



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA  
FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES  
DEPARTMENT OF NURSING SCIENCES  
2025\_2 EXAMINATIONS**

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**PROGRAMME: BACHELOR OF NURSING SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE: NSC312**

**COURSE TITLE: MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH NURSING II**

**COURSE CREDIT UNITS: 3 UNITS**

**TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS**

**TOTAL SCORE: 70 MARKS**

**INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS**

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  - a) Draw a well-labelled lateral image of the female breast (6 marks)
  - b) List 7 essential conditions for a successful lactation ( $3\frac{1}{2}$  marks)
  - c) List 4 advantages of breastfeeding each to the mother and infant (8 marks)
  - d) Write briefly on home visiting ( $2\frac{1}{2}$  marks)
  
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  - a) Describe the 'subsequent care of the newborn' (10 marks)
  - b) Describe the developmental milestones from birth to 5 years (10 marks)
  - c) What are the major contributions of Piaget to child development? (5 marks)
  
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  - a)
    - i. What does **Concept 5** of the newborn care address (6 marks)
    - ii. List six (6) common characteristic of newborn respiration (6 marks)
  - b) Initiation of breathing is a complex process, describe the factors that aid this process (8 marks)
  - c) What do you understand by 'family adjustment'? (5 marks)