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**SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES**  
**MARCH/APRIL 2015 EXAMINATION**

**CHS509:                    Geriatrics and gerontology**

**TIME:                                1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> HOURS Unit: 2**

**Instructions:            Read the questions carefully and answer Questions ONE ;  
TWO and any other question.**

1. Discuss fully with appropriate examples 6 resources and facilities available for the elderly in the community in Nigeria.(30 marks)
- 2.(a).List the stages of death which the dying person experiences. (5 marks)  
  
(b)Discuss with example the concept of hospice services (10 marks)  
  
(d). Write short note on Presbycusis (5 marks)
3. (a ) Discuss briefly the effects of life style factor on the body system  
(16 marks)  
  
(b) Briefly discuss the effect of two genetic factors that influence aging (4 marks)
- 4.Write in details thefour aging changes that affects vision. (20 marks )