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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF CERTIFICATE IN DISASTER
MANAGEMENT**

DIMA 00252: FIRST AID

STREAMS: CERT Y2S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 22/03/2021

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer ALL questions.**

SECTION A SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS (40 MARKS)

1. Explain three aims of first aid. (6 marks)
2. Outline three points of hygiene that can be practiced during resuscitation. (3 marks)
3. Explain the FAST test check, carried out on stroke patients. (4 marks)
4. State three airway causes of hypoxia. (3 marks)
5. Name three signs of choking. (3 marks)
6. Outline three main areas that a first aider should check for pulse. (3 marks)
7. List down three common causes of life threatening shock. (3 marks)
8. Explain the steps involved in treating a casualty who has fainted. (5 marks)
9. Name three types of wounds and their basic treatment. (6 marks)
10. Explain four ways in which poison can enter the body. (4 marks)

SECTION B: LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS (30 MARKS)

1. Describe the seven steps emergency action plan in a first aid situation. (14 marks)
 2. Describe the procedure of conducting a cardio-pulmonary resuscitation. (16 marks)
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