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**M.Sc. (NURSING) DEGREE EXAMINATION  
SECOND YEAR**

**(Regulations for candidates admitted from 2008-2009 Session onwards)**

**BRANCH V – MENTAL HEALTH (PSYCHIATRIC ) NURSING**

**PAPER III – CLINICAL SPECIALITY – II**

*Q.P. Code: 302342*

**Time: Three Hours**

**Maximum: 75 marks**

**Answer ALL questions**

**I. Elaborate on:**

**(2 x 20 = 40)**

1. What is adjustment disorder?  
List the etiological theories.  
Present the diagnostic criteria for adjustment disorder.  
Write nursing care plan for a patient with adjustment disorder.
2. Describe the cycle of battering in women.  
Write nursing care plan for a victim of abuse.

**II. Write notes on:**

**(7 x 5 = 35)**

1. Differentiate major depression form dysthymic depression.
2. HIV counselling.
3. Principles of deinstitutionalization.
4. Family education for anxiety disorder.
5. Clinical forensic nursing specialities.
6. Concept care plan for hypochondriasis.
7. Suicide theories.

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