

B.Pharm III Year II Semester (R13) Supplementary Examinations May/June 2018

CLINICAL TRIALS

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART – A

(Compulsory Question)

- 1 Answer the following: (10 X 02 = 20 Marks)
- (a) Name the factors that reduce the extent to which a drug is absorbed after oral administration.
 - (b) Name any two uses of pharmacoeconomics.
 - (c) Define 'Ethics'.
 - (d) Name any two responsibilities of ILC.
 - (e) What is preclinical toxicology?
 - (f) Classify carcinogens.
 - (g) What is a clinical trial protocol?
 - (h) What is an interventional study?
 - (i) What is the aim of phase – II trials?
 - (j) Name any two functions of clinical data manager.

PART – B

(Answer all five units, 5 X 10 = 50 Marks)

UNIT – I

- 2 Outline the importance of pharmacokinetic studies in drug development.

OR

- 3 Discuss the role of preclinical studies in drug development.

UNIT – II

- 4 Explain the role of institutional ethics committee in clinical trials.

OR

- 5 Independent ethics committees are charged with protecting the rights and safety of clinical trial participants – comment.

UNIT – III

- 6 Discuss the requirements for carcinogenicity and mutagenicity testing in drug development.

OR

- 7 Explain the general principles of local toxicity, genotoxicity and animal toxicity studies.

UNIT – IV

- 8 Outline the main steps involved in new drug discovery process.

OR

- 9 Write short notes on:
- (a) Principles of sampling.
 - (b) Informed consent process.

UNIT – V

- 10 What are the various types of clinical trials? Explain each in detail.

OR

- 11 Explain the concept of blinding in clinical trials in detail.
