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MSW 2C 08 : ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY
(2014 Admn. Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART - I

Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries **two** marks. (4×2=8)

Choose the best answer.

1. An idiosyncratic belief which one is not shared with others.
a) Delusion
b) Hallucination
c) Illusion
d) Malfunction
2. Schizophrenia is a form of _____
a) Psychosis
b) Neurosis
c) Diathesis
d) Sclerosis
3. _____ is a less severe chronic form of depression.
a) Dyspepsia
b) Dysthymia
c) Bulimia
d) Homeostasis
4. A state of unresponsiveness, though conscious
a) Sopor
b) Stupor
c) Comma
d) Fugue

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PART – II

Answer **any four** questions in **less than 200** words. **Each** question carries **four** marks. **(4×4=16)**

5. Explain the 'nature - nurture' controversy in terms of abnormal behaviour.
6. Discuss the consequences of prolonged alcohol abuse.
7. Explain the various sub-types of Schizophrenia.
8. How do you distinguish 'Delirium' and 'Dementia' ?
9. Explain the various symptoms and features of Autism.
10. Discuss the various factors contributing to positive mental health.

PART – III

Answer **any two** questions in **less than 800** words. **Each** question carries **8** marks. **(2×8=16)**

11. Explain the typical symptoms and associated features of somatoform disorders.
 12. Explain DSM-IV classification of sexual disorders.
 13. What do you mean by 'Defence Mechanisms' of mind ? Discuss how they help to cope with and to adjust with critical situations.
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