

# JOMO KENYATTA UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2023/2024** 

# END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC HEALTH

PPH 3101: PRINCIPLES OF PUBLIC HEALTH, HEATH EDUCATION AND PROMOTION

**DATE: AUGUST 2023** 

TIME: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS

### QUESTION ONE

Discuss the role of epidemiology in public health. How can the findings from epidemiological studies inform public health interventions and policies?(25 marks)

#### **QUESTION TWO**

Discuss the challenges and opportunities of community engagement in promoting health and addressing health disparities. Provide examples of successful community-led initiatives in Kenya. (25 marks)

#### **QUESTION THREE**

Discuss the interlinkages between different SDGs and their impact on public health. Provide examples of how addressing one SDG can have positive effects on other related goals. (25 marks)

# **QUESTION FOUR**

Describe the importance of effective communication in health promotion. Provide examples of communication strategies that can be used to promote behavior change and improve health outcomes in a specific population.(25 marks)

# **QUESTION FIVE**

Discuss the importance of effective waste management for public health. Identify the challenges in waste management in Kenya and propose strategies to promote sustainable waste management practices.(25 marks)

#### **QUESTION SIX**

Discuss the ethical considerations in conducting public health research involving human subjects. Describe the principles and guidelines that should be followed to protect the rights and well-being of research participants.(25 marks)