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Second Semester M.S.W. Degree Examination, August 2011 SW 2.2.1: THEORY AND PRACTICE OF COUNSELLING

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 75

PART - I

Answer any 5 questions. Each answer carries 6 marks. Each answer should not exceed 300 words.

- 1. Discuss the characteristics and goals of counseling.
- 2. Explain the different stages of counseling. Elaborate the attitudes and skills required for a counselor at each of these stages.
- 3. Discuss the concept of developmental counseling.
- 4. Discuss the salient features of Gestalt Therapy.
- 5. What is group counseling? Discuss the applicability of group counseling in deaddiction counseling.
- 6. Write a note on:
 - a) Reality Therapy
 - b) Transactional Analysis.
- 7. What is cognitive therapy? Describe the situations where this therapy is effective. Discuss its process with the help of one situation.
- 8. Discuss risk reduction counseling in the context of HIV/AIDS counseling.

 $(5\times6=30 \text{ Marks})$



PART - II

Answer any 3 questions. Each answer carries 15 marks. Each answer should not exceed 1200 words.

- 9. Rational Emotive Therapy has proven effectiveness in regulation of behaviors. Discuss the therapy using an example.
- 10. Discuss the relevance of family life education. Give the outline of a family life education training programme for adolescents.
- 11. Absenteeism and alcohol are common issues encountered in industries. Elaborate and discuss the process of counseling in this context.
- 12. School is a potential place for counseling in the education setting. Elaborate the issues addressed in school counseling and discuss the process of behavior therapeutic techniques used in school counseling.
- 13. Discuss the characteristics of relationship in counseling. Elaborate the factors influencing relationship. (15×3=45 Marks)