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# **MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MMUST)**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS  
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

**FOR THE BACHELOR  
OF  
SOCIAL WORK**

**COURSE CODE:    SSW 400**

**COURSE TITLE:    MEDICAL & PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORK**

**DATE: 23/5/2019**

**TIME: 12NOON-2:00PM**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two questions

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### **Question one**

Medical social workers in Britain and Ireland were originally known as hospital [almoners](#) or "lady almoners" until the profession was officially renamed medical social work in the 1960s. In 1895, [Mary Stewart](#) became the first lady almoner in Britain with her appointment to the [Royal Free Hospital](#) in London for a three-month trial period. On this footing, respond to the following items

- a. Justify the relevance of a Medical Social Worker in a health setting **(10 marks)**
- b. Discuss SIX essential skills needed by a Hospital Social Worker **(10 marks)**
- c. Briefly explain FOUR global models of healthcare system **(10 marks)**

### **QUESTION TWO**

- a. Interpret theories and models used in program planning to understand and explain health behavior and to guide the identification, development, and implementation of health interventions **(10 Marks)**
- b. Synthesis the eating disorders characterized by obsessive concerns with weight and disruptive eating patterns that negatively impact physical and mental health **(10 Marks)**

### **QUESTION THREE**

Cancers are often managed through discussion on multi-disciplinary cancer conferences where medical oncologists, surgical oncologists, [radiation oncologists](#), pathologists, radiologists, and organ specific oncologists meet to find the best possible management for an individual patient considering the physical, social, psychological, emotional, and financial status of the patient. In view of this, unfold the concept of oncology **(20 marks)**

### **QUESTION FOUR**

Connect an interlink between pain management, palliative care, loss and coping with grief in relation to clients and their families holistic wellbeing **(20 marks)**

### **QUESTION FIVE**

Clinical ethics is a practical discipline that provides a structured approach to assist physicians, nurses, physiotherapist, medical social workers and other clinicians in identifying, analyzing and resolving ethical issues in clinical practice. Analyze the medical ethical considerations as documented in the National Association of Social Workers **(20 marks)**



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**COURSE CODE:    SSW 405**

**COURSE TITLE:    COMPARATIVE AND INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL POLICY**

**DATE: 28/5/2019**

**TIME: 12NOON-2:00PM**

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## **SSW 405: COMPARATIVE AND INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL POLICY**

### **QUESTION ONE**

- a) Briefly explain the characteristics of an ideology (4mks)
- b) Describe the branches of philosophy. (8mks)
- c) Explain the elements of globalization (6mks)
- d) Discuss the concept of the Global North (8mks)

### **QUESTION TWO**

- a) Which nations comprise the North Divide? (8mks)
- b) How realistic is it to define the North-South Divide? (12mks)

### **QUESTION THREE**

- a. Discuss Social Welfare Considerations. (8mks)
- b. Name and briefly explain types of social welfare policies (12mks)

### **QUESTION FOUR**

- a) Discuss the concept of dependency in relation the nations in the south- south divide (8mks)
- b) What are the steps and measures towards reforming globalization (12mks)



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**COURSE CODE:    SSW 403**

**COURSE TITLE:    PROPOSAL WRITING FOR FUNDRAISING**

**DATE: 24/5/2019**

**TIME: 4:00-6:00PM**

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### **SSW 403: PROPOSAL WRITING FOR FUNDRAISING**

1. (a) Provide the meaning of a grant proposal. (3mks)  
  
(b) Discuss four reasons why you think a social work student needs knowledge on proposal writing. (12mks)  
  
(c) You intend to start your own firm and need money to kick off. You have identified a group which sponsors firms of your type. Outline the important steps in the writing of a grant proposal you intend to send to them. (15mks)
2. Discuss five potential fundraising markets that project managers need to identify. (20mks)
3. Describe the steps are necessary in the preparation stage of a grant writing. (20mks)
4. Discuss five disadvantages of securing funds from federation. (20mks)
5. Explore the steps followed when writing a fundraising plan. (20mks)



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**COURSE CODE: SSW 414**

**COURSE TITLE: HUMAN RIGHTS AND ADVOCACY**

**DATE: 27/5/2019**

**TIME: 12:00-2:00PM**

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## **SSW 414: HUMAN RIGHTS AND ADVOCACY**

**1.** Discuss the following terms

- i. Value basis of advocacy 4mks
- ii. Human rights 3mks
- iii. Human Advocacy 3mks

b. Discuss the role of advocacy in social work practice 10mks

c. Explain five dimensions of advocacy in social work practice 10mks

**2.** Discuss the importance of value basis of advocacy 10 mks

b. Discuss five Advocacy skills a social worker would use in his/her practice 10mks

**3.** Describe models of practice in social work that will help you serve your clients 10mks

b. Explain how you would advocate for different groups as a practicing social worker 10mks

**4.** Discuss five universal Human rights and show how they apply to Kenya today 10 mks

b. Describe the emerging issues that are common today in social work practices 10mks

**5.** Explain the challenges that a social worker would encounter in discharging their duties in Kenya today 10Mks

b. Identify one case study in human rights advocacy and discuss its effects on a client 10mks





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**COURSE CODE:    SSW 401**

**COURSE TITLE:    SOCIAL CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT**

**DATE: 21/5/2019**

**TIME: 12:00-2:00PM**

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## **SSW 401: SOCIAL CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT**

1. a) Discuss, the evolutionary perspective towards social change on societies worldwide? (10mks)  
b) From the sociological perspective, discuss how political changes in Kenya since 1992 has impacted on other social institutions (family, education and religion). (20mks)
2. Examine the characteristics, benefits and disadvantages of corporatism as a social change process? (20mks)
3. As a change agent profession, discuss with relevant examples how indigenous Kenyan communities' culture has been influenced by the growth of urban population? (20mks)
4. From the social science perspective, discuss various reasons that make communities to resist change when it is introduced by external agents in community? (20mks)
5. From your perspective as a social worker, discuss with relevant examples how material culture has affected (both positively and negatively) Kenyan families? (20mks)



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**COURSE CODE:    SSW 402**

**COURSE TITLE:   INDUSTRIAL SOCIAL WORK**

**DATE: 22/5/2019**

**TIME: 12:00-2:00PM**

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## **SSW402: INDUSTRIAL SOCIAL WORK**

- 1a) Explore the historical background of industrial social work (6 marks)
- b) Describe six professional ethics that you should uphold while practicing industrial social work.  
(12 marks)
- c) Discuss qualities of an industrial social worker. (12 marks)
2. Define corporate social responsibility (CSR). Examine any four limitations of CSR as perceived by the corporate world. (20 marks)
3. Analyze the role of labour unions in regard to the workplace challenges (20 marks)
4. Using a relevant example; examine the process of conflict resolution at the workplace.  
(20marks)
5. Discuss four features to look out for when outsourcing an employee assistant program.  
(20 marks)