



**ZIMBABWE EZEKIEL GUTI UNIVERSITY**

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**FACULTY OF HUMANITIES, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

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**DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**EXAMINATION PAPER**

**COURSE CODE** : ASW 212

**COURSE TITLE** : INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL WORK WITH

INDIVIDUALS

**DURATION** : 3 Hours

20 JUL 2022

**DATE**

12.7. 'JUL' 2022

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

1. Answer any THREE questions only.
2. Each question carries equal marks.
3. Start each question on a new page of your answer sheet..

- Question 1** Social casework in Zimbabwe was greatly influence by practice in United Kingdom and America. Discuss
- Question 2** “The fundamental basis of all casework is the belief that the individual matters” (Comark and Douglas 1954:43). Expand this statement in relation to any **FOUR** Biestek (1957) principles of casework.
- Question 3** Consider the utility of the person and problem by Perlman as components of casework in explaining the prevalence of marital break-ups in Zimbabwe
- Question 4** Indicate the sources of a social caseworker’s authority and examine the factors which limit its effectiveness in Zimbabwe.
- Question 5** Critically examine Biestek’s argument that a positive relationship is an indispensable condition for success when working with individuals and families.

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