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

**NHSW 105: ETHICS AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE
END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

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DURATION: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Do **NOT** write your name on the answer sheet.
2. All students **MUST** answer the **Compulsory** question in **Section A**. It carries 40%
3. Students can pick **TWO** questions from **Section B**. Each question in Section B carries **30%**.
4. Answer each question on a new page.
5. Credit will be awarded for logical, systematic and neat presentation.

SECTION A

1a) In line with the Social Worker's Act, Code of Ethics (By-laws of 2012), explain how sexual impropriety is against Social Work ethics and values (50 marks).

b) Examine the strategies that can be employed by Social Workers to avoid sexual impropriety (50 marks).

SECTION B

2. With the aid of examples, examine how the morality period contributed to the development of Social Work ethics and values.

3. Assess the ethical dilemmas a Social Worker can face when implementing the seven principles of Biestek (1957) in any African country of your choice.

4. Using examples, demonstrate how a social worker can apply the deontological ethics theory.

5. Examine the importance of confidentiality in Social Work practice