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**POST BASIC BACHELOR OF SCIENCE  
(NURSING) B.Sc. (N)(PB)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2014**

**BNS-107 : PAEDIATRIC NURSING**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** *Attempt all the questions. Attempt all parts of a question at one place.*

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1. (a) Define mental retardation **2+3+10=15**  
(b) Explain the causes of mental retardation  
(c) Describe how will you, as a nurse, manage a child with mental retardation
  
2. Sonu, a two year old child, is admitted in paediatric ward with enlarged head, bulging of anterior fontanelles, dilated scalp veins and drooping of eyelids. He is diagnosed as a case of hydrocephalus **1½+1½+7=10**
  - (a) Define hydrocephalus
  - (b) List the causes of hydrocephalus
  - (c) Describe the preoperative and postoperative nursing care of Sonu.

3. Leukaemia is the commonest malignant disease of childhood with its peak incidence between 3 to 5 years of age **3+3+9=15**
- (a) Explain the types of leukaemia
  - (b) List the signs and symptoms of leukaemia
  - (c) Describe the nursing care of a child with leukaemia with special focus on side effects of chemotherapy
4. Monu, a 10 year child, is admitted in paediatric burnt unit with third degree burns **3+2+7+3=15**
- (a) State the classification of burns
  - (b) Describe how will you estimate the burn area ?
  - (c) Discuss the nursing management of Monu
  - (d) List the complications of burns
5. Write short notes on **any three** of the following :
- (a) Explain the changing role of a paediatric nurse **5x3=15**
  - (b) General principles of management of behavioural problems in children
  - (c) Nursing care of a child with pneumonia
  - (d) Nursing interventions of a child with diabetes insipidus
  - (e) Nursing care of a child with conjunctivitis
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