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Instructions:

Please answer **THREE (3)** questions. All questions carry an equal mark. Please use a separate answer book for each question. You are expected to support your answer by referring to relevant literature.

Duration 2 hrs.
 No. of Answer Books 3

Requirements:

Handout _____
 MCQ _____
 Statistical Tables _____
 Graph Paper _____
 Log Graph Paper _____
 Other Material _____

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1. Explore the implications of professional accountability in your clinical practice. (100 marks)
2. Explore the issues related to the pursuit of professionalisation in nursing/midwifery. (100 marks)
3. Discuss the concept of power in relation to nursing/midwifery. (100 marks)
4. Discuss the notion of breaching confidentiality in relation to nursing/midwifery practice. (100 marks)
5. Empowerment is an important concept for nursing/midwifery practice. Analyse this statement. (100 marks)
6. "The strategic thinker remains ever open to emerging opportunities..." (Leidtka, 1998). Discuss this in relation to your practice. (100 marks)