PG Degree Examinations in Microbiology (MD) - May 2013

Paper IV - Applied Microbiology and Recent Advances in Microbiology

Time: 3 hrs

- Answer all questions
- Draw diagrams wherever necessary

Essays:

 Classify different types of PCR and explain multi-locus sequence typing(MLST) PCR.

Short essays:

- (8x10=80)
- 2. How do you establish hospital infection control committee and monitor the hospital infection periodically in a tertiary care hospital of 2000 bed strength.
- Outline the working principle, use of flow cytometry and its application in stem cell marker detection.
- 4. What are the various screening and confirmatory mehods to detect ESBL and metallo-beta lactamase
- 5. Name the zoonotic parasitic diseases. Describe the clinical features and laboratory diagnosis of congenital toxoplasmosis.
- Define food poisoning. Describe the role of salmonella in food poisoning and your line of plan and action to manage it.
- 7. Explain the role of bacteriophage typing in epidemic management of a disease.
- 8. How do you establish a microbiology laboratory with good quality control and quality assurance.
- Name the various immunoblotting techniques and explain their uses in detection of various organisms.

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Max marks:100