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Sub. Code: 3051

**M.Sc (MEDICAL SOCIOLOGY) DEGREE EXAMINATION
FIRST YEAR**

(For candidates admitted from 2007-2008 onwards)

Paper I – PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY

Q.P. Code : 283051

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Draw suitable diagram wherever necessary.

Answer ALL questions.

I. Essays:

(2 x 20 = 40)

1. Discuss. Spencer's theory of social evolution.
2. Examine the relationship between class-based inequalities and health status.

II. Write Short Notes on :

(10 x 6 = 60)

1. Associative social processes.
2. Characteristics of social institutions.
3. Sociology and social anthropology.
4. Anomie as explained by Durkheim.
5. Power and authority.
6. Causes of alienation.
7. Sickness and deviance.
8. Primary and secondary groups.
9. Caste as a closed system of stratification.
10. Subject matter of economics.
