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SOCIAL WORK AND SOCIAL ADMINISTRATION

SWSA 2116: SOCIAL WORK METHODS, SKILLS AND TECHNIQUES

AY 2022/2023: NKOZI AND RUBAGA CAMPUSES

DATE: THURSDAY 15TH DECEMBER, 2022

TIME: 9:30AM-12:30PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- (a) Answer any four questions. NB. Number one is compulsory
- (b) All questions carry equal marks.

TIME: 3 Hours

Question one (compulsory)

- a) What do you understand by the empowerment perspective in social work practice? (5marks)
- b) Describe the four stages of in the empowerment process. (8marks)
- c) Choose one of the following groups and describe how your government is trying to empower them; also indicate any new suggestions you can-indicate the country you are representing (12marks)

- i) Refugees
- ii) Elderly
- iii) Children
- iv) Youth
- v) People with disability
- vi) Women

Question two

Using an example of your own describe the different stages of the problem solving process in Social Work (25marks)

### Question three

What do you understand by the Strength perspective in social work practice? (5 marks)

b) Explain the Seven principles of the strengths perspective put forward by Saleebey- 1992(20 marks)

### Question four

Describe the elements of generalist social work practice? (13 marks)

Describe the different systems you would work with in generalist social work practice? (12 marks)

### Question five

Using relevant examples, describe the methods used in social work practice (25marks)

### Question six

Jacinta is a 16 year old adolescent who has got pregnant at school; she is in fear of her parents and the school administration to know about her condition. She has approached you as a social worker for assistance. Using relevant examples discuss at least five (5) theories you would use to aid your understanding of Jacinta's problem (25 Marks)

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