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FINAL EXAM DECEMBER 2010

# PEDIATRICS

### PAPER - I

PED/D/10/31/I

Time : 3 hours Max. Marks : 100

Attempt all questions in order. Each question carries 10 marks.

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1	Write the common causes and differential diagnosis of gross symptomatic hematuria. Provide an algorithm for its laboratory and	2+2+6
2	Write the characteristic features of tebrile seizures in children.	2+2+3+3
3	the indications and regime for continuous prophylaxis in febrile seizures. Define acute bronchiolitis. Describe its etiopathogenesis and characteristic features. Outline the essential steps in management of	2+2+2+4
4	bronchiolitis. Tabulate the classification of Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis and state	4+6
4	principles of its treatment. Enumerate sources of lead poisoning. Outline the mechanism of toxicity	3+3+4
	and clinical features of lead poisoning.	10
6	Outline the management of dog bite in a four year old child.	4+6
7	Describe the types of hearing loss in children. Enumerate the causes of	
8	hearing loss in children. Define hyponatremia. Enumerate the etiology of hyponatremia.	2+3+5
	Describe the management of hypovolemic hyponatremia.	10
9	Outline the 10 steps of management of severe malnutrition, as per WHO	
	guidelines, in appropriate sequence. Discuss the management of acute diarrhea with particular reference to	3+2+3+2
10	low osmolarity ORS, zinc, probiotics and antibiotics.	

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- 1 Outline the fine motor milestones along with their normal age of achievement 10 in sequence attained between birth and 5 years of age.
- 2 Define failure to thrive and tabulate its causes. Outline the approach to 2+3+5 manage a child with failure to thrive.
- 3 Discuss the approach to diagnosis of Persistent Pulmonary Hypertension of 4+6 Newborn (PPHN). Outline the available modalities of management, highlighting their key features, in a tabular format.
- 4 Enumerate functions of vitamin A in human body. Tabulate the WHO 2+3+5 classification of vitamin A deficiency. Outline the treatment schedule for managing Xerophthalmia in children.
- 5 Outline the risk factors, pathophysiology and principles of management of 3+3+4 intraventricular hemorrhage in preterm neonates.
- 6 Discuss the principles of care of the skin in neonates. Outline the role of 4+3+3 touch and massage therapy in newborn infants.
- 7 Define Under-5 mortality rate. Comment on its current status and etiology in 2+2+2+4 India. Outline important strategies /programs undertaken by Govt. of India to improve Under-5 child survival.
- 8 Provide algorithms for case-detection and treatment for a child with fever, suspected to have malaria, as per National Vector-borne Disease Control Program:

a. In an area where microscopy results are available within 24 hours; and

- b. In an area where microscopy results are not available within 24 hours.
- 9 Define complementary feeding. Outline the attributes of complementary 2+2+6 foods. Enumerate the recommendations on complementary feeding, as per the National Guidelines on Infant and Young Child Feeding (IYCF).
- 10 Discuss the pathophysiology, classification and diagnostic features of 4+3+3 necrotizing enterocolitis.

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## PEDIATRICS

PAPER - III

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## Attempt all questions in order. Each question carries 10 marks.

1	Enumerate the complications of acute post-streptococcal	
	glomerulonephritis. Describe their management in brief.	3+7
2	Outline the diagnostic criteria of diabetes insipidus. Discuss the	4+6
	management of nephrogenic diabetes insipidus.	+-0
3	Enumerate the causes and outline the characteristics and treatment	3+3+4
	of Supraventricular Tachycardia (SVT) in an infant.	0.014
4	Define myoclonic epilepsy. Discuss in brief the characteristic	2+8
	features of different types of myoclonic epilepsies, with onset in infancy.	
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	Outline the clinical features, radiological changes, diagnosis and treatment of nutritional vitamin D deficiency rickets.	2+2+2+4
6	Discuss the clinical features, diagnosis and management of	
	Developmental Dysplasia of Hip (DDH).	3+4+3
7	Discuss evaluation and management of an 8 year old male with	4+6
	primary nocturnal enuresis.	++0
8	Describe the characteristic changes observed in fundus examination	4+3+3
	of a child with	1.010
	i. Chronic hypertension;	
	ii. Acute lymphoblastic leukemia;	
	iii. Longstanding diabetes mellitus	
9	Outline the characteristic clinical features of 'erythema multiforme'	4+3+3
	and 'Stevens-Johnson Syndrome'. Enumerate the principles of	
10	management of Stevens - Johnson syndrome.	
10	Outline the management of an 8-year old child with acute liver cell	10
	failure and hepatic encephalopathy.	

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#### PAPER - IV

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1	Enumerate the hormones secreted by anterior pituitary and list the	3+7
	factors stimulating and inhibiting secretion of growth hormone.	
2	Discuss the etiology, pathogenesis and diagnostic workup of acute	3+3+4
	autoimmune hemolytic anemia.	
3	Define and explain sensitivity, specificity, positive predictive value and	2.5X4
	negative predictive value of a diagnostic test.	
4	Outline the normal bilirubin metabolism. Outline the principle of	4+3+3
	phototherapy for treatment of neonatal jaundice. List factors that	
	influence the efficacy of phototherapy.	
5	Discuss the lung function abnormalities in severe asthma. What is the	6+4
	role of lung function evaluation in management of asthma in children?	
6	Describe the etiology, pathogenesis, diagnosis and treatment of	1+2+3+4
	antibiotic associated diarrhea.	
7	Enlist the functions of pancreas. Outline the pancreatic function tests	4+6
	and their implications in pediatric practice.	
8	Discuss the pathophysiology of hyaline membrane disease in	10
	premature newborns.	
9	Write short notes on the following:	
	a. Grading of vesico-ureteric reflux and indications of surgical	3+2
	intervention in children with vesico-ureteric reflux.	
	b. Peripheral smear findings in iron deficiency and B <sub>12</sub> deficiency	2.5+2.5
	anemia.	
10	Describe in brief the diseases in which IVIG is used for treatment.	5+2+1+2
	Write the dosage, administration and side effects of IVIG.	

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