

**DIPLOMA IN GENERAL NURSING AND MIDWIFERY - SECOND YEAR
EXAMINATION, MARCH 2022**

NEW SYLLABUS

PAPER III - MENTAL HEALTH NURSING

Time: Three hours

Maximum marks: 75

- Note:** 1. Answer all the questions.
2. Draw the Diagrams wherever necessary

I. Define the following

5x1=5

- 1) Mental Health
- 2) Mental Retardation
- 3) Illusion
- 4) Mania
- 5) Apathy

II. Fill in the blanks with suitable words

5x1=5

- 1) If the IQ is less than ____ it is considered to be mental retardation.
- 2) An acquired global impairment of intellect and consciousness is termed as _____.
- 3) The Mental Health Act was started in ____year.
- 4) The drug of choice for mania is _____.
- 5) Fear of height is termed as _____.

III. Match the following

5x1=5

S. No.	A	B
1	Loss of memory	Mechanical repetition
2	Libido	Mental mechanism
3	Stereotype	Mental conflict
4	Ambivalence	Sexual drive
5	Projection	Amnesia

IV. Choose the correct answer 5x1=5

- 1) Identifying the patient problem is a part of
(a) Nursing assessment (b) Nursing diagnosis
(c) Planning (d) Implementation
- 2) The following are elements of communication except ____.
(a) Sender (b) Message (c) Receiver (d) Patient
- 3) The drug of choice for mood disorder is ____.
(a) Haloperido (b) Imipramine (c) Lithium (d) Chlorpormazine

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- 4) An awareness of the surroundings is called as _____.
(a) Confusion (b) Disorientation (c) Phobia (d) Consciousness
- 5) Behaviour therapy includes all the following except _____.
a) Radiation (b) Yoga (c) Meditation (d) Counselling

V. Write short notes on any five of the following

5 x 5 = 25

- 1) Write the qualities of psychiatric nurse
- 2) Write the characteristics of a mentally healthy person
- 3) Admission and discharge procedures – roles and responsibilities of a nurse
- 4) Characteristics of therapeutic communication
- 5) Scope of mental health nursing
- 6) Indications and contraindications of lithium drug

VI. Write in detail answer any three of the following

3x10=30

- 1) Explain in detail about ECT.
- 2) List out the functions of psychiatric nurse in various settings
- 3) Explain about behaviour therapy
- 4) Define schizophrenia. Explain about clinical features, types and nursing management of schizophrenia.
