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DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY HEALTH AND HIV MANAGEMENT

ACH 2313: LAW AND COMMUNITY HEALTH

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: APRIL 2015

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- This paper consists of **FIVE** questions.
- Answer question **ONE (Compulsory)** and any other **TWO** questions.
- Do not write on the question paper

This paper consists of Two printed pages.

QUESTION 1 (Compulsory)

- a) Define the term “sources of law”. Describe the main sources of law in Kenya. **(10 marks)**
- b) What is Health law? Discuss the various classes of health law. **(10 marks)**
- c) Under the law of contract, outline the ways in which a contract may be discharged. **(10 marks)**

QUESTION 2

- a) What are the common causes of legal issues a community health nurse may face. **(12 marks)**
- b) Explain what informed consent means. **(3 marks)**

QUESTION 3

State the provisions on prohibited sale of drugs under the Food, Drugs and Substance Abuse Act. **(15 marks)**

QUESTION 4

- a) Discuss the provisions under the Public Health Act on notification of infectious diseases. **(9 marks)**
- b) Explain what constitutes nuisance under the Public Health Act. **(6 marks)**

QUESTION 5

- a) Explain the doctrine of Res IPSA loquitor. **(5 marks)**
- b) See 14 (1) of HIV and AIDs Prevention Act states that: no person shall undertake an HIV test in respect of another. Discuss the exception to this provision. **(10 marks)**