

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
GERIATRIC MEDICINE (PGDGM)**

Term-End Examination

00645

December, 2018

MME-004 : BASIC GERIATRICS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : All questions are compulsory.

1. Identify the issues of caring for the elderly.
Discuss how you will plan for care of the elderly. 5+10=15

2. Describe the process of ageing in the life course perspective. Discuss the determinants of active ageing. 5+10=15

3. Define health education. Discuss the barriers in health education. What are the specific issues in health education for the elderly people ? 2+8+5=15

4. Write short notes on the following : 5×5=25

- (a) Physiological and structural changes in old age requiring dietary alterations
 - (b) Principles of homeopathy in treatment of diseases
 - (c) Social support in old age
 - (d) Planning for retired life
 - (e) Elderly abuse
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