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**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
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**MAIN CAMPUS
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS
FOR THE DIPLOMA
OF
SOCIAL WORK AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

COURSE CODE: DSC 065

COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY HEALTH AND NUTRITION

DATE: 15/12/2023

TIME: 9:00 - 11:00AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE (Compulsory)

- a) Discuss the various categories of healthcare (10 marks)
- b) Contrast conventional health care from community health outlining the role played by a community health promoter (10 marks)
- c) Demonstrate your understanding on the following: Health & disease, illness & communicable disease (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss the various perspectives that seek to explain the concept of disease in communities
(10 marks)
- b) What do you understand by the term “The determinants of Health” providing key aspects considered when dealing with it in the context of the Community
(10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Demonstrate how the African community perceive the concept of disease and illness (10 marks)
- b) Explain the various ways environment is perceived to facilitate occurrence of diseases and illness in communities (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) The relationship between nutrition and health is “synergistic”. Explain this statement, giving the factors promoting good nutrition and main channels through which community health education is disseminated
(10 marks)
- b) The government demands the mothers of under 5 year old children to frequently attend the MCH clinic for among other things, immunization, Define immunization and explain the two types.
(10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Give a historical background, emphasis, and elements involved in provision of primary health care in the community (10 marks)
- b) Explain the various strategies communities play in promoting community health (10 marks)