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Examination

Programme	:	Bachelor of Social Work (Honours)
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Course Code	:	GEN2506
Course Title	:	English for Social Work
Date	:	22/04/2024 (Monday)
Time	:	2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Time Allowed	:	2 Hours
Weighting	:	30% of the Overall Marks

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This paper has 6 pages (including this cover page).

Instructions to candidates:

1. This question paper contains 3 sections.
2. Answer all questions in this paper.
3. This paper carries 100 marks which are allocated to each question as indicated.
4. This is a closed-book exam.

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You should hand in this question paper after the exam.**

I. Vocabulary (25 marks)

1.1 Read each sentence carefully. Fill in the blank with the appropriate term from the given list. Use each term only once. (15 marks, 1 mark each)

assessment	Corporate Social Responsibility	donations in cash and/or in kind	
duplicate	earmark	evidence-based	implement
incentivize	inventory	liability	normal circumstance
prescribed	Social injustice	statutory	sustainability

- 1) To address _____, social workers advocate for equality and fairness in society.
- 2) The _____ process is crucial in determining the needs and strengths of individuals and communities.
- 3) The organization's commitment to _____ ensures that its activities do not harm the environment.
- 4) The agency plans to _____ a new programme to provide mental health services to underserved communities.
- 5) _____ refers to the financial and material contributions made by individuals or organizations to support social causes.
- 6) The organization discovered a _____ in funding support, resulting in the misallocation of resources.
- 7) As a part of their _____, companies are expected to contribute to the well-being of society.
- 8) Our organization complies with all the _____ regulations and legal requirements in carrying out our social work initiatives.
- 9) The _____ of available resources helps social workers plan and allocate them efficiently.
- 10) Social workers need to be aware of their professional _____ and ensure they adhere to ethical guidelines while serving vulnerable populations.
- 11) Social workers are encouraged to use _____ interventions that have been proven effective through research.
- 12) Some organizations choose to _____ their employees by offering rewards for engaging in social initiatives.
- 13) The government _____ specific funds for education to ensure they are used for that purpose.
- 14) The agency requires all employees to complete a _____ form to ensure proper documentation and adherence to established protocols
- 15) Social workers aim to provide assistance and support to individual and communities during times of crisis, as well as during _____.

1.2 Match these light-hearted politically correct terms. (10 marks, 2 marks each.)

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| (1) Bald | (a) differently weighted |
| (2) Dead | (b) mental explorer |
| (3) Dwarf | (c) biologically challenged |
| (4) Insane | (d) comb-free |
| (5) Fat | (e) vertically challenged |

II. Grammar and Usage (30 marks)

2.1 Edit the case description below. All the mistakes (spellings, verb forms, agreement, articles, linking words and prepositions etc.) have been underlined for you. (10 marks, 1 mark each)

According to Mrs. LAM, the marital relationship had been good. She felt that her husband was very responsible in (1) caring of and supporting the family, even arranging leisure activity for her, e.g. playing mahjong. Mrs. LAM said that her husband was a quiet man, while she herself was quite outgoing and stubborn. He used to spoil her and seldom went against her view. Mrs. LAM admitted that she tended to use ambiguous and (2) duel-meaning language to interact with her husband in order not to “surrender” to him. She knew that although sometimes her husband (3) was well intention, she still rejected him. (4) Therefore, her husband often forgave her.

Two months ago, her husband had to work in China, 1-2 days a month. While he was in China, Mrs. LAM with her two sons went on a 5-day trip to Japan. The husband later (5) tell his wife that he felt lonely and lacking concern when he (6) were alone in China and in Hong Kong. He thought of what he was striving (7) of in life and felt that he did too much for the family. He suggested (8) take a “cooling off” period from the marriage, which would also give (9) the chance for his wife to be (10) dependent.

2.2 Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions given in the brackets. (10 marks, 2 marks each).

1. The client is a survivor of domestic violence. He is currently seeking assistance to secure stable housing. (Combine the two sentences into one.)

2. I love to write papers I would write one every day if I had the time. (This is a run-on sentence. Break the sentence into 2 separate sentences.)

3. Since he is a single parent. (This is a sentence fragment. Write a complete sentence.)

4. I look forward to _____.
(Finish the sentence.)

5. Although the students worked very hard, _____
_____. (Finish the sentence.)

2.3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word in brackets. (10 marks, 2 marks each).

(1) The _____ of good quality services is important. (to provide)

(2) Millions of people live in _____ throughout the world. (poor)

(3) The project involves international _____ between countries. (partner)

(4) The company made their website _____ for people with impaired vision. (access)

(5) Do not _____ the elderly by telling "ageist" jokes in the office. (victim)

