

SECOND SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE (CUC S) **EXAMINATION**
JUNE 2014

Psychology

PSY 2.1 – PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 36 Weightage

Part A

*Write short notes on all questions.**Each question carries a weightage of 1.*

1. Amphetamines.
2. Adjustment disorder.
3. Contributory cause.
4. Dysgraphia.
5. La belle indifference.
6. Social phobia.
7. Cyclothymia.
8. Diathesis-stress models.
9. Dimensional models.
10. Fugue.
11. Insight.
12. Delirium.
13. Voyeurism.
14. Secondary gains.

(14 x 1 = 14 weightage)

Part B

*Answer any seven of the following in a **paragraph**.**Each question carries a weightage of 2.*

15. Bring out the importance of considering the care givers in the management of dementia.
16. Write a brief note on the etiological factors in mental retardation.

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17. Explain the significance of case history taking and mental status examination in a clinical setting.
18. Discuss the clinical features of Somatoform disorders.
19. Elucidate the importance of using computers in clinical assessments.
20. Compare and contrast DSM and ICD classification systems.
21. Discuss the various theoretical models explaining Dissociative Identity Disorders (DID).
22. Give an account of the major subtypes of schizophrenia.
23. Explain the various stages in Alcohol dependence.
24. Examine the role of psycho-social factors in the development of maladaptive behaviour.

(7 x 2 = 14 weightage)

Part C

*Write essays on any **two** of the following.*

Each question carries a weightage of 4.

25. Define Personality disorders and critically examine the various theoretical perspectives on personality.
26. Summarize the key phenomenological features of Major Anxiety Disorders and explain it from a cognitive perspective.
27. Describe any *two* common disorders of childhood and adolescence and the treatment programmes for dealing with it.
28. Critically evaluate the various psycho-social and cognitive models of depression.

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)