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7th End Semester Examination

NPD 4122- Professional Development in Nursing

SEQ Paper A

August 2018

Duration: One & half (1 & 1/2) hour

Index Number:

I. Write short notes on following. (50 marks)

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a. How to enhance the public image of Nursing (20 marks)

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b. How to be assertive as a Nurse

(15 marks)

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c. Professional Nursing Organizations in Sri Lanka

(15 marks)

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2. **Four nurses** were attached to a welfare institution where war refugees are being kept.

(100 marks)

Among them there are people

- with different health conditions including people with disabilities,
- Different age groups
- from various ethnicities and cultures

2.1 What are the unique responsibilities of these nurses? (20 marks)

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2.2 There are expected standards of behaviour for nursing and there are specific ethical principles which guide these nurses in their professional actions.

Name four principles. (20 marks)

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2.3 What are the ethical concepts needed to provide ethically acceptable nursing care?

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2.4 Name the moral theories (models) described in normative ethics that can apply in patient care. (20 marks)

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2.5 Mention the “greatest happiness principle” and describe briefly the “greatest happiness principle” (20 marks)

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1. Child abuse is a common phenomenon in the world. (50 marks)

a. Define child abuse (04 marks)

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b. List five (05) different injury patterns seen in physical child abuse of children. (10 marks)

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c. State three (03) other different forms of child abuse. (06 marks)

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d. List five (05) medico legal duties of a nursing officer a child admitted with suspected physical abuse. (10 marks)

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e. State five (05) medico legally important information you would record in the nursing notes about the child. (10 marks)

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- f. If the mother is the suspected perpetrator, what steps would you take to prevent further abuse of the child in the ward? (10 marks)

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2. A 20 year old male was admitted to the casualty ward with two superficial lacerations on the left forehead. He has given a dying declaration to a senior nursing officer in the ward related to a history of forced admission of a poison through mouth by three known people. He died on the 10th day after admission.

(100 marks)

2.1 Define 'Laceration'

(15 marks)

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2.2 Define 'Dying Declaration'.

(15 marks)

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