## B.Sc (Nursing) DEGREE EXAMINATION (New Regulations for the candidates admitted from 2006-07 onwards) FIRST YEAR

## PAPER III – NURSING FOUNDATION

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Time: Three hours Maximum: 75 marks

I. Essays:  $(2 \times 15 = 30)$ 

- 1. a) Define health.
  - b) Explain the determinants of health.
  - c) Mention the emotional response of a patient to illness.
- 2. a) Define blood pressure, systolic pressure and diastolic pressure.
  - b) Explain the factors affecting the blood pressure.

II. Write notes on:  $(5 \times 5 = 25)$ 

- 1. Indications of nasogastric feeding.
- 2. Preliminary assessment before indwelling catheterization.
- 3. Types of biomedical waste and its hazards.
- 4. Complications of neglected mouth.
- 5. Discharge planning.

## III. Short answers on: $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 1. Rules of drug administration.
- 2. Define Antipyretics and Bronchodilators.
- 3. List four purposes of eye drop instillation.
- 4. Surgical asepsis.
- 5. Dehydration.
- 6. Name four positions used for physical examination.
- 7. Mention four factors affecting normal urinary elimination.
- 8. Define bowel wash.
- 9. Nurses record.
- 10. Clinical signs of death.

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