



"Investing in Africa's Future"

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SCIENCES

SNS 312: COMMUNICABLE AND NON COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

END OF FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer **any three (3)** questions

The mark allocation for each question is indicated at the end of the question

Credit will be given for logical, systematic and neat presentations.

Question 1

Discuss, citing examples, the social and economic burden of non communicable diseases on the family of a patient with non communicable disease 20 Marks

Question 2

Non communicable diseases do not only have medical implications. Citing examples, discuss any 10 points reflecting non medical issues related to stroke (Cerebral vascular accident) 20 Marks

Question 3.

Morbidity and mortality among population groups result from communicable disease. Citing examples, discuss environmental factors that influence the occurrence of communicable diseases among population groups. 20 Marks

Question 4

Citing examples, discuss the four functions of a nurse practitioner under his/her leadership role in management of patients under his/her care 20 Marks

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