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**University Examinations 2015/2016**

FOURTH YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC HEALTH

**HPP 3456: CONTROL AND PREVENTION OF NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASE**

**DATE: NOVEMBER 2015 TIME: 2 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** *Answer question* ***one*** *and any other* ***two*** *questions*

**QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

1. Explain why non-communicable diseases are important in public health? (8 Marks)
2. Discuss dental canies (6 Marks)
3. Explain the role of mental illnesses in non-communicable health problem (4Marks)
4. Discuss stress as a non-communicable health problem (5 Marks)
5. Name seven substances commonly abused (7 Marks)

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

Discuss cardio vascular disease in details. (20 Marks)

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

In your own words describe road traffic accidents in Kenya with emphasis on motorcycle (boda boda) accidents. (20 Marks)

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

Differentiate between upper respiratory disease and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease.

(20 Marks)