

**VINAYAKA MISSION'S RESEARCH FOUNDATION
(DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY), SALEM**

**B.H.M.S. DEGREE EXAMINATION – October 2019
Second Year**

HOMOEOPATHIC MATERIA MEDICA

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 100 marks

I. Write long essays on any **TWO** of the following: (2 x 15 = 30)

- 1) Define homoeopathic materia medica. Explain the steps involved in the construction of homoeopathic materia medica.
- 2) Describe the ailments from, sphere of action, mental, gastric and respiratory symptoms of arsenic alb.
- 3) Mention the ailments from, sphere of action, guiding symptoms, mentals and modalities of sulphur.

II. Write short essays on any **TEN** of the following: (10 x 5 = 50)

- 4) List the different sources of homeopathic materia medica.
- 5) Limitation of homeopathic materia medica.
- 6) Describe schematic/anatomical materia medica.
- 7) List the advantages and disadvantages of doctrine of signature.
- 8) Describe picture type of materia medica.
- 9) Describe the basic concept of homoeopathic materia medica.
- 10) Enumerate the mental symptoms of antimonium crudum.
- 11) Apid mellifica – female symptoms.
- 12) Explain 10 characteristic symptoms of arnica.
- 13) Write a note on cina child.
- 14) Baptisea – fever.
- 15) Mention the glandular symptoms of spongia.

III. Write short notes of the following: (**Answer ALL**): (10 x 2 = 20)

- 16) Mention two examples for comparative materia medica.
- 17) List three disadvantages of human proving.
- 18) Define 'general symptoms' with example.
- 19) List the sources of symptoms.
- 20) List two uses of Keynote materia medica.
- 21) Aethusa – Epilepsy.
- 22) List three characteristic symptoms of calendula.
- 23) Mention the menses of euphrasia.
- 24) Define complementary drug.
- 25) Indicate mag phos in colic.