

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Nnamdi Azikiwe Expressway, Jabi - Abuja Faculty of Health Sciences Department of Environmental Health Science 2020 1 Examination

Course Code: EHS314

Course Title: ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH IN AN EMERGENCY SITUATION

Course Units: 2 Credit Units

Time Allowed: 2 Hours Total Score: 70 Marks

Instruction: Answer all the questions

1a. Define the following terms: (2marks each)

- i. Hazard
- ii. Advocacy
- iii. Asylum
- iv. Climate change
- v. Conflict
- vi. Cyclone
- vii. Diplomacy
- viii. Disaster preparedness
- ix. Risk
- x. Sanitation
- 1b. List and explain the types of Emergency and Disaster. (10marks)
- 2a Describe the Disaster Management Cycle. (10marks)
- 2b. According to the World Health Organization, outline the processes involved in developing an emergency preparedness policy. (10marks)
- 3a. As an Environmental Health scientist aware of the Coronavirus global issue and Lassa fever epidemics in Nigeria, briefly discuss the measures for controlling a named communicable disease or epidemic. (10marks)
- 3b. Discuss the roles of Environmental Health Officers (EHOs) in Emergencies. (10marks)