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### **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2023/2024**

FOURTH YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR  
OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT

#### **HPC 3414: GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT**

**DATE: JANUARY 2025**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer All the questions in Section A and any other Two in Section B**

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#### **SECTION A (30 MARKS)**

1. Define the following terms; (6 Marks)
  - a) Gender Equity
  - b) Sex
  - c) Gender Mainstreaming
2. Briefly describe Gender Equity Versus Gender Equality. (6 Marks)
3. State the importance of Gender issues in Development. (6 Marks)
4. Distinguish between gender and sex. (6 Marks)
5. Define and briefly describe gender socialization. (6 Marks)

#### **SECTION B (ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS) (20 MARKS EACH)**

1. In recent years gender equality has become the focus of the Gender and Development (GAD) approach, a focus which is reflected in the Platform for Action of the 1995 Fourth World



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2. Conference on Women held in Beijing. Discuss twelve critical areas of concern during this women conference in Beijing. (20 Marks)
3. Discuss Gender and the Millennium Development Goals. (20 Marks)
4. Discuss gender and sex. (20 Marks)



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