



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

**MAIN CAMPUS
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR
OF**

**MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH NUTRITION
MAIN EXAM**

COURSE CODE: PHN 871

COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY DIAGNOSIS

DATE: 15/12/2023

TIME: 2-5PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- A. THIS EXAMINATION CONTAINS 5 LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS EACH 25 MARKS.**
- B. QUESTION 1 IS COMPULSORY, AND CHOOSE ANY OTHER 3 QUESTIONS**
- C. WRITE ALL ANSWERS IN THE ANSWER BOOKLET PROVIDED**
- D. WRITE THE UNIVERSITY REGISTRATION NUMBER ON EACH PIECE OF PAPER USED.**

MMUST OBSERVES ZERO TOLERANCE TO EXAMINATION CHEATING.

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This examination contains 5 long answer questions each 25 marks. Questions 1 is compulsory, and choose any other 3 questions (Total 100marks).

Compulsory Question

1. World Health Organization has partnered with 47 Counties of the Kenya Government to improve the dietary habits of residents suffering from non-communicable diseases. Citing relevant examples, clearly describe the community entry process employed on this program to contact the targeted individuals (25 marks).

Choose any 3 questions

2. The National Government aims to improve the nutritional status of children in lower primary schools by re-introducing the “Nyayo Milk”. Describe the process of Community diagnosis for this program. (25 marks).
3. Food adulteration has become prevalent in Kenya’s food stores. The relevant stakeholders intend to conduct an evaluation to find out the underlying problem and how it can be addressed. Describe how this process of evaluation will be conducted (25 marks)
4. The Ministry of Health plans to sensitise Women within reproductive age on the importance of maintaining personal hygiene and family planning to prevent the consequences of its’ ignorance. With specific examples elaborate on the basic principles for planning and executing this task (25 marks)
5. Describe the functions of nutrition assessment approaches in nutrition intervention and how each function improves the health of vulnerable people in the community. (25 marks)