

No. of Printed Pages : 2

**MME-004**

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

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2023**

**MME-004 : BASIC GERIATRICS**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

---

**Note :** (i) *All questions are compulsory.*

(ii) *Question nos. 1 to 3 are to be answered within 1000 words. Each short note of question no. 4 to be answered within 300 words.*

---

---

1. Define and enumerate the types of disability. Discuss medical rehabilitative interventions for restoration of functions in the elderly. 5+10
2. What are the physiological changes affecting drug response in the elderly patients ? Discuss the pharmacokinetic factors affecting drug responsiveness among them. 3+12

**P. T. O.**

[ 2 ]

3. How will you plan for caring of the elderly ?  
What are the challenges in caring of elderly patients with Alzheimer's disease ?           6+9
4. Write short notes on the following :           5×5=25
- (a) Social outcome of demographic transition
  - (b) Cellular and molecular mechanism of ageing
  - (c) Role of NGOs in elderly care
  - (d) Economic security in old age
  - (e) Effects of age on hepatic clearance of drugs