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M.Sc. (Epidemiology) DEGREE EXAMINATION.

Part I

Paper II — EPIDEMIOLOGY OF DISEASES OF  
PUBLIC HEALTH IMPORTANCE AND DISEASE  
CONTROL

Time : Three hours      Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

1. Describe the present epidemiological situation of tuberculosis in India. What are the strategies required to reduce the disease? (20)
  2. Write briefly on : (30)
    - (a) Hypertension prevalence
    - (b) Acute respiratory infection control
    - (c) Measles vaccine
    - (d) Iron deficiency anaemia.
  3. Describe the epidemiological situation of coronary heart disease in India. What are the strategies adopted to reduce it? (20)
  4. Write briefly on : (30)
    - (a) Diabetes epidemic in India
    - (b) Hepatitis-A
    - (c) Anti-Rabies vaccines
    - (d) Food Poisoning.
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