Diplomate of the National Board Respiratory Medicine 2006

Each question carries 10 marks Write short notes on

PAPER I

- 1. Recent advances in the management of Sarcoidosis
- 2. Etiopathogenesis and management of Pulmonary hypertension
- 3. Consequences and management of obstructive sleep apnea
- 4. Infectious control measures in the ICU
- 5. Drug induced lung diseases
- 6. Management of sepsis with multiple organ dysfunction
- 7. Pulmonary manifestations of HIV AIDS
- 8. Diffuse alveolar hemorrhage
- 9. Principles of antibiotic use and selection of empiric therapy for pneumonia
- 10. HIV and tuberculosis: Management issues

PAPER II

- 1. Sick Building syndrome
- 2. Epidemiology of COPD
- 3. Farmer's Lung

- 4. Management of acute hypercapnic failiure in a patient of COPD
- 5. Emerging Respiratory infections
- 6. Tropical pulmonary Eosinophilia
- 7. Decompression Sickness
- 8. Radiation Pneumonitis
- 9. Environmental Tobacco smoke (ETS)
- 10. Rehabilitation in COPD

PAPER III

- 1. Chemotherapy for non-small cell lung cancer.
- 2. Drug interactions of rifampicin
- 3. Lung transplantation
- 4. Diagnosis of pulmonary thromboembolism
- 5. Avian Flu
- 6. Non invasive ventilation- indications and contraindications in acute repiratory failiure
- 7. Principles of management of drug resistant tuberculosis
- 8. Long term oxygen therapy
- 9. Reactive airway dysfunction syndrome
- 10. Pulmonary disability assessment.

PAPER IV

- 1. Stains for AFB
- 2. Bullous lung disease
- 3. Polysomnography
- 4. Diagnosis of ventilator associated pneumonia
- 5. Inspiratory capacity
- 6. Poncet's disease
- 7. Asthma mortality
- 8. Pleurodesis
- 9. Test for small airway diseases
- 10. Virtual bronchoscopy.