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SECOND YEAR SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

HCM 202: COMMUNITY EXTENSION SERVICES

DATE: 26/9/2019

TIME: 11:00 – 1:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- This paper consists of **FIVE** questions
- Answer **QUESTION ONE** and **ANY OTHER TWO** questions
- Question One carries 30 marks
- Question 2-5 carry 20 marks each

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)

- a) Define the following terms as used in Community Extension Services:-
- i) Physical problems (2 marks)
 - ii) Non-physical problems (2 marks)
 - iii) Sustainability (2 marks)
 - iv) Rural Development (2 marks)
 - v) Community Extension Service (2 marks)
- b) State **three (3)** objectives which illustrate the three forms of development. (6 marks)
- c) State **two (2)** reasons why resources should be channelled towards rural development in the society. (4 marks)
- d) Explain **two (2)** basic principles of community extension services (4 marks)
- e) Elaborate **three (3)** strategies to be considered in rural development. (6 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Effective communication is very important for the success of community extension programs. Briefly elaborate **five (5)** methods of communication you would use in the implementation of such programs in the community. (10 marks)
- b) As a community extension service provider, explore **five (5)** factors influencing community extension service programs. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Learning and adoption of concepts or ideas during community extension service programs occur in **five (5)** main stages. Briefly state and explain these stages. (10 marks)
- b) State and briefly describe the **two (2)** main types of extension services while citing relevant examples. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) There are **five (5)** social divisions in every community, briefly explain why such divisions should be considered in the process of community extension programmes (10 marks)
- b) State and briefly explain **five (5)** reasons why it is important to conduct an evaluation of community extension programs. (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Community Extension Agents must possess certain qualities to enable them achieve their goals. Briefly examine **five (5)** such qualities. (10 marks)
- b) Briefly explain **five (5)** ways through which a community extension agent enhances Motivation and Self-confidence in the community members. (10 marks)