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Teaching Period	Semester 1, 2018				

NUR329 – Public Health: the Australian Perspective	DURATION	
	Reading Time:	10 minutes
	Writing Time:	120 minutes
INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES		
<p>The examination has 2 sections.</p> <p>Section A: 40 marks - Marks for each question are/are not of equal value Suggested Time: 40 mins Multiple Choice Questions: Answer ALL (40) questions. Mark your MCQ response on the provided answer sheet by ticking or colouring the chosen response</p> <p>Section B: 60 marks Suggested Time: 80 mins Short Essay Questions: Answer ALL (6) questions</p>		
EXAM CONDITIONS		
<p><u>You may begin writing from the commencement of the examination session.</u> The reading time indicated above is provided as a guide only.</p>		
This is a CLOSED BOOK examination		
No calculators are permitted		
No handwritten notes are permitted		
No dictionaries are permitted		
ADDITIONAL AUTHORISED MATERIALS	EXAMINATION MATERIALS TO BE SUPPLIED	
No additional printed material is permitted	1 x 8 Page Book 1 x 4-Multiple Choice Answer Sheet	

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NUR 329 Section A

Multiple Choice Questions

NUR 329 Section B

Short Answer Questions

Total No of Marks for this section: 60

This section should be answered in the Answer Booklet provided.

Marks for each question are indicated.

Suggested Time allocation for Section B: 80 mins

Question 1

Public health presents an important part of Australia's health care system.

- A. The Australian Public Health Association of Australia (PHAA) describes public health as being an art and science, what do they mean by this? (4 marks)
- B. Outline three (3) main aims of public health. (3 marks)
- C. What are the three (3) tiers of Australian government that contribute to public health? (3 marks)

(Total Marks: 10)

Question 2

Within public health, recognising and understanding health determinants and risk factors is very important.

- A. List four (4) modifiable risk factors for disease. (4 marks)
- B. List four (4) non-modifiable risk factors. (4 marks)
- C. Provide a brief outline of the social determinants of health. (2 marks)

(Total Marks: 10)

Question 3

In considering the changing patterns in Australia's health we often refer to colonisation. This is particularly relevant to indigenous health as it has caused many health disparities.

- A. What does colonisation mean with reference to our Indigenous population? (3 marks)
- B. Provide an outline of three (3) main factors in which colonisation has negatively affected the health of our indigenous population. (6 marks)
- C. What is the title of the main government strategy/policy plan which was formed to address indigenous health disparities in Australia? (1 mark)

(Total Marks: 10)

Question 4

In Assessment 2 for NUR329 you were asked to prepare a health promotion project. This consisted of 8 main criteria for consideration when developing a health promotion project.

- A. Reflecting on this project what would be four (4) considerations when planning and preparing a health promotion/education resource on the ill effects of smoking for a target group of teenagers in high school? Do not include health literacy as one of your considerations. (8 marks)
- B. When developing a health promotion project why do we need to consider health literacy levels? (2 marks)

(Total Marks: 10)

Question 5

Epidemiology is an important part of public health and consists of many different areas of health such as the Centre for Disease Control.

- A. Provide a definition of epidemiology. (2 marks)
- B. What are four (4) functions of the Centre for Disease Control. (2 marks)
- C. How might you see epidemiology used in the nursing profession, outline three (3) examples? (6 marks)

(Total Marks: 10)

Question 6

In understanding global public health and globalisation we looked at the roles of the United Nations and World Health Organisation and it was recognised that there are many challenges ahead.

- A. Provide a definition for globalisation in relation to public health. (2 marks)
- B. Provide two (2) examples of how globalisation has affected health. (2 marks)
- C. Outline three (3) public health challenges we face as we move into the 21st century. (6 marks)

(Total Marks: 10)

END OF SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

Total 6 questions and 60 marks