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MAIN EXAMINATION

MAY – AUGUST 2019 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

CSW 102/DSSW 102: BASIC SOCIAL WORK THEORY

Date: JULY 2019

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

- Q1. a) Define a theory in social work **(2 marks)**
b) Using relevant examples explain the importance of social work theories in promoting social change and problem solving in human relationships. **(15 marks)**
c) In explaining human behavior Freud believed that id, ego, and superego are in constant conflict. Explain this statement using relevant examples **(13 marks)**
- Q2. Critically examine the Psychosexual Stages of development by Sigmund Freud and their relevance to social work **(20 marks)**
- Q3. Discuss the applicability of the social learning theory to social work practice making use of the following concepts. **(20 marks)**
i. Observational Learning
ii. Model
iii. Attention
iv. Retention
v. Reproduction
vi. Motivation
vii. Mental state
- Q4. Describe the systems theory critically examining its application in social work **(20 marks)**
- Q5. Using the four stages of cognitive development explain the relevance of cognitive theory to social work citing relevant examples? **(20 marks)**

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