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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
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BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY
SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 2020 SEMESTER

DEPARTMENT: PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: UCC 202

COURSE TITLE: HEALTH AND SOCIAL ISSUES

EXAM DATE: MONDAY 15th DECEMBER 2020

DURATION: 3 HOURS

TIME: 8:00 AM – 11:00 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Write your **STUDENT NUMBER** in the Answer Booklet given
- **Answer ALL questions in Section A and any other TWO in Section B**
- *Write clearly and legibly.*
- *ALL PAC University's examination rules and regulations apply*

Section A

Question 1

- a) Define the following terms (a, b, and c):
 - i. Alcohol abuse (2 marks)
 - ii. Obesity (2 marks)
 - iii. Depression (2 marks)
- b) Outline any two factors why women have a higher life expectancy than men (4 marks)
- c) Explain two factors why infant mortality rate is higher among the poor communities (4 marks)
- d) Discuss any two reasons why married people are found to be physically and psychologically healthier than those who have never married, widowed, separated or divorced (6 marks)

Section B

Question 2

- a) Distinguish between boy and girl child socialization contexts (4 marks)
- b) Describe any two areas occupational health and safety is concerned with (6 marks)

Question 3

- a) Explain two health concerns associated with environmental noise that the Kenyan church ought to be aware of (4 marks)
- b) Poor health originate from bacteria and viruses. Explain any two behavioral factors that affect health negatively (6 marks)

Question 4

- a) Explain how nature and nurture combine to shape behavior (4 marks)
- b) Discuss any three symptoms of depression (6 marks)