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First Year Post Basic B.Sc Nursing Supplementary Examinations- April 2015

MATERNAL NURSING

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 75

- **Answer all questions**

Essay :

(20)

1. Mrs. Y. has come to the labour room at 38 weeks of gestation. She is in true labour.

Abdominal palpation reveals that the foetal position is left occipito posterior (LOP).

Answer the following questions

- Describe the mechanism of left occipito-posterior position.
- Explain the nursing care of Mrs.Y during the first stage of labour.

(10+10 = 20)

Short notes:

(5x7=35)

2. Maternal morbidity and mortality

3. Foetal skull

4. Clinical features of ectopic pregnancy

5. Diet in pregnancy

6. Nursing care of a woman 24 hours after delivery

Differentiate between:

(5x3=15)

7. Clinical manifestations of abruptio placenta - placenta praevia

8. Physical characteristics of a normal newborn baby - premature baby

9. Lower uterine segment cesarean section (LSCS) - classical cesarean section (CS)

10. Primary infertility - secondary infertility

11. Inversion of uterus - involution of uterus

Define the following:

(5x1=5)

12. Blastocyst

13. Jacquemier's sign

14. Birth injury

15. Anemia in pregnancy

16. Puerperal sepsis
