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BSCH Y4S1

BDS 4103: GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

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TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: APRIL 2016

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attempt question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

Question One

a. Using specific examples, briefly discuss the following concepts in relation to gender and development:

- i. Gender equality (3 Marks)
- ii. Gender discrimination (3 Marks)
- iii. Gender analysis (3 Marks)

b) Explain five factors that justify the argument that women cannot do certain jobs. (5 Marks)

c) What arguments can be put forward to explain the poor economic contribution of women towards overall economic development? (6Marks)

d) Why is it important that poverty alleviation initiatives should focus on promoting gender equality? (10Marks)

Question Two

Highlight the key gender issues in community health and explain their impacts in the health sector. (20 marks)

Question Three

- a) Discuss five forms of gender based violence (G.B.V) found in the Kenyan society today. (10 Marks)
- b) Describe five legislative measures (Kenya National Legal Framework on GBV) implemented by the Kenyan government to combat gender based violence (10 Marks)

Question Four

- a) Citing relevant examples explain the meaning of the term women's empowerment and briefly elaborate five ways of empowering and enabling women take control over their lives giving appropriate examples. (20 Marks)

Question Five

Critically discuss six strategies that the county governments can use to mainstream gender perspectives in development planning at various levels. (20 marks)