

**POST BASIC
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (NURSING)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2010

HS3T2 : MENTAL HEALTH NURSING

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Answer all questions.

1. Describe any five principles of Psychiatric Nursing. Support your answer with examples from clinical field experience. **10**

2. Mr. John, a 25 year old man is admitted in a psychiatric ward. He is very depressed and has suicidal tendencies. He is diagnosed as a case of Depression. **8+7=15**
 - (a) Describe different types of Depression.
 - (b) Plan nursing care for Mr. John.

3.
 - (a) Define substance abuse. **2+5+8=15**
 - (b) List down the commonly abused drugs.
 - (c) Describe the nursing management of a patient with Chronic Alcoholism.

4. (a) Define 'Conversion Reaction'. **2+3+5=10**
 (b) Explain the psychodynamics of Conversion Reaction.
 (c) Describe the nursing management of a patient exhibiting hysterical symptom.
5. Write short notes on *any three* of the following : **3x5=15**
 (a) Factors influencing abnormal behaviour.
 (b) Disorders of Perception.
 (c) Nurse patient relationship.
 (d) Characteristics of defense mechanisms.
 (e) Secondary prevention of mental illness.
6. Fill in the blanks : **5x1=5**
 (a) An automatic behaviour in which the patient repeats the words or phrases which are spoken in his presence is called _____ .
 (b) The mechanism by which an unacceptable tendency is redirected into socially constructive channels is called _____ .
 (c) The person having alternating moods of cheerfulness, lively and sadness has _____ type of personality.
 (d) Reduction in the incidence of new cases of mental disorders in the population is called _____ prevention.
 (e) Personality before the occurrence of mental illness is called _____ personality.