

B. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023
PSYCHOLOGY
FIFTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY – I
SUBJECT CODE : 19PY/MC/AB55
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX.MARKS:100**

SECTION – A

I. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS.
(10x3=30)

1. Define abnormal psychology.
2. What are the major classification systems used for mental disorders?
3. Explain the key features of dissociative amnesia.
4. Explain pyromania and kleptomania.
5. Define acute stress disorder.
6. Define learning disabilities and provide an example.
7. What are the common symptoms of ADHD?
8. Define hypochondriasis.
9. Explain the concept of gender identity disorder.
10. Define sexual dysfunctions.

SECTION – B

II. ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS.
(5x8=40)

11. Discuss the historical views of abnormal behaviour and its treatment.
12. Briefly discuss the causes and treatment of sexual dysfunctions.
13. Describe the causes and treatment of panic disorders.
14. Discuss the biological, psychosocial, and socio-cultural causal factors of anxiety disorders.
15. Explain the diagnostic criteria and treatments for autism spectrum disorders.
16. Give a detailed account of post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).
17. Analyse the causes and treatment options for paraphilias.
18. Explain the types of panic with suitable examples

SECTION – C

III. ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS.
(2x15=30)

19. Write about the disorders in the stages of sexual response along with causal factors.
20. Discuss diagnostic criteria and treatments for attention deficit/hyperactivity disorders.
21. Examine the concept of adjustment disorders and their prevalence in response to various life stressors. Discuss the assessment and treatment of adjustment disorders.
22. Elaborate on the major systems that is impaired in autism spectrum disorder and list out the treatment in detail.