Date: 22nd October 2024 Time: 1.30 pm – 4.30 pm Duration: 3 hours

Part B – Short Answer Questions (SAQs) (40 marks), Answer all questions

Question 01 (10 Marks)

1.1 Define the term "Professional misconduct" (02Marks)

1.2 Based on your clinical experience, write five (05) ways that the nurses could do professional misconduct. (05 Marks)

1.3 State three (03) potential consequences of professional misconduct in nursing? (03 Marks)

Question 02 (10 Marks)

2.1 List six (06) benefits of having portfolios among student nurses. (06 Marks)

2.2 There are some key principles that serve to motivate healthcare providers to continuously improve efforts in patient safety. Write four (04) principles from those. (04 Marks)

Question 03 (10 Marks)

3.1 List four (04) benefits of attending an orientation programme for a newly appointed nurse. (04 Marks)

3.2 Outline three (03) steps in organizing an in-service education programme. (06 Marks)

Question 04 (10 Marks)

4.1 'The nurses' bill of rights' consists of seven rights to protect the dignity and autonomy of nurses in the workplace. Write **five (05)** of them. (05 Marks)

4.2 Briefly describe the ways you can use nurses' rights to create a respectful, productive, and healthy work environment. (05 Marks)

Part C – Structured Essay Question (30 marks), Answer all questions

Question 01 (15 Marks)

You are a senior nurse in a medical ward and have been appointed to supervise a group of student nurses under your guidance. You have noticed that one of the third-year student nurses is not documenting administration of parenteral medications in the BHT. Describe and discuss how you would give her constructive feedback to correct her practice in a manner that is helpful and supportive.

Question 02 (15 Marks)

Discuss the factors influencing professional decision making among the nurses in Sri Lanka