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

**FIRST YEAR**

**(For candidates admitted from 2007-2008 onwards)**

**PAPER IV – SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY AND MENTAL HEALTH**

*Q.P. Code : 283054*

**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 100 marks**

**Answer All questions.**

**I. Essays :**

**(2 x 20 = 40)**

1. Define Attitude. Discuss attitude formation. How attitude influences behavior and Attitudinal change?
2. Write an essay on prevention of mental disorders.

**II. Write Short Notes on :**

**(10 x 6 = 60)**

1. Schema.
2. Bias in social cognition.
3. Stress-diathesis model
4. Suicide prevention.
5. Define management.
6. Role of biological factors in aggression.
7. Consultation-liaison psychiatry.
8. World mental health day.
9. Reinforcements.
10. Culture.

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