy may pose in this case (10 marks)
- a. Categorize five emerging areas in the practice of Marriage and Family Therapy within the East African context that may pose serious ethical challenges to a therapist (10 marks)

SECTION TWO: Answer any Two Questions from the Choices Provided

QUESTION 2

Explain any five test factors that a psychologist should be aware of in carrying out assessment in order to maximize the chances of producing a competent evaluation. (10 marks)

QUESTION 3

How is the forensic area substantially different from the clinical or academic work? (10 marks)

QUESTION 4

Describe five aspects of Marriage and family Therapy that may require a therapist to have some basic understanding of some legal provisions that touch on Family matters. (10 marks)

QUESTION 5

Analyze the importance of observing any five ethical components in psychological research process. (10 marks)



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MAY-AUGUST 2020 SEMESTER

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU CAMPUS

DEPARTMENT: PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: PMFT 724

ADVANCED PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

EXAM DATE: WED 19 AUGUST

DURATION: 3 HOURS

TIME: 6-9 PM

EVENING CLASS

INSTRUCTIONS:

SECTION A (COMPULSORY)

QUESTION ONE

- a) Critically examine any two theories that explain abnormal behaviour. (6 marks)
- b) Explain the importance of the four 'D's in assessing psychopathologies in families.

(4 marks)

SECTION B: Answer any Three Questions

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss any three steps in differential diagnosis (6 marks)
- b) Critically examine any two of the 5'P's used in case formulation (4 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) "A psychologically unhealthy person is the individual that lives in disharmony with the forces of nature." Discuss this statement in relation to psychopathology in traditional African perspectives. (6 marks)
- b) Examine the importance of wholistic healing in traditional African societies. (4 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Discuss any three symptoms of a manic episode (6 marks)
- b) Analyze any two ways in which you would counsel a client with manic episode. (4 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Account for the importance of the following in development of psychopathologies in families

- a) Causative role of the family (4 marks)
- b) Maintenance role of the family (3 mark)
- c) Therapeutic role of the family (3 marks)

QUESTION SIX

A 45-year old female divorced woman has come for therapy. She has been hearing noises at night. She claims that in the last one week, she has had some strange visitors at night. She is very scared of her life.

- a) Diagnose this client according to DSM Classification of mental disorders. (2 marks)
- b) Formulate a treatment plan for her (4 marks)
- c) Discuss the importance of including her family in treatment (4 marks)



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MAY-AUGUST 2020 SEMESTER

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU CAMPUS

DEPARTMENT: PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: PMFT 734

CULTURE, GENDER, AND SPIRITUALITY

EXAM DATE: TUE 25 AUGUST

DURATION: 3 HOURS

TIME: 6-9 PM

EVENING CLASS

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question one and any other three

Section A: Compulsory

QUESTION ONE

A catholic priest, Fr. M. is a licensed clinical psychologist. He conducts both pastoral counseling as well as professional psychological therapy. He works out of his parish office. A client discloses to him that she has harmed her child by severely hitting the youngster. Fr. M. informs the client that he is a mandated child-abuse reporter as a licensed psychologist and thus must break confidentiality and call child protective services. However, the client angrily retorts that everything she says should be kept in confidence since she is confessing her sin of abuse to a priest under the sacrament of reconciliation.

- a) Discuss any two ways in which Fr. M. could have avoided this dilemma. (4 marks)
- b) Discuss any three reasons for integrating spirituality and religion into family therapy. (6 marks)

SECTION B: Answer Any Three Questions

QUESTION TWO

- a) Analyze any two basic features of culture (4 marks)
- b) Critically examine the importance of the clients culture in therapy. (6 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Explain any three ways in which your spirituality may influence your therapeutic conversations with clients (6 marks)
- b) Critically examine any two factors that a therapist may consider before they self-disclose to a client in therapy (4 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Differentiate spirituality from religion. (4 marks)
- b) Account for the role played by the age of reason in separating science from religion.

(6 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Account for any three differences between males and females according to gender role socialization. (6 marks)
- b) Discuss any two ways in which identity control theory operate to control gendered behaviour. (4 marks)

QUESTION SIX

- c) With the use of three examples, explain why integration of religion and spirituality into psychology may be ethically and professionally dangerous. (6 marks)
- d) “We are not human beings having a spiritual experience but spiritual beings having a spiritual experience.” Discuss (two) implications of this statement in relation to culture and spirituality. (4 marks)



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END OF TERM EXAMINATION ONLINE (AUGUST 2020)

DEPARTMENT: PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: 831

COURSE TITLE: CLINICAL SUPERVISION

EXAM DATE: WEDNESDAY AUGUST 26TH, 2020

TIME: 2:30 – 5:30 P:M

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read all questions carefully before attempting.
- Write your **student number** where necessary
- **Question ONE is compulsory then choose other FOUR questions.**
- **This Exam is 40% of the final grade**

QUESTION ONE:

A supervision group forms a psychologically interdependent system of professional therapists.

- a) Articulate FIVE possible advantages of group supervision. **(5 Marks)**
- b) Discuss FIVE possible disadvantages of group supervision. **(5 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO:

- a) Explore FIVE objectives of POTT in Clinical Supervision. **(5 Marks)**
- b) Stipulate **TWO** ways that may bring conflict between Interpersonal relationship between the supervisor and the supervisee. **(5 Marks)**

QUESTION THREE:

- a) Distinguish **FIVE** aspects of supervision. **(5 Marks)**
- b) Articulate in **TWO** ways what determines the competency of a clinical supervisor. **(5 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR:

- a) Explain in **TWO** ways some of the challenges that starting supervisee may face. **(5 Marks)**
- b) Discuss in **TWO** ways the importance of rituals and ceremonies in clinical supervision. **(5 Marks)**

QUESTION FIVE:

- a) Analyze **TWO** goals of clinical supervision. **(5 Marks)**
- b) Explain in **TWO** ways if it important to have a supervisor from the same ethnicity. **(5 Marks)**

QUESTION SIX:

- a) Articulate in **TWO** ways the place of theories in clinical supervision. **(5 Marks)**
- b) Discuss in **TWO** ways, the implication of having a supervisee and a supervisor from the same spiritual orientation. **(5 Marks)**



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- 1 A supervision group forms a psychologically interdependent system of people striving to gain clinical wisdom. the benefits of being in a group should not be seen as primarily cost-effective, although it certainly can be, but rather the greater benefit are the different perspectives and possibilities which are present in a group that do not exist in one-to-one or even dyadic supervision.
 - c) Articulate FIVE possible advantages of group supervision. (5 Marks)
 - d) Discuss FIVE possible disadvantages of group supervision. (5Marks)
2. a) Enumerate FIVE objectives of POTT in Clinical Supervision (5Marks)
b) Stipulate TWO ways that may bring conflict between Interpersonal relationship between the supervisor and the pervisee. (5Marks)
- 3 a) Distinguish FIVE aspects of supervision. (5 Marks)
b) Articulate in TWO ways what determines the competency of a clinical supervisor. (5Marks)
4. a) Explain in TWO ways some of the challenges that starting supervisee may face. (5Marks)
b) Discuss in TWO ways the importance of rituals and ceremonies in clinical supervision. (5Marks)
5. a) Analyse TWO goals of clinical supervision. (5Marks)
b) Explain in TWO ways if it important to have a supervisor from the same ethnicity (5Marks)

6. a) Articulate in TWO ways the place of theories in clinical supervision. (5Marks)

b) Discuss in **TWO** ways how important to have a supervisee and a supervisor from the same spiritual orientation. **(5Marks)**