

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 086**  
**(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2019-2020 & thereafter)**

**M.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION – APRIL 2024**  
**MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK**  
**FOURTH SEMESTER**

**COURSE : CORE**

**PAPER : GERONTOLOGICAL SOCIAL WORK**

**SUB CODE : 19SW/PC/GR44**

**TIME : 3 HOURS**

**MAX. MARKS : 100**

**SECTION – A**

**ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS:**

**(10x2=20)**

1. Recall the definition of aging.
2. What is meant by the longevity of Life?
3. Present any four challenges of senior citizens.
4. What is dementia?
5. List out the Insurance schemes available for older persons
6. Mention any four programmes that ensure elderly rights.
7. Enlist any four challenges faced by the caregivers.
8. What is meant by Age Stratification?
9. List three international organizations that work for the elderly.
10. State the goals of grief counselling.

**SECTION – B**

**(4x10=40)**

**ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 600 WORDS:**

11. Compare Geriatrics and Gerontology and identify its scope in India.
12. Describe the preventive measures in geriatric health care.
13. Critically examine the National Policy (2011) on Senior Citizens.
14. Enlist the UN Principles for Older Persons.
15. Analyse the theory of Social Constructionism and Social Exchange and its applications for working with older persons.
16. Explain the importance of Mobile Medicare and Helplines for older adults.

**SECTION – C**

**(2x20=40)**

**ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS:**

17. Discuss the impact of Neurological, Musculoskeletal, and Respiratory ailments on the elderly.
18. Assess any two Rights and Entitlements available for the elderly.
19. Examine the role of Social Workers in Empowering Older Persons.
20. Explain the Institutional, Non-institutional and Community services rendered by INGOs and NGOs for the elderly.

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