



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF

MASTER OF ARTS IN MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY

JANUARY – APRIL 2018 SEMESTER

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: MPC600

COURSE TITLE: SEXUALITY & PREMARITAL THERAPY

EXAM DATE: THURSDAY 12TH APRIL 2018

TIME: 2:00PM-5:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- This examination script consists of **Five (5)** questions.
- Read all questions carefully before attempting.
- Write your **student number** on the answer booklet provided.
- Answer **Question ONE** and any other **TWO** questions
- Question **one** carries **20** marks
- Question 2-5 carry **15** marks each

QUESTION ONE: COMPULSORY

- a) Using Gender Socialization Theory, explain why and how men and women act differently. (6 marks)
- b) Discuss any two factors that influence attraction among human beings. (4 marks)
- c) Explain how the five levels of communication contribute to spousal conflicts and how as a therapist you would treat a couple that has communication challenges. (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Using Sigmund Freud's Psychoanalytic theory, discuss how the id, ego and superego influence Human Sexuality. (5 marks)
- b) Using examples, illustrate how classical conditioning affects sexual behaviours (5 marks)
- c) Illustrate with an example how the legal system influences sexuality at the macro level. (5 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Explain at least three ways in which understanding the sexual response cycle is important among spouses. (6 marks)
- b) Illustrate three ways in which modern coupling practices differ from traditional ones. (9 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Outline the four stages of sexual addiction. (4 marks)
- b) Jaysheer has sought for therapy because she is sexually addicted. As a marriage and family therapist, discuss various treatment plans you would use to help her out of this addiction. (8 marks)
- c) Explain three roles of caregivers in development of sexual addiction in later life. (3 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Mr. and Mrs. Paul have challenges with their marriage and have sought for therapy. In the process of therapy, you realize that they have challenges with intimacy. Discuss any three ways you would help them to build intimacy. (7 marks)
- b) "Conflicts are inevitable in a marriage relationship." Discuss any two causes of marital conflicts. (4 marks)
- c) Analyze any two therapeutic methods of resolving conflicts. (4 marks)