

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

**Pharm.D DEGREE EXAMINATION August 2018**  
**Second Year**

**COMMUNITY PHARMACY**

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 70 marks

I. Write essays on any **TWO** questions: (2 x15 = 30)

1. Explain the pathophysiology and management of commonly occurring ophthalmic diseases.
2. Explain the reasons for exercising cautions when using medications in the elderly patients.
3. Explain the factors affecting 'medication adherence' and describe the role of pharmacist in improving adherence.

II. Write short answers on any **SIX** questions: (6 x 5 = 30)

4. Role of pharmacists in improving rational drug use.
5. Explain the role of pharmacist in family planning.
6. Maintenance of records in community pharmacy.
7. Write a note on community pharmacist services to nursing at home.
8. Write a note on code ethics for community pharmacists.
9. Explain the barriers to communication.
10. Explain the role of pharmacist in health screening in community pharmacies.
11. Write on legal requirements for establishing in community pharmacy.

III. Write short notes on any **FIVE** question: (5 x 2 = 10)

12. WHO definition of health and health promotion.
13. Common drug therapy for nausea and vomiting.
14. Vitamin D deficiency.
15. Enlist four non communicable diseases.
16. What medicines can be given for treating pyrexia?
17. What are EOQ and VED?

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