

**GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY  
GANDHINAGAR**  
Course: **Access to Justice: Theory and Practice**  
Semester- IV (Batch: 2020-25)

**End Semester Online Examination: May 2022**

**Date: 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2022**

**Duration: 8 hours**

**Max. Marks: 50**

**Instructions:**

- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answer.
- No questions or clarification can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.
- Word Limit: 10 Marks: 700-800 words.

	<b>Marks</b>
Q.1 What good practices are available in terms of ensuring equal and effective access to justice and remedy for marginalized and disadvantaged population?	(10)
Q.2 What are specific challenges encountered by vulnerable populations (for example elderly, children in need of care and protection, persons with disability, people living with HIV/AIDS, etc.) in accessing justice and remedy in our country? Enumerate taking example of a specific section within vulnerable population.	(10)
Q.3 How can it be ensured that justice systems function in accordance with the principles of independence and impartiality? Discuss the oversight mechanisms in place to mitigate or address any discrimination and enhance accountability of justice system.	(10)
Q.4 Write a detailed note on 'access to justice in conflict and post-conflict situations'.	(10)
Q.5 Discuss the need and significance of informal justice mechanisms as an essential area of support for access to justice, especially in context of socio-cultural context of India.	(10)

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