



UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG

JANUARY SUPPLEMENTARY EXAM 2019

COURSE: SOCIAL WORK 3JB3

TIME: 3 HOURS

PAPER:

MARKS: 100

SECTION A: HEALTH ILLNESS AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT

SECTION B: CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT ISSUES

SUBJECT CODE: SCW3JB3/SCW3FB3/MAW3F21

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SECTION A: HEALTH, ILLNESS AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT

THIS SECTION HAS 3 QUESTIONS: ANSWER ANY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS

ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS

QUESTION ONE

25 marks

- 1.1. Describe the different routes of transmission of HIV from a mother to her child (8 marks)
- 1.2. Describe three things that can be done medically to reduce the risk of mother to child transmission of HIV during child birth. (8 marks)
- 1.3. Discuss social work interventions can be implemented to prevent mother to child transmission of HIV (9 marks)

QUESTION 2

25 marks

Mr. Makhaba is 62 years old and his wife of 33 years died recently of heart disease. Although the heart disease was diagnosed 2 years ago, her death came as a shock, as it seemed the illness was being controlled with medication. Mr. Makhaba has two sons, both of whom are married, and one of their wives is expecting their first baby. Mr. Makhaba has been referred to you by his GP, who is concerned about his mental health.

- 2.1. Describe and discuss the losses Mr. Makhaba might be experiencing (10 marks)
- 2.2. How would you use Worden's Tasks of Mourning to work with Mr. Makhaba (15 marks)

QUESTION 3

25 marks

- 3.1. Discuss the following statement; “Health and poverty are inextricably linked” (Murray, 2006). (10 marks)
- 3.2. How can improving education contribute to improving health? (5 marks)
- 3.3. What social work interventions can be implemented to improve the health of the people in our communities? (10 marks)

SECTION B: CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT ISSUES

ANSWER ANY TWO FROM THE THREE QUESTIONS

QUESTION 4

- 4.1. Define social development. In your definition, show the different nuances to the understanding of what this approach is and stress its intentions, especially in the South African context. (12.5 marks).
- 4.2. Discuss any two of Patel’s (2005) pillars of social development. (12.5 marks)

QUESTION 5

Social development has a long history and seems to have gained momentum, especially after the Second World War. Trace the evolution of social development, both in Europe and more importantly, in South Africa. Also stress the events that helped in it being a preferred approach to social welfare. (25 marks)

QUESTION 6

The African National Congress (ANC)-led government promulgated various policies to address an array of challenges inherited from the previous apartheid administration. Critically discuss these policies, explaining how they or do not feed into the developmental social welfare agenda. (25 marks)