

2010 Scheme

QP Code: 203011

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Second Year Post Basic B.Sc Nursing Degree Supplementary Examinations January 2022

Mental Health Nursing

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 75

- *Answer all questions to the point neatly and legibly • Do not leave any blank pages between answers • Indicate the question number correctly for the answer in the margin space*
- *Answer all parts of a single question together • Leave sufficient space between answers*

Essays: (2x10=20)

1. Mr. X, 50 years old admitted in psychiatry emergency unit with clouding of consciousness, inappropriate behaviour and communication. He is diagnosed to have Delirium. Explain the following in relation to Mr. X's condition.
(a) List the possible etiological factors for developing Delirium in him
(b) Describe the nursing interventions to deal with inappropriate behaviour and communication in him (3+7)
2. Describe the functions of mental health team members. Explain principles of psychiatric nursing with relevant examples (3+7)

Short notes: (6x5=30)

3. Clinical features of mania
4. Types of dissociative disorder
5. Features of alcohol dependence syndrome
6. Side effects and its management in lithium therapy
7. Objectives and strategies of National Mental Health Programme
8. Therapeutic impasses

Differentiate between: (5x3=15)

9. Anterograde amnesia and retrograde amnesia
10. Trance and distractibility
11. Insomnia and hypersomnia
12. Dipsomania and kleptomania
13. Neologism and word salad

Define the following: (5x2=10)

14. Delusion
15. Depersonalization
16. Obsessive compulsive disorder
17. Ataxia
18. Akahisia
