



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – MEDICAL SOCIOLOGY

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2015

SO 2808 - COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SOCIAL MEDICINE

Date : 21/04/2015

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time : 01:00-04:00

SECTION-A

Answer the following in 30 words each:

(10x2=20marks)

1. Define Community health.
2. What do you understand by Epidemiology?
3. How can we prevent ourselves from being affected by health problems?
4. Write a short note on communicable diseases.
5. Name the virus which causes chicken pox and small pox.
6. Mention the four methods through which HIV virus gets transmitted.
7. What are the responsibilities of a nurse during health care delivery process?
8. List out the major health problems faced by the old age people.
9. Who is called as “Siddhar”?
10. Which therapeutic method is supported by Ayurveda?

SECTION-B

Answer any FIVE of the following in about 300 words each:

(5x8=40marks)

11. Discuss the importance of nursing profession in health care setting.
12. Write a brief note on Social epidemiology.
13. Trace the emergence of social medicine in India.
14. Enumerate the prevention, promotion and rehabilitation aspects of a non-communicable disease with suitable example.
15. Bring out the health problems of children in India.
16. “Tuberculosis is social disease with medical aspects”. Explain.
17. Highlight the uses and sources of vital statistics.

SECTION -C

Answer any TWO of the following in 1200 words each:

(2x20=40marks)

18. Describe the Systems of medicine indigenous to India.
19. Intestinal infections and arthropod borne infections are common in India. Providing suitable examples analyse the Agent, host and environment factors of these infections.
20. Explain the Natural History of diseases and the ecology of health and diseases in detail.
21. Elucidate the common health problems of women in India.
