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**PG Degree Supplementary Examinations in Psychiatry (MD)
April 2026**

Paper IV – Psychiatry Subspecialties and Recent Advances

Time: 3 hrs

Max 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*

Essay: (20)

1. Elaborate on various types of psychometry tools, development of psychometry scales and validation processes involved. Write briefly on impact of sociocultural issues and language during use of psychometry scales

Short Essays: (8x10=80)

2. Criminal responsibility in psychiatric patients
3. Medico legal aspects of documentation in psychiatry
4. School refusal in children-causes and management
5. Bupropion
6. Dementia – recent advances in diagnosis and management
7. Newer disorders in ICD 11
8. Gut brain axis
9. Disability assessment scales in mental illness
