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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
PSYCHOLOGY**

PSYC 221: COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY

STREAMS: B.PSYC

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 25/03/2021

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Answer question one and any other two**
- **Do not write on the question paper**

Question one

- (a) Describe three aims of community Psychology. (6 marks)
- (b) Outline two types of prevention advocated by Community Psychology in the reduction of psychopathology. (4 marks)
- (c) Discuss the application of any two components of the ecological process in the psychological empowerment of youth in Kenya. (10 marks)
- (d) Examine the development of community psychology in any two countries. Focus on the development based on starting point and formalization of the discipline (10 marks)

Question two

Discuss with relevant examples, the importance of applying any five strategies to reduce psychopathology in Kenya. (20 marks)

Question three

Critically evaluate four steps of the social stress process model and explain its significance to the prevention of psychopathology in the community. (20 marks)

Question four

- (a) Distinguish between community psychology and clinical psychology. (5 marks)
 - (b) Describe the three components of social support and explain their relevance in managing psycho-pathology. (15 marks)
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