

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

**B.H.M.S. DEGREE EXAMINATION – August 2021**

**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 Materia Medica. Explain different ways of studying Homoeopathic Material Medica with examples.
- 2) Drug picture of Thuja Occidentals.
- 3) Compare the action of arnica, ledum pal and Bellis perrinis in Injuries.

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

- 4) Limitations of Materia Medica.
- 5) Types and source books of Materia Medica.
- 6) Doctrine of signature with examples.
- 7) Basic concept of Homoeopathic Materia Medica.
- 8) Importance of totality in Homoeopathic materia medica.
- 9) Drosera and Antitart – Respiratory.
- 10) Milk Intolerance – Aethusa Cynapium.
- 11) Colic – Colocynthis and Mag.phos.
- 12) Headache – Bryonia and Gelsemium.
- 13) Ipecac and anti tart in Pneumogastric affections.
- 14) Ferrum phos in Anaemia.
- 15) Allium cepa and Euphrasia – Coryza – compare.

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

- 16) Drug proving.
- 17) What is drug?
- 18) Materia Medica pura.
- 19) What is applied Materia medica?
- 20) Antidote.
- 21) Calcarea phos – cravings.
- 22) Chamomilla – Toothache.
- 23) Kali Muriaticum – Discharges.
- 24) Sulphur – skin.
- 25) Natrum muriaticum – Tongue.