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M.D. DEGREE EXAMINATION – OCTOBER, 2013 PAEDIATRICS

Paper-III – Nutrition, Infant feeding, Immunology and Communicable diseases.

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer all questions

All questions carry equal marks

WRITE SHORT ESSAYS ON THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. Describe the role of vitamin-A in health & disease. Enumerate clinical manifestations of vitamin-A deficiency & its treatment.
- 2. Enlist the clinical & anthropometric criteria for diagnosis of severe acute malnutrition (SAM).
- 3. Briefly discuss the pulmonary disorder seen in children with HIV/AIDS.
- 4. Tabulate the differentiating features of various types of JRA. Outline the diagnostic criteria of juvenile rheumatoid arthritis. Outline a scheme of investigations for a child with suspected JRA.
- 5. Management of dengue shock syndrome.
- 6. Outline the goals of baby friendly hospital initiative (BFHI). Enumerate ten steps to successful breast feeding. Mention contraindications to breast feeding.
- 7. Nosocomial infections
- 8. Various treatment modalities in acute ITP.
- 9. Diagnosis & management of childhood obesity.
- 10. Importance of newer/ optional vaccines.

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