UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING SCIENCE

MAIN EXAMINATION- SECOND SEMESTER MAY 2016

COURSE CODE:

NUR 407

COURSE TITLE:

COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING II

TIME ALLOWED:

2 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS:

75

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. THE PAPER HAS THREE (3) QUESTIONS WITH 25 MARKS EACH
- 2. ANSWER <u>ALL</u> QUESTIONS
- 3. DO NOT OPEN THE QUESTION PAPER UNTIL PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE CHIEF INVIGILATOR.
- 4. ACADEMIC DISHONESTY WILL BE PENALISED IN ACCORDANCE TO ACADEMIC REGULATIONS.

QUESTION 1

1.1 Read the scenario below and answer the questions that follow.

You are the Senior Nurse at Mbalenhle clinic and you plan to have a screening campaign for Diabetes Mellitus within your community. Posters informing the community about the screening activity are placed in strategic places such as the clinic, the shops, local school and bus stops. On the day of the screening activity you record about 35% of the community members who have come for screening. In trying to understand why the campaign was not a success you utilize the Health Belief Model (HBM). In each of the six (6) constructs discuss what you would have to assess for.

(18 marks)

1.2 At what level is the HBM classified?

(1 mark)

1.3 Describe the three (3) evaluation strategies applied in the PRECEDE-PROCEED Model of health promotion. (6 marks)

TOTAL = 25 MARKS

QUESTION 2

Read the scenario below and answer the questions that follow.

Nurse Matse has been hired by the recently opened Lufafa Mine in Northern Hhohho. She is trying to set up an efficient Occupational Health service at the mine and has some important considerations to take care of for the success of the service.

- 2.1 Deliberate on any five (5) of the functions she has to fulfill as the mine Occupational Health Nurse. (15 marks)
- 2.2 Describe five (5) occupational hazards that Lufafa mine workers are likely to be exposed to.
 (10 marks)

TOTAL =25 MARKS

QUESTION 3

- 3.1 Community nutrition strives to prevent disease, promote health, nutrition and well-being of individuals and groups within communities. Discuss the influence of the following factors on community nutrition:

 (5 marks each)
 - Demographic trends
 - Dietary habits
 - Sources of information
 - Beliefs
 - Behaviors

TOTAL

= 25 MARKS