



**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF
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(MMUST)**

**SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMS
2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR**

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

**FOR THE DIPLOMA
IN
SOCIAL WORK AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

COURSE CODE: DSC 069

**COURSE TITLE: WORKING WITH THE AGED AND
DISAVANTAGED GROUPS**

DATE: TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions

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Q1a) Define ageing and state any Five needs of the aged in society today **(12mks)**

b) You have been hired by Nyumba ya wazee (a home for the aged) as a Social Worker. What Four social welfare services would you put in place to ensure that the aged enjoy their human rights? **(8mks)**

c) Using the Mpeketoni attack as a case study, briefly examine any Five needs of the Internally displaced persons (IDPs) that you would address if you were hired by Red cross **(10mks)**

Q2. Women empowerment still faces many challenges today. Highlight any Five of these challenges and any Five measures you would use to overcome them **(20mks)**

Q3. People living with HIV/AIDs face a lot of stigma in society today. As a Social worker, discuss any Five strategies you would adopt to help them overcome the stigma and Five obstacles you are likely to encounter in helping them overcome the stigma **(20mks)**

Q4a) State any five human rights of the disadvantaged groups in society today **(5mks)**

b). Give any five challenges facing single parents in Kakamega county today **(5mks)**

c). Poor people are poor because they are poor. Discuss **(10mks)**

Q5a). Explain any Five managing HIV and AIDs today **(10mks)**

b). Highlight any Five interventions required to curb child abuse and neglect **(10mks)**



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Q1a) Define a refugee and state any Four factors that may make one to become a refugee (10mks)

b) Define the following concepts as used in Working with the Aged and Disadvantaged groups:

- a. Child abuse
- b. Child neglect
- c. Senescence
- d. Sexual abuse
- e. Child labor

(10mks)

c) Using Kakuma camp as a case study, briefly examine any Five challenges faced by refugees in Kenya today

(10mks)

Q2a). State any Five rights of children in Kenya

(5mks)

b). Discuss the three main theories that explain ageing

(15mks)

Q3a). People living with HIV/AIDs face a lot of stigma in society today. As a Social worker, discuss any Five strategies you would adopt to help them overcome the stigma

(10mks)

b). What Five obstacles you are likely to encounter in helping them overcome the stigma

(10mks)

Q4a). State any five human rights of physically and mentally challenged people in Kenya today (5mks)

b). Give any five challenges facing the poor in Kakamega county today

(5mks)

c). What is empowerment? Examine any Four ways you would use to empower the poor in Kakamega County

(10mks)

Q5a). Ageing is not a disability. In relation to this statement, discuss any Five roles played by the aged in society

(10mks)

b). Examine any five major issues are affecting the aged in Kenya today

(10mks)