



The Open University of Sri Lanka
 Department of Nursing - BSc Honours in Nursing Programme
 NGU6400- Trends and Issues in Nursing
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 No Book Test 01

Please return your question paper with your answer sheet

Date: 03.07.2019

Time: 9.00 a.m-10.30 a.m.

Duration: 1 ½ hour

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Please read the instructions given below before answering the questions.

This question paper consists of four parts: Part A, Part B, Part C and Part D.
 Answer all questions.

Part A – 10 Multiple Choice Questions (10 marks)

There are **10 Multiple Choice Questions** in this paper and below each question or statement contains four responses. Select the **best response** to each question and **encircle** it.

Part B – 10 Matching Questions (10 marks)

Match the phrases given on the Left with most relevant words given on the Right. Put the letter belongs to the selected word in the brackets given on the middle.

Part C - Four (4) Short Answer Questions (SAQs) (60 marks)

Answer all the questions within the given space.

Part D- Short Essay Question (SEQ) (20 marks)

Answer within the given space.

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Part A – 10 Multiple Choice Questions (10 Marks)

- 01) Which of the following statement is **INCORRECT** regarding the term “Trend”
- (a) The general direction in which something tends to move.
 - (b) A general direction in which something is developing or changing
 - (c) An unchanging, unrelated situation
 - (d) Something that is currently popular or fashionable
- 02) Select a social factor influencing to developing an issue,
- (a) Equal opportunity for education
 - (b) Established democracy in the country
 - (c) Growth in poverty alleviation plan
 - (d) Public support for a current trend
- 03) Reasons for emerging an issue **EXCEPT**;
- (a) Continuation of accepted norms among professionals
 - (b) inconsistent ideas between people
 - (c) Misunderstanding ideas between people
 - (d) Inconsistent values between people
- 04) Field of Public Health Nursing was instituted,
- (a) At the beginning of the 18th century
 - (b) At the end of the 18th century
 - (c) At the end of the 19th century
 - (d) At the beginning of the 19th century
- 05) The Rockefeller Foundation initiated a modern nursing education program in Sri Lanka during 1948 to 1952. In June 1947, Janet D. Corwin, the Foundation's nursing coordinator for South Asia visited Sri Lanka and prepared a detailed report of the nursing situation in Sri Lanka. One of the contents of that report was,
- (a) Existing remuneration system for nursing
 - (b) Structure of the nursing hierarchy
 - (c) Power of the Trade Unions at that time
 - (d) Nurse to patient ratio in the hospitals
- (06) In 1948, there was an important meeting at the Ministry of Health regarding nursing reform in Sri Lanka. Who is **NOT** attended for that meeting from below mentioned persons?
- (a) Anna Mary Noll
 - (b) Robert Briggs Watson
 - (c) S.W.R.D. Bandaranaike
 - (d) S.F. Chellappa

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- (07) What is a strategic option to move towards achieving preferred future in nursing,
- (a) Establishing more hospitals countrywide
 - (b) Expansion of nursing research base
 - (c) Increasing number of professional organizations for nurses
 - (d) Changing recruitment criterions of nurses
- (08) Remodelling nursing education is an important factor in
- (a) Gaining professional recognition
 - (b) Making health policy to country
 - (c) Maintaining good relationship among co-professionals
 - (d) Understanding relevance position among co-professionals
- (09) The nursing image is presented by **EXCEPT**,
- (a) By individual nurses
 - (b) By Films
 - (c) By Nursing Council
 - (d) By Newspapers
- (10) Social activists in many countries wrote to Nightingale with requests for
- (a) Commencing nursing schools in their countries
 - (b) Send one of her graduates to form a nurse training school and hospital in their city.
 - (c) Educating their co-activists regarding modern nursing
 - (d) Statistics relevance to her successful care delivery method

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Part B – Matching Questions - (10 Marks)

Match the phrases given on the **Left** with most relevant words/phrases given on the **Right**. Put the letter belongs to the selected word/phrase in the brackets given on the middle.

Left		Right
1. Professional Socialization	()	A. Challenging Issue in Sri Lankan Nursing
2. Rockefeller Foundation	()	B. Emerged issue
3. Not having a visionary leadership	()	C. Self-Image Model
4. Factor influencing on one's thoughts and beliefs	()	D. Medical Domination
5. Inconsistent values within people	()	E. Preferred future of Nursing
6. Actions, Performances and achievements of nurses	()	F. Misunderstanding people
7. Marketing Nursing Skills	()	G. Widen health care needs
8. Historically poor progression of nurses' training in Sri Lanka	()	H. Participating in a research conference
9. A greater role for nurses in managing Health Care System	()	I. Heredity
10. Interdisciplinary Skills	()	J. Building Image of Nursing
		K. Modern Nursing in Sri Lanka

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Part C – 04 Short Answers Questions (SAQ) - (60 Marks)

Answer all questions **within** the given space.

01) Nursing as a profession continues to grow globally. A number of challenges are presented for nurses around the world today. It is a need to understand how this macro trend affects you and your international counterparts.

1.1 List six (06) global trends in nursing today. (12 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

1.2 Write three (03) things will help you to identify an issue. (03 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

02) Ethical behavior in nursing practice is important in achieving professional status. Nurses who clarify their values are enhanced in their ability to practice ethically.

2.1 Define the term “value”. (02 Marks)

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2.2 List six (06) categories of values according to value classification (06 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

2.3 List four (04) values essential for the nursing professionals. (04 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

2.4 Name three (03) main steps in acquiring a value. (03 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

03) An issue you may find in nursing practice is any situation that compromise client care by placing the client at a risk or affect nurses' ability to give care consistently with set standards.

3.1 Name four (04) steps of Issue Process. (04 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
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3.2 List four (04) factors influencing for an issue. (04 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

3.3 What are the two (02) types of evaluations can be carried out on an issue. (04 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.

3.4 Think of an issue as unavailability of Glucose -strips to check random blood glucose level in a heavy medical ward. Mention three (03) resources available to resolve this issue. (03 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

04) Image remains crucial for nursing profession. How nurses view professional self-image has an impact on their professional self-esteem.

4.1 Define the term "Image of Nursing". (04 Marks)

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4.2 List four (04) influencing factors for building image of nursing. (08 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

4.3 Write three (03) relevant factors to “Stereotype nature of nursing”. (03 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Part D- Short Essay Question (SEQ) - (20 Marks)

Answer within the given space.

01)

1.1) List five challenging issues faced by Sri Lankan nurses. (10 Marks)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
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- 5.

1.2) Select one of the above-mentioned challenging issues and describe it briefly

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