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2023_1 POP EXAMINATION

PROGRAMME: BACHELOR OF NURSING SCIENCE (BNSc)

COURSE CODE: NSC 412

COURSE TITLE: MENTAL HEALTH AND PSYCHIATRIC NURSING II

CREDIT UNITS: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS: 70%

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

Question 1

1. Schizophrenia is the most chronic form of mental illness with bias of unpredictability.

Based on your knowledge of the illness;

a. Differentiate with examples and reasons, the positive and negative signs of schizophrenia

10marks

b. describe the following Bleuler's A of schizophrenia symptoms

i. Apathy

ii. Ambivalence

iii. Autism

5marks each

Question 2

Crisis has been described as a time of intense difficulty or danger, a time when a difficult or important decision must be made promptly and accurately

a. Define crisis intervention/ Management

2marks

b. Identify and discuss briefly eight (8) purposes of crisis intervention

8marks

c. Describe the seven (7) key essential notes for a crisis intervention team

7marks

d. Identify four causes and four (4) strategies of preventing community riot

8marks

Question 3

Electro-convulsive therapy (ECT) has been widely embraced in mental health care facilities

a. Define ECT and states one (1) rationale for ECT

2mark

b. Describe ECT under the following headings

i. Types

ii. Rationale

iii. Side effects

12marks

c. Mention four (4) of the equipment for ECT and functions ECT

4marks

d. Explain two (2) contraindications of ECT

2 marks