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Second Year B.Sc. Medical Microbiology Supplementary Examinations April 2017

General Microbiology

Time: 3 Hours Total Marks: 100

- Answer all the questions
- Draw diagrams wherever necessary

Essay (2x15=30)

1. Describe the different method of transmission of genetic materials, giving examples. Add a note on genetic mechanism of drug resistance.

2. Classify the different methods of dry & moist heat sterilization and describe the methods.

Add a note on cold sterilization.

Short Essay (2x10=20)

- 3. Describe briefly the role of microorganism in agriculture.
- 4. Describe the different types of aerobic culture methods.

Short Notes (6x5=30)

- 5. Bacterial flagella
- 6. Enrichment media
- 7. Spheroplast
- 8. Testing of disinfectants
- 9. Evaluation of antimicrobial potency
- 10. Microorganisms for vinegar production

Answer Briefly (10x2=20)

- 11. Capsule of bacteria
- 12. Tellurite agar
- 13. Bacterial filters
- 14. Gram positive cell wall
- 15. Viable count of bacteria
- 16. Maintenance of stock cultures
- 17. Oxidase test
- 18. Krebs cycle
- 19. Gaspak method
- 20. Pour plate culture
