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# **NUCLEAR MEDICINE**

### PAPER-III

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

NM/D/19/24/III

## **Important Instructions:**

- Attempt all questions in order.
- Each question carries 10 marks.
- Read the question carefully and answer to the point neatly and legibly.
- Do not leave any blank pages between two answers.
- Indicate the question number correctly for the answer in the margin space.
- Answer all the parts of a single question together.
- Start the answer to a question on a fresh page or leave adequate space between two answers.
- Draw table/diagrams/flowcharts, wherever appropriate.

#### Write short notes on:

1.	Define biochemical recurrence in prostate cancer. Explain the treatment protocol for PSMA-ligand based radionuclide therapy.	2+8
2.	Define hyperparathyroidism and its types. Discuss the role of nuclear medicine in management of parathyroid adenoma.	3+7
3.	<ul><li>a) FFR and CFR.</li><li>b) Cardiac PET protocol for imaging cardiac sarcoidosis.</li></ul>	5+5
4.	What is refractory thyroid cancer? Discuss the treatment options for a patient with refractory thyroid cancer.	10
5.	<ul> <li>a) Sentinel node imaging – procedure and uses.</li> <li>b) Radiological anatomy of liver segments and its significance. Also illustrate with diagrams.</li> </ul>	5+5
6.	How will you modify the PET-CECT protocol in evaluation of neuroendocrine tumors and liver metastases, with respect to oral contrast agent and the protocol for contrast enhanced CT?	10
7.	<ul><li>a) Hypoxia imaging.</li><li>b) Tau protein imaging in dementia.</li></ul>	5+5
8.	<ul><li>a) PET-CT in evaluation of lung cancer.</li><li>b) Nuclear Medicine in evaluation of obstructive uropathy.</li></ul>	5+5
9.	<ul><li>a) Imaging in GI bleed.</li><li>b) 18F-NaF imaging – advantages and disadvantages.</li></ul>	5+5
10.	<ul><li>a) Radioimmunotherapy.</li><li>b) Perchlorate discharge test.</li></ul>	5+5

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