Paper 2 TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA FACULTY OF APPLIED AND HEALTH SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT & HEALTH SCIENCES

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. Mobile phones are NOT allowed in the examination room*

Question one

a)	Define the terms:	(i) society		
		(ii) Health	(4 marks)	
b)	Explain community		(4 marks)	
c)	Explain the difference between the industrial society and the pre-industrial society in the			
	economic institutions		(4 marks)	
d)	What do you understan	d by culture diffusion?	(4 marks)	
e)	Explain excision in fema	le genital mutilation	(4 marks)	
f)	What is the role of divir	ners in African societies?	(4 marks)	
g)	Describe the reasons w	hy witchcraft is not accorded the status of a disease	(4 marks)	
h)	Mention four customs that need to be changed to help reduce possible spread of infections c			
	some of the common k	now2n bacteria and virus	(4 marks)	
i)	Mention four diseases a	associated with the poor in Kenya	(4 marks)	
j)	Explain traditional med	icine	(4 marks)	

Question two

a)	Describe illness as a factor in food production and restriction	(5 marks)
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b) 'Longerity is a prized aspect of life'. Discuss

Question three

Discuss the cultural reasons for maintaining the female genital mutilation practice (FGM) in Kenya, giving examples of the Somali community. (15 marks)

Question four

a) Explain culture according to Cooley, Argeli, and Earrb) Discuss the characteristics of culture	(12 marks) (12 marks)					
Question five						
a) What is traditional medicine?	(3 marks)					

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b)	Discuss the common characteristics of traditional healers	(12 marks)