

[MSCN 0821]

AUGUST 2021  
(MAY 2021 SESSION)

Sub. Code: 2328

**M.Sc. (Nursing) DEGREE EXAMINATION**  
(Regulations for candidates admitted from 2011-2012 Sessions onwards)

**FIRST YEAR**

**PAPER IV – CLINICAL SPECIALITY – I**  
**BRANCH V – MENTAL HEALTH (PSYCHIATRIC) NURSING**

*Q.P. Code: 302328*

**Time: Three Hours**

**Maximum: 75 Marks**

**I. Elaborate on:**

**(2 x 20 = 40)**

1. Define stress. Explain psychological adaptation to stress. Demonstrate the psychiatric nurse in management of stress.
2. Define therapeutic communication. Explain the nurse – patient relationship with techniques involved.

**II. Write notes on:**

**(7 x 5 = 35)**

1. Challenges and scope of psychiatric nursing.
2. Psycho immunology and its implications.
3. Assertive and non assertive behaviour.
4. Behaviour therapy.
5. Barriers of communication.
6. Touch therapy.
7. Status examination.

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