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**SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES**  
**SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2015 EXAMINATION**

**Course Code:** HEM712 **Course Credit Unit:** 2  
**Course Title –** Legal and Ethical Issues in HIV/AIDS  
**Time Allowed:** 1½ hours  
**Total Score:** 70 marks  
**Instruction:** Answer all the questions

**Question 1 (25 marks)**

- a) People Living with HIV/AIDS should not be discriminated upon and they should enjoy equitable rights in the society. Identify and explain with examples any five (5) of such rights

**Question 2**

Is there a correlation between gender and HIV stigmatization and discrimination? Discuss (15 marks)

**Question 3**

- a) Using some examples, discuss the three widely recognized principles in Nigerian Medical Jurisprudence that can apply to both clinical and research ethics **(9 marks)**
- b) What do you understand by “Living will” **(3 marks)**
- c) What do you understand by health care proxy **(3 marks)**
- d) Outline and explain the information or data that must be contained in a health care proxy form **(15 marks)**