**KENYA MEDICAL TRAINING COLLEGE – NYAMIRA**

**END OF YEAR 2 SEMESTER 1 EXAMINATION**

**MARCH 2013 KRCHN CLASS (PRE-SERVICE)**

**PSYCHIATRY EXAMINATION**

DATE: 25/2/2015 TIME:8.30 – 11.30pm

**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Enter your examination number and question number on each page used.
2. ALL questions are compulsory.
3. For part 1 (MCQs), write the answer in the spaces provided on the answer booklet.
4. For Part 2 (SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS), answer the questions following each other.
5. For Part 3 (LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS), answer to each question MUST start on a separate page.
6. Omission of and or wrong numbering of a question or part of the question will result in 10% deduction of the marks scored from the relevant part.
7. Do NOT use a pencil.
8. Mobile phones are NOT allowed in the examination hall.

For Examiner:

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| **MCQS** | **SAQS** | **LAQS 1** | **LAQS 2** | **TOTAL** |
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**PART TWO: SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS – PSYCHIATRY – 30 MARKS**

Q.1. State four (4) objectives of the mental health act 1989. 4 marks

Q.2. List six (6) forms of relaxation therapy that can be used when nursing a

psychiatric patient. 3 marks

Q.3. State five (5) symptomatic criteria for diagnosis major depressive illness. 5 marks

Q.4. Explain five (5) behavioural therapies utilized in managing psychiatric patients. 5 marks

Q.5. Outline three (3) important legal aspects in psychiatry. 3 marks

Q.6. Briefly explain four (4) classes of antidepressants. 4 marks

Q.7. Outline six (6) nursing interventions in the care of a patient admitted with

obsessive compulsive disorder. 6 marks

**PART THREE: LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS – PSYCHIATRY – 20 MARKS**

Q.1. Mrs Y 35 years old a single mother of five is admitted in a psychiatric unit with a diagnosis of schizophrenia.

(a) List any two (2) types of schizophrenia. 1 mark

(b) List four (4) predisposing factors to Mrs Y’s condition. 2 marks

(c) Describe the management of Mrs Y while in the ward till discharge. 12 marks

(d) Formulate three (3) nursing diagnosis for Mrs Y. 5 marks