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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:**

**(2 x 15 = 30)**

1. a) Define Alcoholism.  
b) Briefly explain the complications of Alcoholism.  
c) Discuss about the nursing care of a patient with Alcoholism.
2. Explain in detail about crisis intervention and emphasize on the role of a nurse in Post traumatic stress disorder.

**II. Write notes on:**

**(5 x 5 = 25)**

1. Lithium toxicity.
2. Generalized Anxiety Disorder.
3. Characteristic features of Cluster A Personality disorder.
4. Group therapy.
5. Clinical features of Paranoid schizophrenia.

**III. Short answers on:**

**(10 x 2 = 20)**

1. Define stress.
2. What is hallucination?
3. Mention any four techniques of therapeutic communication.
4. Mention the phases of Nurse patient relationship.
5. What is Flooding?
6. Define halfway homes.
7. What is Circumstantiality?
8. Write down the indications of Family therapy.
9. Mention four types of obsessions.
10. What is Delirium tremens?

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