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## CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH CARE WASTE MANAGEMENT (CHCWM)

## Term-End Examination December, 2021

## BHM-101 : FUNDAMENTALS : ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH, HEALTH CARE WASTE MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

Note: (i) Attempt any seven questions.

- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- (iii) All questions to be answered within 700 words each.
- Explain the steps of preparation of action plan for Health Care Waste Management (HCWM).

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- 2. List the sources of lead in health care setting.

  Describe the impact of lead on health and environment.

  3+7
- 3. Discuss different waste minimisation approaches with suitable examples. 10
- 4. Describe the different categories of waste as per the BMWM Rules, 2016, as amended. Give suitable examples of each and enumerate the treatment option for each category. 4+3+3
- 5. Explain what are biogeochemical cycles.Describe in detail the nitrogen cycle and draw its diagram.
- 6. Enumerate the prescribed regulatory authorities in India for BMWM Rules, 2016.

  Describe the role of Central Pollution Control Board in the regulation of BMWM Rules, 2016.

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- 7. Enumerate the sources of mercury in health care setting. Discuss the routes of exposure and explain its effects on environment and health.
- 8. Name the sources of radioactive waste generation in health care institutions. Describe in detail the radioactive waste management and disposal plans.