

BINDURA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND EDUCATION

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES

B.Sc. HONOURS DEGREE IN SOCIAL WORK

HSW210/SW210 INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIAL PATHOLOGY

SOCIAL WORK DEPARTMENT

EXAMINATION PAPER

TIME: 3 HOURS

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INSTRUCTIONS

Answer 3 questions

Each question carries 100 marks

1. Assess the sociological risk factors of suicide and suggest social work interventions.
2. Analyse the causes of drug and substance abuse among young persons in Zimbabwe.
3. Examine the symptoms of depression and suggest social work interventions for persons in depression.
4. Comment on why it is not possible to offer a simple definition of abnormal behaviour.
5. Examine the key elements of the medical model of abnormal behaviour.

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