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M.Sc. MEDICAL SOCIOLOGY EXAMS
SECOND YEAR
PAPER IV – MEDICAL ETHICS AND LAWS

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Time: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(2 x 20 = 40)

1. Explain in detail the idea of 'my station and its duties' as it figures in the work of F. H. Bradley.
2. Differentiate the terms explicit and implicit in the field of medical ethics with examples.

II. Write notes on:

(10 x 6 = 60)

1. Briefly discuss the clinical and legal purposes of Consent.
2. Briefly describe the elements of negligence to patients with examples.
3. What do you understand by 'Ethical Human Conduct'? In what way is it important to be ethical along with being professionally competent?
4. What is the importance of Confidentiality in healthcare?
5. What are the different types of medical negligence?
6. Enumerate the legal procedure while discharging patients.
7. Explain in detail about professional secrecy received from patients during medical assistance.
8. What are ethical rules of behaviour of physicians defining the priorities of their professional work?
9. What is meant by medical malpractice? Explain various medical malpractices with suitable examples.
10. Explain the method of case reasoning especially useful in treating cases that involve moral dilemmas.
