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FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH SCIENCE
2025_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY REPRODUCTIVE AND ADOLESCENT HEALTH (PHS401)

CREDIT UNIT: 3 Units

TOTAL SCORE: 70 Marks

TIME ALLOWED: 2 Hr

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

1a. With the use of examples, explain the distinguishing characteristics of the following signs and symptoms associated with pregnancy **(9marks)**

- i. Probable signs of pregnancy (3 Marks)
- ii. Possible signs of pregnancy (3 Marks)
- iii. Positive Signs of pregnancy (3 Marks)

1b. With clear examples describe the physiological changes that occur in the following parts of the body in pregnancy. **(9marks)**

- i. Uterus (3marks)
- ii. Skin (3marks)
- iii. Weight Gain (3marks)

2a. Complete the following table with the correct terms or meaning as necessary (10 Marks)

s/n	Term	Meaning
a.	?	A woman who has delivered one baby who reached the stage of viability
b.	Fertilization	?
c.	?	Excessive bleeding after the birth of a baby
d.	Embryo	?
e.	Antepartum Haemorrhage (APH)	?

2b. What are the functions of the following parts of the male and female reproductive organs? (10marks)

- a. **Vas Deferens** .

- b. **Seminal Vesicles**
- c. **Cowper's Glands**
- d. **Prostate Gland**
- e. **Bartholin's Glands**

3a. Explain the purpose of the following in antenatal Visit: **(12 Marks)**

- I. History Taking
- II. Family Medical History
- III. Personal Medical and surgical history

3b. What is the significance of the following conditions in pregnant women? **(6 Marks)**

- I. Phlebitis
- II. Drug Addiction
- III. Convulsion

4a. As a Public Health Officer, explain what you understand by the term '**abortion**' to a man whose wife has had a threatened abortion (4 Marks)

4b. Discuss your understanding of the following procedure (6 marks)

- I. Medication Abortion,
- II. unsafe abortion

4c. What are the medical reasons for the procurement of therapeutic abortions (4 marks)