



**THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
B. Sc. DEGREE PROGRAMME**

**ETHICS IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
PCU 1102
NO BOOK TEST**

DATE: 28.03.2010

TIME: 4.00 p. m. – 5.00 p. m.

DURATION: ONE (01) HOUR

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Answer all questions in the space provided.

1. a) What is meant by informed consent?

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- b) Briefly describe why informed consent is required?

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b) List basic aspects covered in a document of informed consent?

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c) On what basis one can qualify to sign an informed consent?

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d) What are the benefits of signing of an informed consent when patient-doctor relationship is concerned?

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2. a) Define the term "medical ethics"

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- b) What are the values that commonly applied to medical ethics?

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- c) Briefly describe the ethical issues related to biotechnological researches.

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