

MASENO UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2013/2014

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS) AND BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (MAIN CAMPUS)

AHI 302: HEALTH, DISEASE AND ECOLOGY IN AFRICAN HISTORY

Date: 1 April, 2014

Time: 2.45 - 5.00 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer THREE questions.

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1. Critique either the Contagion or Humoral theory of disease.

- 2. Account for the role of ecology in the African interpretation of disease.
- Using examples from any one African community show how traditional healers diagnosed and treated diseases.
- 4. How did either Christianity or colonialism impact on traditional medical practices?
- 5. Assess the role of African Herbalists in the treatment of diseases today.
- Analyse the role of African governments in the eradication of pestilence in the continent.