



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL
SCIENCES AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES
DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL WORK**

COURSE CODE: DSW 2223

**COURSE TITLE: HUMANITARIAN CRISIS AND
DISASTER MANAGEMENT**

DATE: 6TH DECEMBER, 2022

TIME: 1430-1630

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions

This paper consists of TWO printed pages. Please turn over.

QUESTION ONE

1a.) Write lucid notes on the following course related terms:

- i. Disaster
- ii. Humanitarian crisis
- iii. Vulnerability
- iv. Conflict **(8 marks)**

b.) With significant illustrations, explain any five causes of humanitarian crises in Africa **(10 marks)**

c.) Discuss the role of non-governmental actors in the prevention and management of disasters **(12 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

2a.) Underscore the pertinent variants of vulnerability **(6 marks)**

b.) Using relevant examples, illuminate on the various types of disasters based on their cause **(14 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

3a.) As a pundit in disaster management, suggest the mitigation strategies that can be used to avert the grievous consequences of Covid-19 disaster. **(10 marks)**

b.) Discuss any five mandates of the National Disaster Management Authority in the realm of disaster management **(10 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

4.) Using the situational analysis approach to disaster prevention and management, assess the prevalence of natural and anthropogenic disasters in Kenya **(20 marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

5.) From the socio-economic and political perspectives, explain the debilitating impacts of disasters in the context of Rwanda Genocide of 1994 **(20 marks)**

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