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DM (NEUROLOGY) DEGREE EXAMINATION – JULY 2017

SUBJECT: PAPER I: BASIC SCIENCES RELATED TO NEUROLOGY

Monday, July 10, 2017

Time: 14:00 - 17:00 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

∠ Long Essays:

- 1. Applied anatomy of visual field defects
- 2. The amygdala: functional organization and involvement in neurological disorders

 $(20 \text{ marks} \times 2 = 40 \text{ marks})$

- 3. Short Essays:
- 3A. ALS genes
- 3B. Apolipoprotein and cognitive function
- 3C. Papilledema: Pathophysiology and differential diagnosis
- 3D. Brainstem serotoninergic system
- 3E. Copy number variations
- 3F. Biomarkers in Parkinson's disease

 $(10 \text{ marks} \times 6 = 60 \text{ marks})$

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SUBJECT: PAPER II: CLINICAL NEUROLOGY; DISEASES OF THE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM - BRAIN

Tuesday, July 11, 2017

Time: 14:00 - 17:00 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

- ∠ Long Essays:
- 1. Neurological manifestations of infective endocarditis

(20 marks)

2. Treatment of tuberculous meningitis

(20 marks)

- 3. Write short notes on:
- 3A. Withdrawal of antiepileptic drugs
- 3B. Secondary stroke prevention
- 3C. Tuberous sclerosis complex
- 3D. Cervical artery dissections
- 3E. Myotonic disorders
- 3F. Neuromyelitis optica spectrum disorders

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SUBJECT: PAPER III: CLINICAL NEUROLOGY, DISEASES OF SPINAL CORD, NERVES, NM JUNCTION, MUSCLES, ANS AND NEUROPSYCHIATRY

Wednesday, July 12, 2017

Time: 14:00 - 17:00 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Z Long Essays:

- 1. Discuss the syndromic diversity of Alzheimer's disease.
- 2. Treatment of acute bacterial meningitis.

 $(20 \text{ marks} \times 2 = 40 \text{ marks})$

- 3. Write short notes on:
- 3A. Contraception in women with epilepsy
- 3B. Role of stent retrievers in stroke treatment
- 3C. Cognitive dysfunction in multiple sclerosis
- 3D. Progressive myoclonic epilepsies
- 3E. Role of telemedicine in acute stroke management
- 3F. Non-motor symptoms of Parkinson's disease

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SUBJECT: PAPER IV: APPLIED BRANCHES RELATED TO NEUROLOGY, NEURORADIOLOGY, NEUROPATHOLOGY, CLINICAL NEUROPHYSIOLOGY

Thursday, July 13, 2017

Time: 14:00 - 17:00 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

∠ Long Essays:

1. Electrophysiological criteria for the diagnosis of motor neuron disease.

(20 marks)

2. Utility of Transcranial Doppler in the evaluation of a patient with recent stroke.

(20 marks)

3. Short Essays:

- 3A. Transcranial magnetic stimulation (TMS).
- 3B. Role of nocturnal polysomnography (PSG) in the evaluation of a patient with day time somnolence.
- 3C. Diffusion tensor MRI imaging (DTI).
- 3D. Critically discuss the role of therapeutic drug monitoring (TDM) in the drug treatment of epilepsy.
- 3E. Critically discuss the role of Trans Esophageal Echocardiography (TEE) in the evaluation of a patient with ischemic stroke.
- 3F. Pathology of mesial temporal lobe sclerosis

 $(10 \text{ marks} \times 6 = 60 \text{ marks})$