VINAYAKA MISSION'S RESEARCH FOUNDATIONS (Deemed to be University), SALEM

Pharm.D/ Pharm.D (POST BACCALAUREATE) DEGREE EXAMINATION - September 2021 Fourth Year

CLINICAL TOXICOLOGY

Time: Three hours Maximum: 70 marks

I. Write essays on any **TWO** questions:

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

- 1. Explain in detail the signs, symptoms and treatment of opioids and tobacco dependence.
- 2. Discuss various heavy metal poisoning emphasizing the clinical symptoms and its management.
- 3. Discuss various methods and importance of gut decontamination and elimination enhancement in the treatment of poisoning.

II. Write short answers on any **SIX** questions:

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

- 4. Describe the mechanism and uses of EDTA in clinical toxicology.
- 5. Write the clinical symptoms and chronic poisoning with copper.
- 6. Clinical symptoms and management of methanol poisoning.
- 7. Insecticide poisoning.
- 8. Write the clinical symptoms and chronic poisoning with aluminum.
- 9. Arthropod bites and its treatment.
- 10. Clinical symptoms and management of botanical poisoning.
- 11. Write a brief note on universal antidote.

III. Write short notes on any **FIVE** question:

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$

- 12. Heavy metals.
- 13. Opiate overdose.
- 14. Cardiac effects.
- 15. Drug abuse.
- 16. Ethanol antidote.
- 17. Venomous snakes.
