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DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY HEALTH AND HIV MANAGEMENT
(DCH 10S)

ACM 2301 : SIGN LANGUAGE

SPECIAL /SUPPLEMENTARY: EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: OCTOBER 2013

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

You should have the following for this paper

- *Answer booklet*

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions.

Answer Question **ONE (compulsory)** and any other **TWO** questions

This paper consists of 3 PRINTED pages

Question ONE

- a) Define sign language? (3marks)
- b) Define finger spelling? (3marks)
- c) Name the country associated with the origin of sign language? (3marks)
- d) State FOUR elements of sign language? (4marks)
- e) Briefly describe handshape for one million (3marks)
- f) State FOUR reasons for teaching sign language to the community? (4marks)
- g) Who is an interpreter in sign language? (3marks)
- h) Write the following sentences in Kenyan sign language?
 - (i) The cat is eating (1mark)
 - (ii) The baby is sleeping (1mark)
 - (iii) The food is under the table (1mark)
- i) Write FOUR pronouns formed on the chest when signing? (4marks)

Question TWO

Explain the meaning of the following terms? (15marks)

- a) Sign language
- b) Sign English
- c) Signed exact English
- d) Figure spelling
- e) Reading and writing

Question THREE

Describe how you would communicate with a deaf person if you are not skilled in sign language?

(15marks)

Question FOUR

List and explain the principles of signing? (15marks)

Question FIVE

Describe the handshape representing letters C,O,H,Z and S in the manual alphabet (15marks)