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EXAMINATION QUESTIONS

PROGRAMME: BACHELOR OF NURSING SCIENCE (BNSc.)

COURSE CODE: NSC306

COURSE TITLE – MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING II

CREDIT UNITS: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS: 70%

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

Question 1

- a. Define hepatic cirrhosis (1 Mark)
- b. Describe three types of cirrhosis or scarring of the liver (6 marks)
- c. Describe the pathophysiology of hepatic cirrhosis (6 marks)
- d. Define and list the clinical manifestation of Compensated and Decompensated cirrhosis (7 marks)

Question 2

Write short notes on the conditions listed below using the following guideline: *definition; pathophysiology; causes/predisposing factors; clinical manifestation; medical and nursing management*

- a. Hepatitis a Virus (HAV) (10 marks)
- b. Esophageal Varices (10 marks)

Question 3

- a. Define Jaundice (1 mark)
- b. Describe four types of jaundice (20 marks)
- c. With the aid of a nursing care plan manage the following nursing diagnosis for a patient with jaundice:
 - i. Impaired skin integrity related to jaundice;
 - ii. Hyperthermia related to exposure to a hot environment;
 - iii. Fluid volume deficit related to inadequate fluid intake, phototherapy and diarrhoea (9 marks)