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Teaching Period	Semester 1, 2019				

NUR329 – Public Health: the Australian Perspective	DURATION	
	Reading Time:	10 minutes
	Writing Time:	120minutes
INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES		
<p>The examination has 2 sections. Section A: 40 marks - Marks for each question are of equal value Suggested Time: 40 mins Multiple Choice Questions: Answer ALL (40) questions on the MCQ answer sheet provided.</p> <p>Section B: 60 marks Suggested Time: 80 mins Short Essay Questions: Answer ALL parts of the (6) questions in the answer booklet provided</p> <p>Total marks for this examination: 100</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 16 Page Book 1 x 4-Multiple Choice Answer Sheet	

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NUR 329 Section A

Multiple Choice Questions

Total No of Marks for this section: 40

This section must be answered on the Multiple-Choice Answer Sheet provided. Please ensure that your name and student number have been written on the answer sheet and placed in the completed answer booklet.

Marks for each question are indicated.

Suggested Time allocation for Section A: 40 mins

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. Please ensure your name and student number have been written on the answer booklet.

Marks for each question are indicated.

Suggested Time allocation for Section B: 80 mins

Question 1

Changes in public health over the last 160 years show how old and new public health has evolved to incorporate an ecological public health model.

- A) Provide 3 features of ecological public health (Marks: 3)
- B) Outline 4 core functions of public health as it is represented in Australia today (Marks: 4)
- C) List the three levels of government who contribute to public health in Australia (Marks: 3)

(Total marks for question 1: 10)

Question 2

Within NUR329 you have been introduced to public health concepts involving food and nutrition.

- A) Provide an outline of what is meant by food literacy (Marks: 4)
- B) Provide an outline of what is meant by food security (Marks: 4)
- C) List 2 examples of Australian communities most at risk of food insecurity (Marks: 2)

(Total marks for question 2: 10)

Question 3

The burden of disease and injury is a measuring concept developed by the World Health Organisation (WHO) which is now used globally.

- A) Provide an outline of what the burden of disease & injury is designed to demonstrate (Marks: 5)
- B) The Australian Institute of Health and Welfare provides specific characteristics to define chronic disease, provide an outline of these characteristics (Marks: 5)

(Total marks for question 3: 10)

Question 4

There are specific health strategies implemented in investigating and controlling infectious disease outbreaks in Australia and epidemiology forms a crucial part in this.

- A) Provide a definition for epidemiology (Marks: 2)
- B) Describe communicable disease from a public health perspective (Marks: 2)
- C) Name 4 vaccine preventable diseases (Marks: 2)
- D) Provide an outline of the role of Australia's Office of Health Protection (Marks: 4)

(Total marks for question 4: 10)

Question 5

People living in rural and remote regions have different health outcomes than those in major cities and these have been presented clearly by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

Many studies have identified common trends in these health disparities and clearly identified the factors contributing to them.

- A) Provide an outline of the social determinants of health that contribute to health inequalities in remote Indigenous communities

(Total marks for question 5: 10)

Question 6

A key concept in Public Health is health promotion.

A) Describe what health promotion is and its purpose (Marks: 5)

B) Name 3 of the 5 strategies of the Ottawa Charter (Marks: 3)

C) Give 1 example of health promotion in action in Australia today (Marks 2)

(Total marks for question 6: 10)

END OF SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS