



"Investing in Africa's Future"

**COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, THEOLOGY,
HUMANITIES AND EDUCATION**

HPS 424 UNIQUE GROUPS IN COUNSELING

END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Do NOT write your name on the answer sheet.
2. Answer all questions in Section A and two in Section B.
3. Illustrate all answers with original examples.
4. Begin your answer for each question on a new page.
5. Each question carries 25 marks.
6. Credit is given for neat, well-written and lucid work.

Question 1

- i) Give 4 examples of children in especially difficult circumstances (2 marks)
- ii) Why are women regarded as a unique group (2 marks)?
- iii) Briefly explain the 4 techniques for counseling the elderly (4 marks)
- iv) Why do homosexuals have problems in disclosing their sexual orientation (2 marks)
- v) Give 4 examples of issues that affect people living with disabilities that they would bring to a counselor (4 marks)
- vi) Describe the counseling techniques you would use to a terminally ill client (3 marks)
- vii) State 3 organizations that unique group clients would seek services (3 marks)

Section B**Question 2**

- a) Describe in detail the Cass model how it explains identity development among homosexuals
- b) Imagine a lesbian adolescent comes to you who is in a dilemma on whether to inform their parents about their sexual orientation, how you would deal with her.

Question 3

Explain in detail how nongovernmental organizations that are using the tree as a metaphor in counseling, illustrate your answer with examples.

Question 4

Domestic violence trends in most countries are on the increase but also awareness campaigns by organizations and laws that prohibit are in place. Discuss why there seems to be no improvement in the problem, what else should be done.
