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**Third Semester M.S.W. Degree Examination, January 2012**  
**233 A : PSYCHIATRIC INFORMATION FOR SOCIAL WORK**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

**PART – I**

Answer **any five** questions. **All** questions carry **equal** marks. Answer should **not** exceed **300** words.

1. Enumerate the role of heredity in the causation of mental disorder.
2. Mention two behaviour problems in children, and bring out their causes and treatment.
3. Critically comment on the concepts of normality and abnormality.
4. What is meant by mental status examination ? Discuss its importance in the treatment of psychiatric disorders.
5. Discuss the difference between Unipolar and Bipolar disorders.
6. Enumerate the clinical manifestations of schizophrenia.
7. What is Delirium ? Describe its clinical manifestations.
8. Discuss stigmatization of mental illness in the Kerala State. **(5x6=30 Marks)**

**PART – II**

Answer **any three** questions. **All** questions carry **equal** marks. Answer should **not** exceed **1200** words.

9. What is community psychiatry ? Discuss in detail the National Mental Health Programme.

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10. Describe the pathological family patterns leading to maladaptive behaviour. Suggest ways to improve.
11. Enumerate the various psychiatric disorders among children, discuss the causes and suggest ways to tackle them.
12. What is personality disorder? Describe the characteristic traits of a psychopathic personality.
13. Briefly explain the different types of classification in psychiatry.

(3×15=45 Marks)