



THE CO-OPERATIVE UNIVERSITY OF KENYA

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**EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF CO-OPERATIVE COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT**

UNIT CODE: BOCD 1101

UNIT TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

DATE: WEDNESDAY, 21ST DECEMBER, 2022

TIME: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

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INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question ONE (compulsory) and any other TWO questions**

QUESTION ONE

- a) How do Methods of Community Work compared to Methods of Social Work? (3marks)
- b) In implementing community projects, a community worker must understand and apply different methods of community work in their interventions. Discuss any THREE such methods. (15marks)
- c) Describe methods of social work. (12marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Differentiate between human capital and financial capital. (2marks)
- b) Citing practical and relevant examples from Kenya. (4 marks)
- c) Explain Community Development skills. (4 marks)
- d) Using practical examples from Kenya, describe Asset Based Community Development (ABCD) showing how it differs in meaning and in practice from Needs Based Community Development. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Assume you have been employed to work as a community organizer in your county and you have identified insecurity as an issue around which you want to organize the locals to address.

- a) Discuss FIVE principles that will guide you as a community worker. (10marks)
- b) Describe FIVE possible roles that you will play as a community organizer. (10marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Giving relevant examples, describe FIVE challenges of community work. (10marks)
- b) What are the possible solutions to the identified challenges above? (5 marks)
- c) What specific role are you likely to play as a community worker in addressing each identified challenge. (5 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Define community development theory (2 marks)
- b) State three functions of community development theories (2marks)
- c) Citing relevant examples, show how you would apply two community development theories as applied in community projects. (16marks)

