

Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka

First year B.Sc. (Nursing - Basic) Degree Examination – Sept / Oct 2008

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 80 Marks

BASIC PRINCIPLES & PRACTICE OF NURSING (Revised Scheme)

Q.P. CODE: 1679

Your answers should be specific to the questions asked
Draw neat labeled diagrams wherever necessary

LONG ESSAYS (Answer any Two)

2 x 10 = 20 Marks

1. a) Is nursing a profession
b) Discuss the characteristics and qualities of a professional nurse
2. a) Define admission
b) Explain in detail types and procedure of admission
3. a) State the general principles of drug administration
b) Discuss briefly different methods of drug administration

SHORT ESSAYS (Answer any Eight)

8 x 5 = 40 Marks

4. Health care levels
5. Maslow's hierarchy of needs
6. Constipation and its management
7. Feeding helpless patient
8. Care of patient's unit
9. Team nursing
10. Positioning and its types
11. Fluid and electrolyte balance
12. Care of the terminally ill
13. Principles of communication

SHORT ANSWERS

10 x 2 = 20 Marks

14. First aid
15. Sites of recording temperature
16. Auscultation
17. Isolation
18. Intake and output chart
19. Thoracentesis
20. Condom drainage
21. Traction
22. Paralysis
23. Evaluation step in nursing process