B.Sc. IN RADIATION THERAPY TECHNOLOGY (BRTT)

Term-End Examination June, 2013

BAHI-039 : RADIOTHERAPY PROCESS AND CONVENTIONAL TECHNIQUES

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

PART - A

Write short notes on *any six* of the following. Each carries *five* marks. 5x6=30

- 1. Treatment uncertainties in external beam radiation therapy.
- 2. Bolus materials used in the department and their role in electron beam treatment.
- 3. The localization methods available for obtaining cross-sectional anatomical information in external beam treatment planning.
- 4. Differences between Conventional Simulation and Virtual Simulation.
- 5. (a) Informed consent
 - (b) Anamnesis

- 6. Parallel-opposed field treatment technique in conventional practice.
- 7. In vivo dosimetry.
- 8. Methods available for transferring images from imaging systems to treatment planning computer.
- 9. Treatment parameters to be documented for external beam radiotherapy practice.

PART - B

Answer *any four* of the following. Each carries *ten* marks. 10x4=40

- 1. Write in detail about beam modifying devices used in external beam radiotherapy.
- 2. Describe the role of electron beam treatment in various clinical sites.
- Describe the treatment techniques for cervix cancer both by external and brachytherapy methods.
- 4. Write in brief about virtual simulator. Explain the advantages and disadvantages of large bore CT scanner used for treatment planning.
- Describe the following terms (a) DVH(b) Interfraction (c) Intrafraction (d) DRR.
- 6. Describe the treatment techniques available for head and neck cancer in radiotherapy.
- 7. Explain about different types of dose calculation methods used in treatment planning systems.