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MBBS Phase - III (Part-I - CBME) Degree Examination - 22-May-2023

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 100

COMMUNITY MEDICINE - PAPER - I (RS-4) Q.P. CODE: 1035 (QP contains two pages)

Your answers should be specific to the questions asked Draw neat, labeled diagrams wherever necessary

LONG ESSAYS 2 x 10 = 20 Marks

 A 38 year old man came to a medical officer with complaints of dyspnoea since past six months, gradual in onset and progressive. He gave history of working in stone quarries for past 10 years. His Chest X-ray revealed 'snow-storm' appearance in both lung fields. Describe the epidemiology, preventive and control measure of this condition.

Define epidemiology. Classify epidemiological study designs. Describe the steps in conducting a case control study using smoking and lung cancer as an example.

SHORT ESSAYS 8 x 5 = 40 Marks

- Describe the different types of disinfection with suitable examples.
- Define an epidemic. Classify epidemics with suitable examples.
- 5. Define overcrowding. Add a note on its role in impact on health and disease
- Describe incineration of biomedical waste.
- Describe the natural history of disease with suitable examples.
- 8. Enumerate the nutritional assessment methods. Describe any one of the methods in detail.
- Describe the process of communication. Enumerate the communication barriers.
- Identify the causes and solutions for population explosion in India

SHORT ANSWERS 10 x 3 = 30 Marks

- List three aims of epidemiology
- Draw a pie chart with a suitable example
- 13. Enumerate the dimensions of health
- 14. List the methods used for prevention and control of noise pollution
- List the common nutritional disorders in India
- Define herd immunity with an example
- Enumerate the contents of health education
- 18. How do you manage microbiology laboratory waste?
- 19. List the functions of the World Health Organization
- Sathya and Jyothi are married for 2 years. List the reproductive health services available to them in a primary health centre.



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Multiple Choice Questions

10 x 1 = 10 Marks

- 21 i) Isolation of cases is a useful control measure for:
 - A. Diphtheria
 - B. HIV
 - C. Polio
 - D. Tuberculosis
- 21 ii) In a 3x3 table, the degree of freedom is
 - A. 1
 - B. 2
 - C. 3
 - D. 4
- Nitrates in drinking water indicate: 21 iii)
 - Remote fecal contamination
 - B. Recent fecal contamination
 - C. Unpolluted water
 - D. Water fit for drinking
- Colour coding of the bag used in hospitals to dispose human anatomical waste is 21 iv)
 - A. Yellow
 - B. Black
 - C. Red
 - D. Blue
- 21 v) Case fatality rate indicates
 - Communicability of infection
 - B. History of disease
 - C. Virulence of organism
 - Contribution of a disease among all deaths
 - 22 i) A patient from village is diagnosed as epidemic dropsy. The toxin responsible for epidemic dropsy is
 - A. Ergot toxin
 - B. Sanguinarine
 - C. BOAA
 - D. Alpha toxicosis
 - 22 ii) The founder of International Red Cross Society is
 - A. Henry Dunant
 - B. John Snow
 - C. Edwin Chadwick
 - D. Bradford Hill
- Bagassosis is caused due to the inhalation of 22 iii)
 - A. Sugarcane fibres
 - B. Coal dust
 - C. Asbestos
 - D. Cotton fibres
- Mini pill contains 22 iv)
 - A. Estrogen only
 - B. Progestogen only
 - C. Progestogen and estrogen in small quantities
 - D. Progestogen for 21 days and then iron for 7 days
- 22 v) Propaganda .
 - A. Appeals to reason
 - B. Acquires knowledge
 - C. Discourages thinking
 - D. Disciplines primitive desires

