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PG Degree Supplementary Examinations in Pathology (MD) – November 2017

Paper III - Haematology, Transfusion Medicine and Laboratory Medicine

Time: 3 hrs Max marks:100

- Answer all questions
- Draw diagrams wherever necessary

Essays: (20)

 Classify thalassemia. Add a note on molecular basis of beta thalassemia and genetic counselling.

Short Essays: (8x10=80)

- 2. Nucleic acid amplification technology (NAT) for infectious markers
- 3. Congenital dyserythropoietic anemia
- Role of stem cells in tissue homeostasis, add a note on peripheral blood stem cell harvesting
- 5. Acute promyelocytic leukemia
- 6. Laboratory assessment of factor VIII-inhibitor assay (Bethesda assay)
- 7. Discuss post-transplant anaemia. Add a note on passenger lymphocytic syndrome and its laboratory investigation
- 8. What is apheresis. Discuss the role of therapeutic apheresis in various clinical conditions.
- 9. Automation in urine analysis
