



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF PEACE STUDIES AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION
SEPTEMBER 2020_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO EARLY WARNING MECHANISM

COURSE CODE: PCR372

COURSE UNIT-3

TIME ALLOWED- 3 HRS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS OUT OF SIX. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS OF 17.5

- 1) a) The definition of conflict can be seen in two different angles. Discuss using Hyden' (2006) analysis of early warning mechanism? (12.5 marks)
b) Define conflict using the two broad context of early warning? (5 marks)
- 2) Identify and briefly explain the variables that indicate early warning signs of conflict in our various communities? (17.5 marks)
- 3) Briefly discuss five (5) agencies with the responsibility of detecting and communicating early warning signs of violent conflict within our immediate environment? (17.5 marks)
- 4) Identify and explain various response steps to early warning signs of conflict? (17.5 marks)
- 5) Discuss the institution put in place for the management of Nigeria's diversity since independence? (17.5 marks)
- 6) Discuss the evaluation of early response using the following terms
 - i. Relief response (5 marks)
 - ii. Political response (5 marks)
 - iii. Economic response (5 marks)

2.5 for the definition of the basic concept