



# Technical University of Mombasa

*Faculty of Business & Social Studies*

## **DEPARTMENT OF LIBERAL STUDIES & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND COUNSELING  
(DCDC J 13 & SEPT 12)

**BCD 2107 : HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT**

SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS

**SERIES:** OCTOBER, 2013

**TIME:** 2 HOURS

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

-This paper consists of **TWO** sections

- Section **A** is **COMPULSORY**.
- Answer any **TWO** questions in section **B**
- This paper consists of **2 printed** pages

### **SECTION A: COMPULSORY (30 marks)**

#### **QUESTION ONE**

- a) Define the term 'mid-life crisis'. **(2 marks)**
- b) Describe the traits of a 'Type B' personality. **(4 marks)**
- c) Explain the Foetus stage of development during pregnancy. **(4 marks)**
- d) Outline the value of genetic counseling to couples **(4 marks)**
- e) Distinguish between Growth and Developments **(4 marks)**
- f) Briefly explain the structures of personality according to S.Freud **(6 marks)**
- g) Outline the developmental tasks of the 'concrete stage according to J. Piaget **(6 marks)**

### **SECTION B: Answer any TWO questions from this section.**

#### **QUESTION TWO**

- a) Explain the following stages of psychosocial development according to E. Erikson:-
  - (i) Antomomy vs shame and doubt
  - (ii) Tritinancy vs isolation
  - (iii) Ego Integrity vs Despair **(12 marks)**
- b) Identify **FOUR** teratogens and explain their effects on the unborn baby **(8 marks)**

#### **QUESTION THREE**

- a) Describe the following personality types giving the potentialities of each:
  - (i) Choleric
  - (ii) Melancholics **(10 marks)**
- b) A neonate is equipped with reflexive behaviours at birth. Explain FIVE such reflexes indicating the stimulus, response and value of each. **(10 marks)**

#### **QUESTION FOUR**

- a) Distinguish between the following terms as used in developmental psychology:
  - (i) Primary sexual characteristics vs secondary sexual characteristics
  - (ii) Proximodistal vs Cephalocaudal development
  - (iii) Heredity vs Environment **(12 marks)**
- b) Explain **FOUR** principles of growth and development. **(8 marks)**

## **QUESTION FIVE**

Discuss Sigmund Freud's psychosexual stages of development and identify the possible outcomes of each stage. **(20 marks)**