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EXAMINATION QUESTIONS PHS 312 OCTOBER 2019_2

COURSE TITLE: ORAL HEALTH CARE

COURSE CODE: PHS 312

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS.

TOTAL MARKS: 70%

COURSE UNITS: 2 CREDITS

TIME ALLOWED: 1½ HOURS

1. (a) Explain the arrangement of the adult teeth in the mouth (6 marks)
(b) Describe the different types of adult teeth and their functions (12 marks)
(c) State the common disorders of the development of the tooth (4 marks)
(Total marks for question 1 = 22 Marks)

2. (a) Explain the five procedures of good oral hygiene practices (5 marks)
(b) Briefly explain halitosis and list eight of its causes (10 marks)
(c) A 29 year old woman came to dental clinic with the complain of smelling mouth, bad breath without any stated conditions of halitosis:
State the likely conditions the patient must be suffering from? (2 marks)
(Total marks for question 2 = 17)

3. (a) Write short note on the following;

- I. Presentation of Periodontal Disease (5 marks)
- II. Formation of dental plaque(5 marks)
- III. Steps to remove dental plague (6 marks))
- IV. The oral symptoms of HIV/AIDS (5 marks)

(b) Explain the presentations of dental caries (6 marks)

(c) Enumerate four (4) factors responsible for the development of dental caries (4 marks)

(Total marks for question 3 = 31)