



MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MMUST)

MAIN CAMPUS

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS MAIN EXAMINATION

FOR

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND HUMANITARIAN **ASSISTANCE**

COURSE CODE:

DEM 309

COURSE TITLE:

ADVANCED PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES IN

EMERGENCIES

DATE: 21/04/2022

TIME: 3-5 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

This paper contains four questions. Attempt question one and any other two the questions.

TIME: 2 HOURS

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating

This Paper Consists of 2 Printed Pages. Please Turn Over.



1. Disaster mental health is based on the principles of "preventive medicine", has necessitated a paradigm shift from relief centered post-disaster management into a holistic, multi-dimensional integrated community approach to health promotion, disaster preparedness, prevention and mitigation. Write a concise essay, making use, where appropriate, of materials covered in this course, explaining the extent to which you agree or disagree with this statement.

(30 marks)

- 2. Discuss in detail the core principles of mental and psychosocial support services that can be employed in the different phases of disaster targeting all groups in a population. (20 marks)
- 3. Explore how conceptual framework for psychosocial support intervention has made valuable contributions in the area of humanitarian assistance for communities in complex emergencies.

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- 4. Discuss why monitoring and evaluation should be employed when providing psychosocial support interventions for those affected in emergency settings (20 marks)