(For candidates admitted from 2016-2017 onwards)

M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018.

#### Biochemistry

### CLINICAL BIOCHEMISTRY

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

### PART A — $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

### Answer ALL questions.

- 1. What is glycosuria?
- 2. What is fructose malabsorption? Mention its symptoms.
- 3. What is oystinosis?
- 4. What is alkaptonuria?
- 5. What is Zollinger-Ellison syndrome?
- 6. What are gall stones?
- 7. Define creatinine clearance test.
  - 8. Write a note on LDH isoenzymes.

- 9. What do you mean by a tumour marker? Give examples.
- 10. Why is P<sup>53</sup> called a tumour suppressor gene?

# PART B — $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

Answer ALL the questions.

11. (a) What is fatty liver? Bring out the causative agents of fatty liver.

Or

- (b) Explain the role of hormones in the maintenance of blood sugar.
- 12. (a) Write a note on creative protein test.

Or

- (b) Give detailed account on hyper and hypouricemia.
- 13. (a) How will you assess gastric function?

Or.

- (b) Give an account on cirrhosis.
- 14. (a) Explain the principle and clinical significance of transaminases.

Or

(b) Write the biochemical findings in glomerulo nephritis.

15. (a) Write the difference between benign and malignant tumour.

Or

(b) Write a note on AFP.

PART C —  $(3 \times 10 = 30)$ 

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. Write in detail about glycogen storage diseases.
- 17. Discuss the disorders of amino acid metabolism.
- 18. Write an essay on different types of jaundice and their biochemical findings.
- 19. Write in detail about kidney function test.
- 20. Explain the mechanism of protooncogene activation.

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- 1. What are the clinical features of glycosuria?
- 2. What is a lipid profile? Name its components?
- 3. What are the clinical features of albinism?
- 4. What are the causes of gout?
- 5. List the tests related to metabolic functions.
- 6. What are gall stones?
- 7. Write a note on renal calculi.
- 8. Nephrolithiasis-etiology and its complications.

- 9. Distinguish between oncogenes and tumor suppressor genes.
- 10. Differentiate normal and malignant cells.

PART B —  $(5 \times 5 = 25)$ 

Answer ALL the questions.

11. (a) Describe in detail Metabolic abnormalities of diabetes mellitus.

Or

- (b) Explain the clinical conditions of atherosclerosis.
- 12. (a) Give the causes and complications of Hartnup disease and homocystinuria.

Or

- (b) Explain Rheumatoid arthritis test.
- 13. (a) Explain any four liver function tests.

Or

(b) What are the expected changes in the plasma protein level of a person suffering from liver disease?

14. (a) Elaborate the different types of renal failure.

Or

- (b) Discuss the diagnostic significance of aminotransfer are and alkaline phosphatase.
- 15. (a) Write a note on mechanisms of protooncogene.

Or

(b) Differences between benign and malignant tumors.

PART C —  $(3 \times 10 = 30)$ 

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. Discuss blood sugar homeostasis.
- 17. Describe

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- (a) Three inborn errors of amino acid metabolism.
- (b) Three disorders of nucleic acid metabolism.
- 18. Write an account on
  - (a) Peptic ulcer
  - (b) Gastritis.

- 19. Write a detailed account on the principles and diagnostic importance of glomerular function tests.
- 20. Explain carcinogenesis, initiation, promotion and progression in detail.

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