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SPECIAL/SUPPLIMENTARY

**FIRST YEAR THIRD TRIMESTER EXAMINATIONS
FOR THE DEGREE**

OF

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MEDICAL SOCIAL WORK

COURSE CODE: SSW100:

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL WORK

DATE: 03/10/2022 **TIME:** 8:00 AM-11:00AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

All Questions Are Compulsory

TIME: 3 Hours

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination

SECTION I : 20 MARKS

Answer ALL questions

1. Medical Social Work deals with the following aspects of the patient except which one?
 - a) Social
 - b) Medical
 - c) Physical
 - d) Psychological
2. Who among the following personalities is regarded as the mother of social work?
 - a) Mother Teresa of Calcutta
 - b) Mary Richmond
 - c) Augusti Conte
 - d) Emile Dukheim
3. Which one of the following is NOT one of the pioneering institutions of social work?
 - a) Child welfare movement
 - b) Charity organization society
 - c) Red cross and red crescent
 - d) Settlement House Movement
4. When and where was the first school of social work established in Kenya?
 - a) 1963 by Kenya –Israel partnership in Machakos
 - b) 1964 by Kenya- Israel partnership in Kapenguria
 - c) 1976 at University of Nairobi
 - d) 1960 by the Missionaries in Mombasa
5. The following are characteristics of the social work profession EXCEPT
 - a) It has its own methodology
 - b) It is based on scientific knowledge and skills
 - c) It is not based on scientific knowledge and skills
 - d) It has its own terminology
6. The following are competencies of a social worker except which one?
 - a) Demonstrate the profession use of self
 - b) Practice within values and ethics of social work
 - c) Understand the history of the social work profession and its current structures and issues
 - d) Employment can contribute dramatically to the quality of our lives
7. Which one of the following is NOT a function of social work?
 - a) Establish initial linkages between people and resource system
 - b) Promote human welfare through prevention and relief of suffering

- c) Dispensing out resources to the vulnerable people
 - d) It is a process of working with people in the society
8. When working with group work school social workers can identify various topics for the groups. Which one of the following is a relevant topic for adolescents in schools
- a) Pregnancy prevention
 - b) Sexual orientation
 - c) Coping with alcoholic parents
 - d) All of the above
9. Which one of the following is not a type of disability among children
- a) Cerebral palsy
 - b) Dementia
 - c) Autism
 - d) Orthopedic problem
10. Adults with disabilities may show the following signs and symptoms except
- a) Financial difficulties
 - b) Learning disability
 - c) Psychological problem
 - d) Sexual problems
11. Medical social workers may provide the following services to their clients except
- a) Acute care
 - b) Long term care
 - c) Nursing home care
 - d) Social justice
12. Medical social workers have a duty to promote primary health care support to their clients. Which of the following does not constitute a primary health care activity:-
- a) Health education
 - b) Environment hygiene
 - c) Maternal – child health care
 - d) Financial management
13. Which of the following is a social worker's values during practice
- a) Integrity
 - b) Social justice
 - c) Dignity and worth of a person
 - d) All of the above
14. During supervision and consultation, social workers are allowed to;

- a) Engage in multiple and dual relationship with the supervisors
 - b) Should evaluate supervisees performance at will
 - c) Should have the necessary knowledge and skills within their areas of practice
 - d) Not to set appropriate and culturally sensitive behavior
15. When is the medical social worker NOT allowed to conduct client transfers?
- a) When the client contract social worker for semis
 - b) When the social worker confirms that the client's needs can be met in hp/her facility
 - c) If the client is financially stable
 - d) None of the above
16. In order to demonstrate cultural competence and respect for social diversity, social workers should:
- a) Understand culture and its functions in human behavior
 - b) Have knowledge based on their clients culture
 - c) Obtain education about and seek to understand the nature of social diversity of their clients
 - d) All of the above
17. Social workers should sexually harass clients or colleagues sexual harassment include the following except
- a) Sexual advances
 - b) Sexual solicitation
 - c) Physical conduct with client
 - d) Sexual favors
18. Which principle of social work directs that the practitioner should try to be in the "shoes" of the client
- a) Sympathy
 - b) Empathy
 - c) Confidentiality
 - d) Acceptance
19. Which principle of social work is considered to be the pillar and the genesis of all help to the client
- a) Individualization
 - b) Acceptance
 - c) Confidentiality
 - d) Client self determination
20. "Social workers are supposed not to have negative attitude towards their clients' behaviours". Which principle will social worker be exercising based on the above statement?

- a) Purposeful expression of feelings
- b) Non-judgmental
- c) Control of emotional involvement
- d) Empathy

Section II- 40 marks
Answer ALL questions

1. Make brief notes on the following methods of social work. (20 marks)

- (i) Group work
- (ii) Case work
- (iii) Community action
- (iv) Social Action

2. Briefly explain the following theories as they are applied in Social Work (12 marks)

- i. Functional theory
- ii. Conflict Theory
- iii. Social Learning Theory
- iv. Humanistic Existential theory

3. Define the following principles of Social Work (8 marks)

- i. Acceptance
- ii. Client Self determination
- iii. Individualism
- iv. Non-Judgmental attitude
- v. Confidentiality
- vi. Control emotional involvement
- vii. Purposeful expression of feelings
- viii. Empathy

Section III- 40 marks

Answer ALL questions

1. Identify and discuss the four methods of Social Work.(20Marks)
2. Discuss with relevant examples ten social ethical responsibilities of social workers to their clients(20 marks)

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