

MANIPAL UNIVERSITY

SECOND MBBS DEGREE EXAMINATION – NOV/DEC 2009

SUBJECT: FORENSIC MEDICINE (ESSAY)

Friday, November 27, 2009

Time: 10:30 – 13:00 Hrs.

Maximum Marks: 60

✍ Answer ALL questions.

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1. Describe the procedure of recording evidence in the Court of Law. What is conduct money?
(5+1 = 6 marks)
2. Write short notes on:
 - 2A. Poroscopy and cheiloscopy
 - 2B. Tattoos and its medico legal importance
 - 2C. Dying declaration

((1½+1½)+(1½+1½)+3 = 9 marks)
3. Enumerate the types of autopsy. What are the objectives of a medico legal autopsy? Add a note on negative autopsy.
(2+2+2 = 6 marks)
4. Write short notes on:
 - 4A. Progression of Rigor mortis and its inference
 - 4B. Adipocere
 - 4C. Sado-masochism

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(3+3+3 = 9 marks)
5. Classify mechanical injuries. Define abrasion and enumerate its types. Briefly explain any two types of abrasion.
(2+1+1+2 = 6 marks)
6. Write short notes on:
 - 6A. Split laceration
 - 6B. Fabricated injuries
 - 6C. Ricochet bullet

(3+3+3 = 9 marks)
7. Define drunkenness. Explain how drunkenness makes driving unsafe.
(2+4 = 6 marks)
8. Write short notes on:
 - 8A. Narcoanalysis
 - 8B. Vitriolage
 - 8C. Formication

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(3+3+3 = 9 marks)

