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**POST BASIC BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING  
DEGREE EXAMINATION**

**Second Year – Non – Semester**

**Paper III – MENTAL HEALTH NURSING**

***Q.P. Code : 684893***

**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 75 marks**

**Answer ALL questions.**

**I. Elaborate on:** (2X15=30)

1. a) Define Schizophrenia.  
b) Write down its types, clinical features and psychopathology.  
c) Nursing process of the patient with mania.
2. a) Define Psychiatric emergency.  
b) Briefly explain the types of psychiatric emergency.  
c) Management of the patient with suicidal ideas.

**II. Write notes on :** (5X 5 = 25)

1. Occupational therapy.
2. Therapeutic communication.
3. Mental health team.
4. Role of nurse in crisis intervention.
5. Etiology of mental disorders.

**III. Short Answer:** (10X 2 = 20)

1. Write down two differences between somatoform disorder and psychosomatic disorder.
2. List any four types of delusions.
3. Write down any four types of personality disorder.
4. Mention two characteristic features of attention deficit and hyperactive disorder.
5. Write any four indications for electro convulsive therapy.
6. Mention any four therapeutic attitudes.
7. Define mental health.
8. Write down any two etiologies for mental illness.
9. Mention any four techniques used in psychotherapy.
10. Define Neologism.

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