

First Professional BHMS Degree Regular Examination July 2024

Homoeopathic Materia Medica

(2022 Scheme)

Time: 3 Hours

Total marks:100

- Answer all questions to the point neatly and legibly • Do not leave any blank pages between answers • Indicate the question number correctly for the answer in the margin space
- Answer all parts of a single question together • Leave sufficient space between answers
- Draw table/diagrams/flow charts wherever necessary

1. Multiple Choice Questions

(10x1=10)

The Answers to MCQ questions (Q.No. i to Q.No. x) shall be written continuously on the first two writing sheets (ie Page No. 3 & 4) only

- The remedy which has marked action on skin and for suppressed skin complaints
 - Lycopodium
 - Spongia
 - Calendula
 - Sulphur
-is an alkaloid found in Aconitum napellus
 - Strychnine
 - Santonine
 - Quinine
 - Aconitine
- Which of the following is a biochemic tissue salt
 - Nat. carb
 - Calc. carb
 - Kali carb
 - Mag phos
- Acrid lachrymation and bland coryza is a characteristic symptom of
 - Allium cepa
 - Ruta
 - Euphrasia
 - Arum triph
- Persistent Nausea and vomiting with clean tongue forms the chief guiding symptom of remedy
 - Nux vomica
 - Ant. tart
 - Cinchona
 - Ipecac
- Which of the following remedy belongs to compositae family
 - Belladonna
 - Croton tig
 - Coffea cruda
 - Chamomilla
- Remedies which are incompatible and do not follow well are called as
 - Complementary remedies
 - Follow well remedies
 - Inimical remedies
 - Antidotes

(PTO)

- viii. "Smelling salt" is the common name of the remedy
- Aethusa cynapium
 - Antimonium tartaricum
 - Ammonium carb
 - Arum triph
- ix. Which of the following type of Materia medica gives physiological picture of the remedy
- Keynote materia medica
 - Comparative materia medica
 - Clinical materia medica
 - none of the above
- x. Haemorrhoids protrudes like a bunch of grapes in
- Nux vomica
 - Antimonium crudum
 - Podophyllum
 - Aloe soc

Short Answer Questions:

(8x5=40)

- Mention the differences between Homoeopathic system of medicine and Biochemic system of medicine.
- Enumerate different types of proving as sources of Homoeopathic Materia Medica.
- Discuss the merits and demerits of keynote and comparative materia medica with examples.
- List the indications of Kali phos as a biochemic remedy.
- Compare and contrast Aconite and Gelsemium in Fever.
- Describe the mental symptoms of Baryta carb baby.
- Explain the female complaints of Pulsatilla.
- Recall the characteristic symptoms and general modalities of Hepar sulph.

Long Answer Questions:

(5x10=50)

- Describe the ailments from, constitution, mental symptoms and gastrointestinal complaints of Nux vomica. (1+1+4+4)
- List the "Nash trios" of Restless remedies. Compare and contrast the restlessness in all three remedies and discuss how the comparative study helps to understand the materia medica. (1.5+6+2.5)
- Describe the scope and limitations of Homoeopathic Materia Medica. (5+5)
- Describe the ailments from, sphere of action, physical constitution, mental state and skin complaints of Silicea. (1+1+2+4+2)
- Compare and contrast Croton tig, Podophyllum, Sulphur and Ars alb in Diarrhoea. (2.5+2.5+2.5+2.5)
