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B.Sc. IN MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY (BMLT)

Term-End Examination

December, 2013

BAHI-006 : MICRO-BIOLOGY

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note: Attempt all questions. Answers Part A, B, C, as per directions.

PART - A

Answer any three questions. Each carries **10** marks.

1. (a) Define sterilisation.

1+4+5

- (b) Classify the methods of sterilisation and give the principle of each.
- (c) How would you sterilise the following :
 - (i) Gloves
 - (ii) Glassware
 - (iii) Antibiotic solutions
 - (iv) Disposable syringes
 - (v) Lowenstein Jensen medium
- 2. (a) Draw and label the parts of a bacterial cell.
 - (b) What are the functions of each part. 4+3+3
 - (c) Describe the cell wall of Gram negative bacteria.

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- 3. (a) Describe (with diagrams) the morphology and staining characters of Mycobacterium tuberculosis. 3+2+5
 - (b) How is it cultured and describe the colony characters.
 - (c) How is Pulmonary Tuberculosis diagnosed in the laboratory.
- 4. (a) Name and describe the neorphology of the organism which causes CHOLERA 3+1+6
 - (b) What is the selective medium for growing it ?
 - (c) Discuss the laboratory diagnosis of cholera.

PART - B

- 5. Write short notes on any four. 5x4=20
 - (a) Cultivation of Viruses
 - (b) Coagulase test
 - (c) Candida albicans
 - (d) DPT vaccine
 - (e) Enriched media.

6. Write briefly on **any two** of the following : 5x2=10

- (a) Laboratory diagnosis of typhoid fever.
- (b) Infections caused by Streptococcus pyogenes
- (c) Dermatophytes

PART - C

- 7. Choose the SINGLE CORRECT answer. 1x5=5
 - (a) OPV is given to children to prevent :
 - (i) Pulmonary Tuberculosis
 - (ii) Pertussis
 - (iii) Poliomyelitis

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- (b) Swarming growth on Blood agar is produced by :
 - (i) E .coli
 - (ii) Proteus mirabilis
 - (iii) Pseudomonas aeruginosa
- (c) Gram positive bacilli in Chinese letter arrangement are :
 - (i) C. diphtheria
 - (ii) Cl.tetani
 - (iii) B. Subtilis
- (d) Capsule is seen in all :
 - (i) Pueermococci
 - (ii) Gonococci
 - (iii) Staphylococci
- (e) Penicillin is an antibiotic acting on bacterial cell :
 - (i) wall
 - (ii) membrane
 - (iii) DNA

8. Fill in the blanks.

1x5=5

- (a) Treponema pallidum causes _____.
- (b) Food poisoning is caused by _____.
- (c) Lactophenol cotton blue stains _____.
- (d) _____ is an opportunistic fungus
- (e) HIV stands for _____ .