

# **TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA**

# FACULTY OF APPLIED AND HEALTH SCIENCES

# DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

# **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:**

## MSC PUBLIC HEALTH

## APH 5110 : IMMUNITY TO INFECTIONS

## SPECIAL/ SUPPLIMENTARY EXAMINATIONS

# **SERIES:** SEPTEMBER 2018

# TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: Pick Date Sep 2018

### **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 ALL questions. **Do not write on the question paper.** 

### **Question One**

Explain the principal components of innate and adaptive immunity (20 marks)

### **Question Two**

Discuss the complement system and its importance in immunology (20 marks)

### **Question Three**

- a) Illustrate the antibody molecule (10 marks)
- b) Describe two types of antigens that can interact with T cells (10 marks)

#### **Question Four**

Discuss immunity to fungal and viral infections (20 marks)

### **Question Five**

Using a specific disease example, discuss the use of two ELISA variants in diagnosis (20 marks)