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APH 2107: ENTOMOLOGY, PEST AND VECTOR CONTROL

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: DECEMBER 2016

TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: Pick Date Dec 2016

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

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

QUESTION ONE

- a) Describe the use of Natural enemies as a way of rodent control (4 marks)
- b) List four common rodent-borne diseases (4 marks)
- c) Describe five ways in which arthropods are medically important (5 marks)
- d) Describe the Link between jigger infestation and HIV/AIDS (4 marks)

- e) Outline the Effects of jigger attack (4 marks)
- f) State how causative agents transmitted by rodents may enter the human body (5 marks)
- g) Describe the clinical types of plague transmitted by human flea (4 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Describe the medical importance of blow flies (5 marks)
- b) Describe Food source isolation as strategy for bedbug control (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Infestations with bedbugs may occur through various ways. Discuss this statement with special reference to incidents reported at our institution. (10 marks)

- (b) There is a Global resurgence of bedbug menace. Describe the modern approaches for control and prevention by developed countries. (5 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Fleas may cause plague; as a public health worker suggest preventive and control measures for plague in the community (5 marks)
- b) Respected national leaders have shown interest in jigger flea infestation management; Give your advice on best control measures (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss jigger attack under the following headings

- (a) Effects of the attack (6marks)
- (b) Link with HIV/AIDS (4marks)
- (c) Preventive measures (5 marks)