

**Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka**  
I year B.Sc. Nursing Degree Examination – Aug 2013

**Time: Three Hours**

**Max. Marks: 100 Marks**

**NURSING FOUNDATION**  
**(Revised Scheme 2)**

**Q.P. CODE: 1750**

Your answers should be specific to the questions asked  
Draw neat labeled diagrams wherever necessary

**LONG ESSAYS (Any Two)**

**2 x 10 = 20 Marks**

1. a) Define communication.  
b) Explain the communication process.
2. a) Define pulse.  
b) List the sites for taking pulse.  
c) Explain the characteristics of a pulse.
3. a) Define pressure sore and its causes.  
b) How will you prevent the development of pressure sore in a bed ridden patient?

**SHORT ESSAYS (Any Ten)**

**10 x 5 = 50 Marks**

4. Functions of the hospital
5. Characteristics of a profession
6. Discharge of patient from hospital
7. Assessment phase of nursing process
8. Records and reports
9. Methods of physical examination
10. Care of rubber goods
11. Principles of body mechanics
12. Nurses role in collection of specimens
13. Nurse role in biomedical waste management
14. Nurse responsibility in blood transfusion
15. Role of a nurse in postoperative unit

**SHORT ANSWERS**

**10 x 3 = 30 Marks**

16. Autopsy
17. Types of fever
18. Name any Six medico-legal issues.
19. Steps used in care plan
20. Types of pain
21. Rigor mortis
22. Purposes of health assessment
23. Incidental report
24. Define health.
25. Diuretics

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