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DERMATOLOGY, VENEREOLOGY AND LEPROSY
PAPER – IV

DVD/D/15/06/IV

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) "Biosimilars".	6
	b) Discuss one of the biosimilars used frequently in Dermatology.	4
2.	a) What is "off label" use of an agent in Dermatology?	7
	b) Enumerate the conditions where azathioprine is used in Dermatology.	3
3.	Immune Reconstruction Syndrome:	
	a) Mechanism.	4
	b) Clinical features.	3
	c) Management.	3
4.	Recent advances related to management of:	
	a) Hemangiomas.	5
	b) Atopic dermatitis.	5
5.	a) Current controversies on 'fairness' creams.	4
	b) Anti-ageing procedures on face.	6
6.	a) Role of Rituximab in Dermatology	5
	b) Non-cultured melanocyte transfer in vitiligo.	5
7.	a) Vitiligo Impact Scale-22.	6
	b) Diagnostic clinical features of pentazocine induced ulcers.	4
8.	a) Current scenario of leprosy eradication programme in India.	8
	b) What is the current prevalence of leprosy:	
	(i) in the world (with year)	1
	(ii) in India (with year)	1
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9.	a) Enumerate the newer anti-retroviral drugs. Discuss any two of these drugs.		6
	b) ATT in a patient with HIV.		4
10.	a) Platelet-rich plasma.		4
	b) Permanent fillers.		3
	c) Camouflage in vitiligo.		3

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