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REGULAR/ODEL PROGRAMME

SSW 305: COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION AND ACTION

Date: DECEMBER 2021

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any THREE Questions

Q1.a. Community Development is a structured intervention that gives communities greater control over the conditions that affects their lives. Explain this statement giving relevant examples. **(10 marks)**

b. Discuss the relationship between community participation and community mobilization. **(6 marks)**

c. Explain the concept of Community mobilization giving relevant examples. **(14 marks)**

Q2. Describe the difference between a theory and a model in reference to community mobilization. **(6 marks)**

b. Identify a theory of your choice and explain its concept and relevance to community mobilization giving examples where applicable. **(14 marks)**

Q3. Before embarking on a community mobilization program, it is important for the change agent to clearly understand the process. Discuss this statement. **(20 marks)**

- Q4. Imagine being the Programs Officer of a development organization XYZ that focuses on ensuring sustainable livelihoods of the drought stricken regions of the country. You realize that two groups in the organization are conflicting over which area should be given priority. Explain how you would handle the situation amicably and ensure a win-win situation. **(20 marks)**
- Q5. a. Explain the importance understanding the concept of group dynamics before embarking on a community mobilization program. **(5 marks)**
- b. Explore Tuckman's Five Stages of Group Development. **(15 marks)**

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