

CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH CARE WASTE MANAGEMENT (CHCWM)

Term-End Examination

December, 2019

BHME-102 : WORKER SAFETY AND PATIENT SAFETY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

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Note : Attempt any seven questions. All questions carry equal marks.

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1. Describe the risks to health-care workers from usage of glutaraldehyde and sodium hypochlorite. 5+5
2. Discuss the important measures to prevent the exposure to radio-active wastes generated in healthcare. 10
3. Discuss points to be kept in mind while training and educating the healthcare personnel. 10
4. Discuss the precautions for handling sharps how should accidents be reported. 10
5. Discuss the hazard faced by healthcare workers while working with : 5+5  
(a) burn technology (b) non-burn technology
6. Define 'Quality assurance'. How can quality be assured with respect to patient safety, in healthcare settings ? 2+8
7. Discuss the strategy for blood safety, in healthcare. 10
8. Discuss the importance of safe surgical care. Describe the surgical checklist and standard indicators for patient safety as advocated by WHO. 10