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## University Examinations 2023/2024

ONE YEAR, SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF  
CLINICAL MEDICINE AND COMMUNITY HEALTH

### CCM 3124: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

DATE: APRIL 2024

TIME: 3 HOURS

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#### INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Answer Question ONE, and any other TWO
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#### SECTION A:

##### QUESTION ONE: (20 MARKS)

- i. Briefly explain Five characteristics that indicate the nature of society. (10 marks)
- ii. Give a brief description of your understanding of globalization and identify at least five effects of globalization on community health. (20 marks)
- iii. Discuss five critical thinking skills in relation to understanding society. (10 marks)

##### QUESTION TWO: (20 MARKS)

- i. Briefly explain social structure with reference to five social structures (10 marks)
- ii. Discuss social interaction with in reference to social status and social role. (6 marks)
- iii. Compare and contrast between diversity, inequality, equality as related in community health. (4 marks)

##### QUESTION THREE: (20 MARKS)

- i. Briefly explore YOUR sociological understanding of “social change” and types. (10 marks)
  - ii. Discuss five characteristics of social change. (10 marks)
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**QUESTION FOUR: (20 MARKS)**

You are The new president of African society identify 7 groups who suffer social inequality and suggest one means to reduce social in equality in each identified group (20 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE: (20 MARKS)**

You are modern young person always with digitalized information at hand.

- i. Discuss 5 positive outcomes digital technology in modern society. (10 marks)
- ii. Discuss any five negative effects that have come with digital technology. (10 marks)

