

Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences

First Year M.Sc. (Nursing) Degree Examination – Nov 2013

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[Max. Marks: 80]

[Time: 3 Hours]

MENTAL HEALTH (PSYCHIATRIC) NURSING

(RS 3 & RS 4)

Q.P. CODE: 9639

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

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING

4 X 15 = 60 Marks

1. a) State the indications, contra indication and complications of Electro Convulsive therapy.
b) Discuss Nurse role in Pre, intra and post Electro Convulsive therapy.
2. a) Critique the salient features of Mental Health Act.
b) Explain the nurses role in admission.
3. a) Describe the theories on which behavior therapy is based.
b) Enumerate and briefly explain the techniques used in modifying patients behavior.
4. a) Explain the factors effecting therapeutic communication
b) Discuss the therapeutic and non-therapeutic communication techniques.

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SHORT NOTES (Answer any TWO)

2 X 10 = 20 Marks

5. Discuss the importance of psycho metric assessment.
6. Explain Therapeutic touch and massage as alternative methods of treatment
7. Discuss pre marital counseling.
8. Discuss the side effects of anti psychotic medications.

