

Question Paper

Exam Date & Time: 26-Nov-2018 (02:00 PM - 05:00 PM)



MANIPAL ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION

**THIRD SEMESTER MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH (MATERNAL and CHILD HEALTH) DEGREE
EXAMINATION - November 2018**

**SUBJECT: POLICIES AND LEGISLATIONS IN MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH (MCH 631)
(REGULAR)**

Monday, November 26, 2018 (14.00 - 17.00)

Marks: 70

Duration: 180 mins.

Essays:

- 1) Explain the current status of gender development index in India and suggest strategies to improve the same. (10)
(3+7 = 10 marks)
- 2) Discuss the potential of various prenatal diagnostic procedures in fetal sex determination. (10)
- 3) Discuss the provisions in Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act 1971 for abortion services. (10)
- 4) Family planning to family welfare was a policy change taken by the Indian Governments. Discuss in detail the rationale, context and implication of this policy change in reproductive health. (10)
(3+3+4 = 10 marks)

5. Short Notes:

- 5A) Reforms for Family planning Programme suggested by the second conference of central council of health and family welfare. (5)
- 5B) National Nutrition Mission. (5)
- 5C) Significance of maternal death verification. (5)
- 5D) Life expectancy at birth. (5)
- 5E) Objectives of National Population Policy. (5)
- 5F) School absenteeism because of menstrual hygiene. (5)

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