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**Third Semester M.S.W. Degree Examination, January 2007**  
**Optional – I : MEDICAL AND PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORK**  
**01 – MPSW I – Medical Information for Social Work**

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

**PART – I**

Answer **any six** questions. **Each** question carries **3** marks. Answer to a question is limited to **100** words.

Write short notes on :

1. India population project.
2. Vector control.
3. Public health.
4. Hygiene and sanitation.
5. Falsiparam malaria.
6. Palliative care.
7. Hypertension.
8. Obesity.
9. Cholesterol.

(6×3=18)


**PART – II**

Answer **any five** questions. **Each** question carries **6** marks. Answer to a question is limited to **200** words.

10. Explain the relevance and feasibility of sex education in schools.
11. Explain the concept of “Health for all” and the challenges in realizing it.
12. Describe the organization and role of primary health centres.

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13. Enumerate any four major characteristics of chronic illness.
  14. What are the objectives of population education ? Comment on the strategies.
  15. Explain the psycho-social problems faced by a person with physical disability.
  16. Critically assess the health situation in India.
  17. "Leprosy is a social disease". Elucidate. (5×6=30)

PART – III

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** question carries **16** marks. Answer to a question is limited to **900** words.

18. "Provision of health services in the rural areas pose great challenge to the health professionals and medical social worker." Discuss.
  19. Leprosy though a physical illness has its psycho-social impact both on the individual and family – Discuss.
  20. Elaborate with example the role and functions of a medical social worker working with HIV positive individuals. (2×16=32)
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