



**RAJARATA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCES**

**B.Sc. (General) Degree in Health Promotion
Third Year – Semester II Examination –February/March 2019**

**HPT 3104 – PHILOSOPHICAL AND ETHICAL ISSUES IN HEALTH EDUCATION &
PROMOTION**

Time: One & a half (1 ½) hours.

Answer ALL questions.

1. a) Describe widely accepted **four (04)** ethical principles. **(80 marks)**
 b) Explain the reasons for exploitation of vulnerable populations. **(20 marks)**

2. a) Using ethical principles, discuss the possible ethical issues that may arise when practicing health promotion in a community and explain how you could avoid / manage such issues. **(60 marks)**
 b) “Most of the ethical issues could be arisen when working with communities, these issues are addressed within the health promotion process itself”. Critically analyze this statement. **(40 marks)**

3. a) Explain need of informed consent in community based research. **(40 marks)**
 b) Discuss the possible barriers encountered when obtaining informed consent. **(30 marks)**
 c) Give yours suggestions to overcome the barriers mentioned in 3 (b). **(30 marks)**

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