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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

CDEV 0102: GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

STREAMS: ODEL

TIME:2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 13/04/2023

8.30 A.M. –10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

SECTION A

QUESTION ONE

1. a) State and explain the key roles performed by women in society. (9 marks)
- b) Using appropriate examples, explain agents of gender socialization and starting with the most powerful and immediate agent to a young child. (11 marks)
- c) Differentiate between the following terms used in gender and development (10 marks)
 - i. Gender and sex
 - ii. Gender equality and gender equity
 - iii. Practical and strategic gender needs

SECTION B

QUESTION TWO

- a) Gender construction in rural and urban communities varies. Explain the factors that cause such variations. (10 marks)
- b) Using appropriate examples, explains key actors in gender deconstruction. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) With the use of examples, state and explain forms of gender violence in Kenya. (10 marks)

- b) Female genital mutilation (FGM) is harmful and illegal practice in Kenya. Explain the factors contributing to its high persistence in some areas like Kajiando. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) State and explain critical areas of concern which are considered the greatest obstacles to women's advancement and development. (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the causes of gender based violence. (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) The government of Kenya has done much to reduce women discrimination. Discuss the various ways that can help to increase gender equity (10 marks)
- b) Explain the effects of gender violence at family and national levels. (10 marks)
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