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#### **QUESTION 1**

- 1.1 Define the concept disaster and give relevant examples. (1x5)=(5)
- 1.2 List eight (8) possible sources of a disaster related to your workplace. (1x8)=(8)
- 1.3 The employer has a duty to inform employees about hazards/risks and train them in possible disaster occurrences and preparedness. Is this statement true or false? Briefly discuss.
  (1x10)=(10)
- 1.4 Discuss the role of the occupational health nurse regarding the management of communicable non work-related diseases in the workplace. (1x10)=(10)

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#### **QUESTION 2**

- 2.1 Discuss principles of chronic disease management at work place. (1x10)=(10)
- 2.2 Explain the principles of care to apply in work related dermatitis/skin diseases. (1x11)=(11)

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# **QUESTION 3**

**<u>Discuss</u>** the biological hazards at work place under the following:

- 3.1 How do employees contract diseases from biological hazards. (1x6)=(6)
- 3.2 Measures you will put in place to prevent manage and control hazards. (1x12)=(12)
- 3.3 Discuss the role of the occupational health nurse practitioner regarding the following:
  - 3.3.1 Curative health services (1x5)=5)
  - 3.3.2 Rehabilitation of injured employees. (1x6=6)

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# **QUESTION 4**

4.1 Discuss the importance and role of personal protective equipment and Clothing' in preventing work-related injuries and diseases. (1x10)=10)

4.2 Discuss measures to put in place in response to HIV at work place.

(1x7=7)

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#### **QUESTION 1**

1.1 Define the concept disaster and give relevant examples. (1x5)=(5)

1.2 List five (5) possible sources of a disaster related to your workplace. (1x5)=(5)

1.3 Describe the role of the occupational health nurse practitioner regarding emergency planning and management in the workplace. (1x15)=(15)

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# **QUESTION 2**

- 2.1 A good communication process is an essential element during disaster management. Do you agree or disagree with this statement?
  - 2.1.1 Motivate your answer by giving relevant practical examples. (1x5)=(5)
- 2.2 The employer has a duty to inform employees about hazards/risks and train them in possible disaster occurrences and preparedness. Is this statement true or false? Briefly discuss. (1x10)=(10)
- 2.3 Discuss the role of the occupational health nurse regarding the management of communicable non work-related diseases in the workplace. (1x10)=(10)

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# **QUESTION 3**

3.1 Carefully read the scenario created below and answer the questions that follow thereafter.

# **SCENARIO**

You are the occupational health nurse practitioner for company Y, which is a large-scale agricultural industry with limited resources. You have noticed an increase in the number of skin-related conditions among employees.

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# Based on the above scenario, answer the following questions:

- 3.1 What is the classification and nature of these conditions? (1x3)=(3)
- 3.2 Explain the obligations or duties of the employer and employee? (10x10)=(10)
- 3.3 What appropriate interventions would you recommend? (1x12)=(12)

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# **QUESTION 4**

- 4.1 Discuss the role of the occupational health nurse practitioner regarding the following:
  - 4.1.1 Collaboration and provision of first aid in the workplace. (1x5)=(5)
  - 4.1.3 Rehabilitation of injured employees. (1x5)=(5)
- 4.2 Discuss the importance and role of personal protective equipment and Clothing' in preventing work-related injuries and diseases. (1x10)=(10)

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