

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

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

MATERIA MEDICA

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 100 marks

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

- 1) Write the drug picture of “BELLADONNA”.
- 2) Write the drug picture of “CARBO VEGETABILIS”.
- 3) Write the drug picture of “SEPIA”.

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

- 4) Compare “ACETIC ACID” and “APIS MEL” in dropsy.
- 5) “CACTUS GRANDIFLORUS” - Leading indications.
- 6) Beriberis vulgaris and lycopodium in calculi.
- 7) “CANNABIS INDICA” – Mind symptoms.
- 8) Name all the tissue remedies and write the importance of “KALI” group of drugs.
- 9) Name FIVE injury remedies and “ARNICA” injuries in detail.
- 10) Constitutional symptoms of “PHOSPHORUS”.
- 11) Hysterical symptoms of “MOSCHUS” and ‘ASAFOETIDA’.
- 12) “GRAPHITES” and “PETROLEUM” in ski ailments.
- 13) Mention “THREE” Haemonidal drugs and write “ALOES” in detail.
- 14) Compare ‘MUREX’ and ‘SEPIA’ in female symptoms.
- 15) Write about the ‘MANIA’ in TARENTULA HISPANICA’ and causation and behaviour of the patient.

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

- 16) “ACTEA SPICATA” Joints pains.
- 17) “ALUMINA” – stool.
- 18) “PODOPHYLLUM” – Diarrhoea.
- 19) “CYCLAMEN.E” – Female symptoms
- 20) Spongia Tosta – Importance
- 21) Anti-biotic of tissue remedies.
- 22) CHAMOMILLA – CHILD
- 23) Two worm remedies and indications.
- 24) What is a ‘SARCODE’ and two examples?
- 25) Name two (TWO) constitutional remedies.