

University of London

EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For The Following Qualification:-

M.Sc.

M.Sc. Dental Public Health: Paper 1

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MSc EXAMINATION

FACULTY OF CLINICAL SCIENCE

DENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH I

Monday 5th June 2006 10.00 to 1.00

Answer THREE questions only.

1. What do you understand by the concept "Social determinants of health." Discuss the implications of adopting this concept for dental public health policy.
2. Describe how oral health related quality of life can be measured in adults.
3. "Dental health education is ineffective in achieving sustainable oral health improvements". Discuss this statement and outline ways of addressing this problem.
4. Promoting the use of Appropriate Technology is one of the principles of the Primary Health Care Approach (PHCA). Discuss how this theme can be implemented in Developing **or** Developed countries.
5. What do you understand by the terms "high risk", "directed population" and "whole population" strategies in the prevention of disease? Discuss these approaches with respect to the prevention of dental caries.
6. Describe the steps involved in conducting a systematic review. Illustrate your answer with reference to fissure sealants.

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