



# **Technical University of Mombasa**

***Faculty of Business & Social Studies***

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

**DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND COUNSELING  
(DCDC JAN. 2013)**

### **BCD 2105: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL WORK SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS**

**SERIES: JUNE 2013**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

-Answer **ALL** Questions in section **A** and any other **TWO** from section B  
This paper consists of **2** printed pages  
**SECTION A (COMPULSORY) 30 MARKS**

### QUESTION ONE

- (a) Briefly explain the origin of social work practice. **(5 marks)**
- (b) Cite **FIVE** importance of social work **(5 marks)**
- (c) Identify **FOUR** characteristics of a social worker explaining the benefits. **(8 marks)**
- (d) Non-governmental organization has advertised for a post of a social worker. The successful candidate will be hired to work in refugee's camp in Dadaab-Garisa. What are the requirements to become a social worker that will be considered. **(12 marks)**

### SECTION B (40 MARKS)

(Answer any **TWO** questions from this section)

### QUESTION TWO

Define the following terms in relation to social work society.

- a) Society **(10 marks)**
- b) Culture **(10 marks)**

### QUESTION THREE

- (a) Explain **FIVE** roles of social worker. **(10 marks)**
- (b) Identify any **FIVE** challenges social workers face when carrying out their duties. **(10 marks)**

### QUESTION FOUR

Identify any **THREE** vulnerable persons/groups and explain how you would assist them realize their objectives in life. **(20 marks)**

### QUESTION FIVE

Identify different types of religions and briefly discuss the characteristics of each mentioning their functions in the society. **(20 marks)**