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SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
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Course code: CHS 320

Time Allowed: 2hrs

Course title: PROFESSIONAL ETHICS FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH

Instruction: Answer Any Four Questions

1. (a) Itemise six criteria for defining a community Health professional? (1mk each)
(b) Outline five etiquettes of a community health practitioner according to rules 9 of the code of conduct 2009. (1mk each)
(c) Outline six codes of conduct of a community health practitioner (1mk each)
2. (a) what do you understand by the term regulatory bodies? (2.5mks)
(b) State the two categories of regulatory bodies in Nigeria and mention four examples of each? (12mks)
(c) Mention three health related international regulatory bodies? (3mks)
3. (a) What do you understand by the term Unprofessional conduct? (2mks)
(b) Outline seven acts that could amount to unprofessional conduct by a community health worker? (7mks)
(c) Outline four penalties that could be recommended by Community Health Practitioners disciplinary committee in a situation of unprofessional conduct? (4mks)
(d) Mention four possible types of negligence that could be associated with the duty of a Community Health practitioner (4mks)
4. (a) State three implications of what it means to be 'under duty' as a community Health practitioner? (3mks)
(b) State two ways in which 'duty' differs from 'responsibility'? (2mks)
(c) Outline four duties that a community health practitioner owes the (i) state (ii) the profession and (iii) Clients (12mks)
5. (a) Outline the composition Of Community Health registration Board of Nigeria (8mks)
(b) State two administrative, two managerial and two quasi Judicial function of the board. (6mks)
6. (a) Outline five importance of licensing and registration (5mks)
(b) Explain the following terms (6mks)
Official misconduct
Gross misconduct
Wanton misconduct