



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF NURSING SCIENCES
2025_2 EXAMINATIONS

PROGRAMME: BACHELOR OF NURSING SCIENCE
COURSE CODE: NSC312
COURSE TITLE: MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH NURSING II
COURSE CREDIT UNITS: 3 UNITS
TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS
TOTAL SCORE: 70 MARKS
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

- 1 a) Draw a well-labelled lateral image of the female breast (6 marks)
- b) List 7 essential conditions for a successful lactation (3¹/₂ marks)
- c) List 4 advantages of breastfeeding each to the mother and infant (8 marks)
- d) Write briefly on home visiting (2¹/₂ marks)

- 2 a) Describe the 'subsequent care of the newborn' (10 marks)
- b) Describe the developmental milestones from birth to 5 years (10 marks)
- c) What are the major contributions of Piaget to child development? (5 marks)

- 1 a) i. What does **Concept 5** of the newborn care address (6 marks)
- ii. List six (6) common characteristic of newborn respiration (6 marks)
- b) Initiation of breathing is a complex process, describe the factors that aid this process (8 marks)
- c) What do you understand by 'family adjustment'? (5 marks)