

Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka

Fellowship Examination – 22-Aug-2024

Time: Three Hours**Max. Marks: 100 Marks**

PALLIATIVE CARE - PAPER – I

QP Code: 4157

Your answers should be specific to the questions asked.

Draw neat, labeled diagrams wherever necessary.

Answer All The Questions**10 X 10 = 100 Marks**

1. Define motor neuron disease. Enumerate pathophysiology and symptoms. What are the challenges in managing patients with motor neuron disease?
2. What are the common emergencies seen in Palliative Care? Which cancers are most likely to cause SVCO? What are the four treatment modalities for patients with SVCO?
3. "You must be feeling better now after taking Morphine" comment on the above statement.
4. Role of anticonvulsants in Palliative care.
5. What are the four important aspects of ethics in Palliative Care? Discuss any one in briefly.
6. How does Morphine help in respiratory distress?
7. Explain the mechanism of vomiting in patients with cancer.
8. Why is guilt a spiritual pain?
9. What are the principles of 'Hospice care' and how does it differ from palliative care?
10. What is "Dental"? How will you attempt to make a patient accept bad news?

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