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COLLEGE OF HEALTH, AGRICULTURE & NATURAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND NURSING (DPHN) NSHA 100 PRINCIPLES OF HEALTH SERVICES ACCOUNTING (BHSM)

END OF SEMESTER FINAL EXAMINATIONS

NOVEMBER 2023

LECTURER: MR T.T. DZVAIRO

DURATION: 3 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

You are required to answer questions as instructed below

Answer ALL **FOUR** (4) questions in this paper

Credit will be awarded for logical, systematic and neat presentations

Start **each** question on a new page in your answer booklet

QUESTION ONE

(25 Points)

- a) Write down the accounting equation [4 Marks]
- **b)** Explain the elements of the accounting equation. [6 Marks]
- c) Define the following accounting terms
 - i. Drawings (2 Marks)
 - ii. Turnover (2Marks)
 - iii. Purchases (2 Marks)
 - iv. Gross profit (2 Marks)
 - v. Depreciation (2 Marks)
- d) Give examples of the following accounting terms
 - i. Expenses two examples (2 marks)
 - ii. Current assets two examples (2 marks)
 - iii. Revenue one example (1 mark)

QUESTION TWO

[25 Marks]

Health care accounting and auditing is complex. Complexity is largely due to the fact that main revenue sources are provided by third party payers.

- a) Outline the main revenue sources for healthcare services centers giving clear examples where possible. (10 Marks)
- b) Provide strategies that can be used to prevent revenue loss by health care entities. [10 Marks]
- c) Write down **five** advantages of the electronic system of making claims in health services [5 Marks]

QUESTION THREE

(25 Marks)

- a) Explain the importance of budgeting for health services entities. [10 Marks]
- **b**) Identify and explain any **five** budgeting techniques. (15 Marks)

QUESTION 4

(25 Marks)

The information below relates to Paradise Health Centre for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Patient Revenue \$2,818,000

Salaries & Wages \$1,425,000

Purchased Services 180,000

Other Operating Revenue 305,000

Employee Benefits 356,000

Medical Supplies 350,000

Drugs cost 120,000

Other Expenses 347,000

Water and utilities \$ 55 000

Catering sales \$ 250 000

Depreciation of non-current assets 160,000

Bad debts written off \$ 20 000

Business unit income \$ 35 000

Interest expense 30,000

Non-Operating Revenue 45,000

Government grant \$1 500 000

Donation from PEPFAR 450 000

There were unpaid employee benefits worth \$44 000 at the year-end 31 December 2022.

Other expenses figure includes \$47 000 relating to January and February 2023

Required

Prepare an Income Statement for the year ended 31 December 2022 for Paradise Health Centre

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