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**FN 2303 – ADULT HEALTH NURSING I**

(02 Hours)

**Answer all questions**

(This question paper consists of 04 questions and 08 pages)

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**Question 03 (100 Marks)**

- A. Mr. Saliya is a 44-year-old teacher and the bread winner of a family with three children. He was admitted to your ward with a history of cough for three weeks. After the investigation doctors diagnosed his condition as lung cancer. Still Mr. Saliya has not been informed about his condition and doctors are planning to inform the patient about his diagnoses.
- i. Write down the steps he may go through in accepting this crisis situation after knowing he has a cancer. (10 Marks)
  - ii. State five (05) psychosocial problems/issues Mr. Saliya will face due to his disease condition. (10 Marks)
- B. Describe three (03) types of disabilities. Give two (02) examples for each type. (20Marks)
- C. “Nursing is a profession”. Explain this statement giving five (05) supportive evidence. (20 Marks)
- D. i. Outline five (05) harmful effects of unrelieved pain (10 Marks)
- ii. Briefly describe live attenuated vaccines. (10 Marks)
- E. i Define the terms “locus and allele”. (10 Marks)
- ii. List two (02) advantages of using genomics in medical practice from the patient’s perspective. (10 Marks)

**Question 4 (100 Marks)**

- A. Describe what is critical thinking. (20 Marks)
- B. List five (05) attitudes that foster critical thinking. (15 Marks)
- C. Sate five (05) skills that you would require in order to become a critical thinker. (15 Marks)
- D. State five (05) factors that you would consider when prioritizing a nursing diagnosis. (20 Marks)
- E. Describe how critical thinking facilitates the application of nursing process in patient care. (30 Marks)