

Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences

I Semester Master in Public Health Degree Examination – SEP-2019

[Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 100]

Introduction to Public Health Practice

Q.P. CODE: 9761

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

LONG ESSAY**3 X 10 = 30 Marks**

1. Describe what public health is and explain its ten essential services.
2. Explain the disparities in the health indicators among more developed and less developed nations and their determinants.
3. Explain the concept of health, illness and diseases and its association with social cultural factors.

SHORT ESSAY (Answer any ten)**10 X 05 = 50 Marks**

4. Describe the contributions of UNICEF to children's health and development in India.
5. Kerala is facing several public health challenges today. Explain how the state is planning to solve them.
6. "Health For All By 2000AD" was declared in 1978 at Alma -ata conference. Briefly describe its important features.
7. What is epidemiological transition? What are its causal factors?
8. Explain the primary, secondary and tertiary prevention with examples.
9. Explain what is primary health care and its significance in less developed countries.
10. Describe an Anganwadi, its functions, and the problems faced in reaching its goals.
11. Explain Sample Registration System and its importance in public health programs.
12. Define 'international health' and the role of World bank and FAO(Food and Agricultural Organization) in it.
13. Describe National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) its unique features and achievements.
14. Sub-centre is considered as backbone of rural health care services in India. Explain its functions.
15. Open defecation is a major public health problem in India. Explain its impact on health of children and women.

OBJECTIVE TYPE (MCQ's, One word, True/False or One/Two Sentence)**10 X 02 = 20 Marks**

16. Out of pocket expenditure in India is
 - a) 20-30%
 - b) 30-40%
 - c) Over 80%
 - d) Health care is free.
17. High maternal mortality rate in USA is attributed to social causes not health. True/False
18. Obesity is a global public health challenge today. True/False
19. What does integrated approach to health Means?(3 sentences)
20. Sources of data for estimating CDR and CBR
 - a).....
 - b).....
 - c).....
21. Health care system of USA is most expensive but the best in the world. True/False
22. Declining sex ratio at birth in China and India is determined by
 - a)Technology
 - b)Socioeconomic factors
 - c)Others (specify)
23. Anganwadi provides three most important services to the children
 - a).....
 - b).....
 - C)
24. Important causes behind malnutrition among children are
 - a).....
 - b).....
 - c).....
25. India spends 6% or more of her GDP on health sector. True/False

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