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MAIN EXAMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY

DIPLOMA IN COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY

DCP 019: TERMINAL ILLNESS AND HIV/AIDS COUNSELING

DATE: APRIL 2024

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

Q1.

- a) Define the following terms:
- i) Hospice (2 Marks)
  - ii) Disease (2 Marks)
  - iii) Terminal illness (2 Marks)
  - iv) HIV/AIDS (2 Marks)
  - v) Palliative care (2 Marks)
- b) Identify and briefly describe five infectious diseases (5 Marks)
- c) Identify the causes of cancer (5 Marks)
- d) Discuss five risk factors that can promote chronic diseases (5 Marks)
- e) Identify and describe two types of diabetes (5 Marks)

Q2.

- a) Giving relevant examples, critically discuss challenges faced by people infected with HIV/AIDS (10 Marks)
- b) In detail discuss the impact of HIV/AIDS on the affected families (10 Marks)

**Q3.**

Discuss the qualities of an effective counselor working in a palliative care unit. **(20 Marks)**

**Q4.**

a) Identify and explain the needs of the terminally ill patients **(8 Marks)**

b) Describe the counseling strategies and support services needed by the terminally ill people in Kenya **(12 Marks)**

**Q5.**

Discuss the infection control strategies that were used by the Ministry of Health in controlling the spread of **Corona** virus **(20 Marks)**

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