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B.Sc (Nursing) **DEGREE EXAMINATION**

(Modified Regulations) First Year

Paper I – NURSING PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE

Q.P. Code: 664710

Time: Three hours Maximum: 75 marks

Answer All questions

I. Essays: (2X15=30)

- 1. Describe the role of nurses in the following:
 - a) Maintaining the Nutritional needs of a patient. (5)
 - b) In relieving pain. (5)
 - c) Admission of a patient to the hospital. (5)
- 2. a) Name the steps of nursing process. (3)
 - b) Describe any three in detail. (12)

II. Write Short Notes on : (5X 5 = 25)

- 1. Therapeutic uses of heat.
- 2. Pre and post operative care.
- 3. Steps to control hospital infections.
- 4. Surgical asepsis.
- 5. Collection of specimen of 24 hours urine for lab examination.

III. Short Answer Questions: (10X 2 = 20)

- 1. List four human communication skill
- 2. Principles of primary health care.
- 3. Mention the barriers of communication.
- 4. List out four criterion for a profession.
- 5. Mention four special beds used for clients.
- 6. Mention four indicators of health.
- 7. Name four comfort devices.
- 8. Mention four methods to control bleeding.
- 9. Causes of pressure sore.
- 10. Mention four types of fracture.