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SOCIAL WORK LEVEL 6

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CARRY OUT CHILD WELFARE PROGRAMME

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**TVET CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT, ASSESSMENT AND CERTIFICATION
COUNCIL (TVET CDACC)
WRITTEN ASSESSMENT**

TIME:3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

1. This paper consists of two sections; **A** and **B**
2. Answer **ALL** the question as guided in each section
3. Marks for each question are as indicated in the brackets
4. You are provided with a separate answer booklet to answer the questions
5. Do not write in this question paper

This paper consists of FOUR (4) printed pages

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SECTION A: (40 MARKS)

Answer all questions in section provided

1. You have been tasked by the Ministry of Gender, Child, and Protection to develop a monitoring and evaluation framework. Formulate **FOUR** indicators you will develop to monitor the effectiveness of community-based child protection intervention programs. (4 Marks)
2. Informal child protection mechanisms throughout much of the world are based on cultural and traditional definitions of child protection that may not be in line with international or national laws. Mention **FOUR** cultural practices that hinder child protection in the community. (4 Marks)
3. According to Article 2 of the convention on the rights of the child, the state Parties shall respect and ensure the rights outlined without discrimination of any kind. Highlight **FOUR** grounds on which children are discriminated against in society. (4 Marks)
4. Care Centre means facility that provides child care services, but does not include a family home. State **FOUR** categories of children you are likely to find in the care centers. (4 Marks)
5. Collecting data from children and communities always raises ethical questions and concerns. Identify **FOUR** ethical considerations during the assessment process. (4 Marks)
6. You have been tasked by the children's department to determine whether services provided to children in need are addressed. Mention **FOUR** ways you will use to follow up. (4 Marks)
7. Systems for dealing differently with children in trouble with the law have existed for more than a century. List **FOUR** key players and stakeholders concerned with juvenile justice. (4 Marks)
8. In Kenya, the Government has developed and adopted policies and enacted laws to protect children. List **FOUR** components of the child protection policy. (4 Marks)
9. Some people routinely use defense mechanisms as a way of avoiding their feelings and emotions or excusing their behavior. Outline **FOUR** defense mechanisms that children use to continuously engage in malicious behavior. (4 Marks)
10. Case referral is the process of directing or redirecting a child and the caregivers to an agency for appropriate services. Identify **FOUR** challenges faced during the referral of children in need of special services. (4 Marks)

SECTION B: (60 MARKS)

Question 11 is compulsory and ANSWER ANY OTHER TWO in this section

11. CASE STUDY

Ram a 14-year-old boy drank poison and was found by his grandmother. He had been taken to hospital for treatment and later referred to a children's center where you are currently employed. Ram's grandmother is 67 years old and she says that Ram lives with his mother and father. Ram's father drinks alcohol and when he is drunk, he beats Ram's mother. Ram has tried to stop his father from beating his mother. Ram's mother has been calling Ram a "no good" and tells him that he is like his father since Ram prefers not to go to school and to go out with his friends. Ram does not like school because the teachers call him a dunce. He does not have money for clothes and sometimes he is hungry. His mother has two younger children and Ram. Ram says that his mother only looks after the younger children and not him. Ram drank poison because his mother accused him of stealing some money. He says he did not steal the money and he might as well be dead.

- a) List **TWO** tools you can use to assess Ram before being admitted in the institution. (2 Marks)
- b) Explain **TWO** forms of abuse in this case. (4 Marks)
- c) State **TWO** emotional effects that Ram is likely to suffer from. (2 Marks)
- d) Explain **THREE** needs of Ram from the Assessment Framework that have to be addressed in this case. (6 Marks)
- e) For each need identified in 2 above, explain how you address the needs. (6 Marks)

12. You have been invited by community X to be a facilitator as they conduct a workshop on public education programs on child protection

- a) Discuss **FIVE** child protection issues you will present to the members in attendance. (10 Marks)
- b) Propose **FIVE** intervention measures towards eradicating the issues. (10 Marks)

13. Court decisions in cases involving minors are based on a social inquiry report prepared by the child welfare authority.

- a) Describe **FIVE** components of a social inquiry report. (10 Marks)
- b) Case documentation provides accountability for both the activities and the outcomes of the work. Explain **FIVE** strategies you will adopt to ensure that documented information is safe. (10 Marks)

14. The Department of Children's Services has the overall mandate of guiding case management in issues concerning children.

- a) Discuss **FIVE** roles of the department in the current situation in Kenya. (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss **FIVE** reasons behind the increase in cases handled by the child protection offices (10 Marks)

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