

**VINAYAKA MISSION'S RESEARCH FOUNDATIONS, SALEM**  
**(Deemed to be University)**

**B.Sc. (NURSING) DEGREE EXAMINATION – August 2018**  
**Third Year**

**MENTAL HEALTH NURSING**

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

**SECTION – A**

I. Answer **All** Questions. Each answer in one or two sentences : (15 x 1 = 15)

1. Define psychiatric nursing
2. Concepts of Mental Health
3. What is meant by illusion?
4. Define Personality.
5. Define Munchausen syndrome
6. What is meant by Agnosia?
7. Define Jamais vu
8. What is the therapeutics level of lithium in blood?
9. Define Psychopathology.
10. Mention any two clinical features of hypomania
11. Define Cataplexy
12. What is meant by drug dependence?
13. Define frotteurism
14. What is meant by sibling rivalry?
15. Define Forensic Psychiatry

**SECTION – B**

II. Write short notes on any **SIX** of the following : (6 x 5 = 30)

16. Characteristics of mentally health person.
17. Mental status examination.
18. Principles of Therapeutics Communication
19. General guidelines to be followed during drug administration in Psychiatry
20. Play therapy
21. Types of Schizophrenia
22. Therapeutic communication Techniques
23. Nursing management of client with suicidal tendency in psychiatric ward

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**SECTION – C**

III. Answer any **THREE** of the following : ( 3x10 =30)

24. Define Mania. Discuss in detail the etiology, signs and symptoms, psychopathology of Mania. Explain the nursing management of a client with Mania.
25. Define mental retardation and discuss the nursing management of a child with severe mental retardation
26. Describe the type of admission in psychiatric hospital and role of nurse in admission procedure.
27. Define rehabilitation. Discuss the role of nurse in psychiatric rehabilitation.

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