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**SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (NURSING)**

NURU 274: COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING I.

STREAMS: BSc N Upgrading (Y2T2)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE:.....

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INSTRUCTIONS:

- Do not write anything on the question paper.
- Mobile phones and any other reference materials are NOT allowed in the examination room.
- The paper has two sections. Answer ALL questions
- Number ALL your answers and indicate the order of appearance in the space provided in the cover page of the examination answer booklet.

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS (45 MKS)

1. In the organization of health care in Kenya, differentiate between the KEPH levels of care and TIERS of care. (5mks)
2. Outline four (4) developmental milestones present in a child of six months (4mks)
3. Explain the role of a nurse in management of patients with special needs. (4mks)
4. Explain the anthropometric measures carried out in monitoring child health (8mks)
5. Briefly explain two (2) social services available in the community. (4mks)
6. Whooping cough (Pertusis) is a communicable disease against which children are immunized
 - a. What is the causative organism 2mks
 - b. Outline the four stages through which Pertusis progress (6 mks)
 - c. State three (3) ways of preventing Pertusis. (3mks)
7. Explain any three pillars of school health program (9mks)

LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS (25 mks)

1. **Integrated Management of Neonatal and Childhood Illness** is a systematic approach to children's health which focuses on the whole child. Explain this statement. (10mks)
2. Two vehicles have just collided on the nearby highway injuring many people, some of whom are in critical condition and others have died. Assuming you are among the first responders on the scene, explain the flow of events until the whole incident is cleared (15mks)