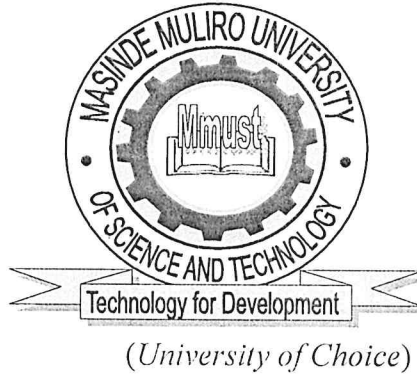20

(*University of Choice*)

MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

(MMUST)

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

MAIN EXAM

ACADEMIC YEAR: 2021/2022

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION

FOR MASTERS OF PUBLIC HEALTH

COURSE CODE: PHC 821

COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY BASED HEALTH CARE

DATE: 27TH APRIL, 2022   TIME: 2.00PM – 5.00PM

General Instructions

1) Write your University Registration Number on every booklet that you use.
2) Do not write your name on any papers you use.
3) Answer all four questions.
4) The time allowed for this Paper is **Three (3)** hours.

1. Kenya continues to face a number of public health problems, especially relating to maternal health and child mortality, communicable diseases, and, increasingly, non-communicable that are likely to affect the delivery of health care services at the Community Based level therefore affecting CBHC. In this context, discuss how the Community and Household level challenges are likely to affect the delivery of services and provision of CBHC   (25 marks)

2. Participatory planning aims at planning for programs within the community with reference to the priorities of the people who have to realize the benefits and means of sustaining the programs.
a) Discuss the steps in the process of participatory planning   (15 marks)
b) Describe why participatory planning is important in the context of Community Based Health Care   (10 marks)

3. a) Describe the process of initiating-community based health care initiative including participatory appraisal and planning   (15 marks)
c) Explain how you would monitor its implementation and how you would evaluate its achievement of desired objectives   (10 marks)

4. The concept of Primary Health Care (PHC) attempts to move beyond the boundaries of narrow bio-medical framework and emerged from a realization of the failure of the dominant medical model to meet major health needs of populations, including considering the idea of context into the picture of disease and health. Discuss (25 marks).