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SECOND MBBS DEGREE EXAMINATION - MAY 2012

SUBJECT: MICROBIOLOGY - PAPER I (ESSAY)

Monday, May 07, 2012

Time: 10:30 - 13:00 Hrs.

Maximum Marks: 60

- 1. Define and classify sterilisation. Discuss the commonly employed disinfectants in hospital.
 (10 marks)
- 2. A 23-year-old man presented with a 4-week history of coughing, breathlessness and malaise. He had lost 4 kg in weight, but had no history of night sweats or haemoptysis. Gram stain of sputum showed normal commensal flora. WBC count and ESR was raised. Chest X Ray showed presence of cavity in left apical lobe of lung. ZN stain of sputum showed presence of Acid Fast Bacilli. Serum was positive for HIV antibodies by ELISA.
- 2A. What is the clinical condition and what is the causative agent.
- 2B. Describe the pathogenesis of this condition.
- 2C. What are the laboratory tests to diagnose this condition?
- 2D. Describe the prophylactic measues.

(1+3+4+2 = 10 marks)

- 3. Write short notes on:
- 3A. Agglutination test.
- 3B. Bacterial flagella.
- 3C. Bacteroides fragilis.
- 3D. Interleukins.
- 3E. Diarrhoeagenic Escherichia coli.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

- 4. Write briefly on:
- 4A. Post Streptococcal sequelae.
- 4B. Transduction.
- 4C. Biological effects of Coplement.
- 4D. Bacterial growth curve.
- 4E. Causative agents of food poisoning.

 $(3\times5 = 15 \text{ marks})$



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SUBJECT: MICROBIOLOGY - PAPER II (ESSAY)

Tuesday, May 08, 2012

Time: 10:30 - 13:00 Hrs.

Maximum Marks: 60

Answer all questions.

1. Describe the pathogenesis and laboratory diagnosis of Human immunodeficiency virus infection.

(5+5 = 10 marks)

- 2. A 15 year old boy was admitted to the hospital with a history of high fever, chills, rigor and headache of 3 days duration. The stained peripheral smear showed ring shaped trophozoites.
- 2A. What is the most probable diagnosis?
- 2B. Describe the life cycle of the parasite causing above condition.
- 2C. Describe the pathogenesis of the disease.
- 2D. Discuss the laboratory diagnosis of the disease.

(1+3+3+3 = 10 marks)

3. Write short notes on:

- 3A. Larva migrans.
- 3B. Cysticercus cellulosae.
- 3C. Interferons.
- 3D. Prions.
- 3E. Cryptococcus neoformans.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

4. Write briefly on:

- 4A. Enterobius vermicularis
- 4B. Complications of falciparum malaria.
- 4C. Antigenic shift and antigenic drift.
- 4D. Aspergillosis.
- 4E. Rhinosporidiosis.

 $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$