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FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

SEPTEMBER 2020_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: Public-Community Health Nursing I

COURSE CODE: NSC 316

TIME: 2hours

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL

1. Define health and different experts view according to their own field of interest.
 - a.
 - i. Explain the concept of health by the World Health Organization (WHO). (3 marks)
 - ii. What are the limitations in the WHO's definition of health? (2 marks)
 - iii. What are the factors influencing an individual's definition of health? (5 marks)
 - b.
 - i. Describe the various models of health (8 marks)
 - ii. Identify four indices that can be used to quantify individual's wellness (2 marks)
2. The primary role of public/community health nurses is to provide treatment to patients. Identify and describe the major roles of public/community health nurses in ensuring healthy communities (20 marks)
3. A community nurse must take into cognizance the physical structure of the community and relationship between these structures and the health of the people living in that community when treating a community as a client.
 - a. Identify and describe the dimensions of a Community as Client you must assess as a community health nurse (15 marks)
 - b. Enumerate five (5) characteristics of Community Health Nursing (5 marks)
4. Write short notes on each of the four basic elements of nursing practice incorporated in community health programs and services as follows:
 - i. Communication
 - ii. Community Development (5 marks each)