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BNS-031

**DIPLOMA IN CRITICAL CARE
NURSING
(DCCN)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2023

**BNS-031 : CONCEPTS AND PRINCIPLES IN
CRITICAL CARE NURSING**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : (1) *Attempt all questions.*

(2) *Answer all parts of a question at one place.*

1. (a) Define interpersonal relationship. 2
- (b) List the purposes of interpersonal relationship. 3
- (c) Discuss the factors which affect interpersonal relationship between critical care nurse and patient. 5
- (d) List the barriers of Nurse-Patient relationship. 5

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2. (a) Define the following : 4
- (i) Critical care nursing
 - (ii) Critical care nurse
 - (iii) Critically ill-patient
 - (iv) Critical care unit
- (b) Describe critical care indicators. 6
3. (a) Describe protocols for cleaning CCUs. 6
- (b) Discuss responsibilities of infection control nurse towards surveillance in CCU. 5
- (c) Explain how a critical care nurse prevents needle stick injuries. 4
4. (a) Define job description. 2
- (b) Describe elements of job description. 5
- (c) Discuss job responsibilities of a critical care nurse. 8
5. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 5×3=15
- (a) Importance of evidence based practice in nursing
 - (b) Observation technique of data collection
 - (c) Acute and delayed transfusion reaction
 - (d) Fluid volume excess (Hypervolemia)