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PAPER - III

EM.MED./D/17/52/III

Time : 3 hours
Max. Marks : 100
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. A 30-year patient presents to the emergency with fever and altered sensorium.

4+6

- a) Enumerate differential diagnosis
- b) Approach to the patient in the ED
- 2. A 68 year old male presents to ED with chest pain. His ECG 2+2+3+3 shows ST- segment elevation in V2-V6.
 - a) Enumerate causes of ST segment elevation
 - b) How will you manage this patient in the ED?
 - c) Discuss HEART score and TIMI score in a patient with chest pain.
 - d) How will you decide between percutaneous coronary intervention and fibrinolytic therapy?
- 3. A 30 year old presents to the emergency with an acute onset of breathlessness.

3+2+2+3

- a) Enumerate the causes of acute onset of breathlessness
- b) In a patient with acute asthma, how do you classify his asthma attack based on the peak expiratory flow rate (PEFR).
- c) What are the indications for assisted ventilation in a patient with acute asthma?
- d) What are the initial ventilator settings for invasive positive pressure ventilation in acute asthma?
- 4. A 42 year old male is brought to the ED with right arm and leg weakness with slurring of speech for past 2 hours. His vitals are PR 100/min, BP 200/130 mmHg and oxygen saturation 95%. He is fully conscious.

5+2+3

- a) Step-wise assessment and management of this patient in ED.
- b) What are stroke-mimics?c) What are the absolute and relative contraindications to fibrinolytic therapy?



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5.	 a) What are the causes acute onset of jaundice? b) List the complications of cirrhosis of liver c) Discuss briefly spontaneous bacterial peritonitis d) Discuss briefly hepato-renal syndrome 	2+2+3+3
6.	 a) Pathophysiology of acute kidney injury b) RIFLE criteria for acute kidney injury c) Laboratory evaluation of acute kidney injury d) Radiocontrast-induced nephropathy 	3+3+2+2
7.	A patient has come with suspected tetanus. Discuss the following: a) Pathophysiology of tetanus b) Control of muscle spasms c) Control of autonomic dysfunction d) Immunotherapy and immunization	3+3+2+2
8.	a) Factors precipitating lithium toxicityb) Toxic effects of chronic lithium poisoningc) Management of chronic lithium poisoning	3+4+3
9.	a) Regulation of body temperatureb) Cooling techniques in heat strokec) Complications of heat stroke	3+4+3
10.	a) Clinical features of myxedema crisis b) List differential diagnosis of myxedema crisis c) ED treatment of myxedema crisis *********************************	3+2+5