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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY
HEALTH AND HIV MANAGEMENT**
DCH 16M/YEAR 1/ SEMESTER 2

ACM 2105: SOCIAL MEDICAL

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION
SERIES: DECEMBER 2016
TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions to Candidates

This paper consists of FIVE questions

Answer question ONE (COMPULSORY) and any other TWO questions.

This paper consists of two printed pages.

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Question One

- a) 'Community is concrete and society is abstract'. Discuss. (4 marks)
- b) Explain the informal social control in the 'Agrarian society' (4 marks)
- c) What are the segmentalised roles in the industrialized society (4 marks)
- d) Explain the structure of culture (5 marks)
- e) Mention the importance of social medical studies to a community and health student (5 marks)
- f) Specify socio- cultural behaviors that are likely to motivate men to go for polygamy or seek for children through other means (5 marks)
- g) In the African community why are dances performed at night and restricted to adolescents and adults of the society? (5 marks)
- h) Mention five guidelines on eradicating of FGM in the African community (5 marks)
- i) Explain the meaning of health in social medical studies (3 marks)

Question Two

Discuss the value of children to parents in the African community (15 marks)

Question Three

Discuss the other reasoning for the justification of FGM in the African society (15 marks)

Question Four

What do we mean by variability of culture? Describe the various factors of cultural variability. (15 marks)

Question Five

Discuss the advantages of culture for an individual (15 marks)

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