

M.D. DEGREE EXAMINATION

BRANCH XVI – GERIATRICS

PAPER II – GENERAL MEDICINE INCLUDING PSYCHO GERIATRICS

Q.P. Code :202056

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(2 x 15 = 30)

1. Describe the aetiology, pathogenesis, differential diagnosis and management of Syncope.
2. Discuss the clinical features, evaluation and management of unstable angina.

II. Write notes on:

(10 x 7 = 70)

1. Treatment for elderly Depression.
2. Minimal cognitive impairment, evaluation and treatment.
3. How will you address caregiver stress in Dementia?
4. Antipsychotics - its uses and side effects in elderly.
5. How will you evaluate and treat an elderly patient with vertebral secondaries and unknown primary?
6. Subclinical hypothyroidism in elderly.
7. Evaluation of Anaemia.
8. Uses and limitations of Electrocardiogram in Acute Coronary Syndromes.
9. Discuss the causes of jaundice in an elderly person and their management.
10. Hyponatremia.
