

D.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION
(Higher Specialities)
Branch IX - Rheumatology
(Revised Regulations)

Paper III - CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, REHABILITATION SURGERY, SPECIAL PROBLEMS RELATED TO RHEUMATIC DISEASES - PAEDIATRIC RHEUMATOLOGY, PREGNANCY AND RHEUMATIC DISEASES

Time: Three hours

Max. marks:100

Answer All Questions

1. Discuss the role of synovectomy in rheumatologic diseases. (25)
2. Discuss the neurological & renal manifestations of SLE & their management. (25)
3. Write briefly on:

Contra indications of intra articular gluco corticoid injections.

- (b) Management of rheumatologic manifestations of haemophilia

Entrapment neuropathy

Antiphospholipid antibodies

Mesoprostol.

(5x10=50)

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1. Sketch the pain pathways and discuss the therapeutic modalities of analgesia. (25)
2. Discuss the rheumatological manifestations of AIDS. (25)
3. Write briefly on:
 - (a) Isotonic vs Isometric exercise
 - (b) Neonatal lupus
 - (c) Rheumatologic adverse effects of glucocorticoids
 - (d) Respiratory problems in Ankylosing Spondylitis
 - (e) Drug-induced arthropathies.

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1. Discuss Clinical significance of Antiphospholipid antibodies in Healthy Pregnant Women. (25)
2. Discuss Rheumatological Manifestations in Sarcoidosis. (25)
3. Write short notes on : (5 × 10 = 50)
 - (a) Immunoregulatory Agents
 - (b) Polychondritis
 - (c) Physical Therapy and Surgical treatment of Osteoarthritis of knee
 - (d) Polymyalgia Rheumatica
 - (e) Cerebrovascular complications of Rheumatic Disease.