

Faculty of Health Sciences
Department of Nursing Sciences
2024 1 EXAMINATION-

Programme: Bachelor of Nursing Science
Course Code: NSC412
Course Title: Mental Health and Psychiatric Nursing II
Course Credit Units: 4 Units
Time Allowed: 2 Hours
Total Score: 70 Marks
Instruction: Answer All the Questions

Question 1

- 1 (a). Define psychiatric emergencies (2 marks).
- (b). List eight (8) psychiatric emergencies (4 marks).
- (c). State ten (10) factors that can trigger psychiatric emergencies (5 marks)
- (d) Discuss the Nursing management of a patient with severe depression. (6 marks)
- (e) State six (6) means of preventing psychiatric emergencies (3 marks)

Question 2

2. Write short notes on the following:
- (a) Juvenile Delinquency
 - (b). Tic Disorder
 - (c). Non-organic enuresis
 - (d). Non-organic encopresis (5 marks each)

Question 3

3. Schizophrenia is a chronic and severe mental disorder that affects a person's thinking, feelings and behaviour.
- (a). Highlight six (6) possible causes of schizophrenia (6 marks)
 - (b) State six (6) differences between catatonic and paranoid schizophrenia (6 marks)
 - (c) Discuss the management of schizophrenia (8 marks)

Question 4

4. It is natural for an individual to be anxious when preparing for an examination. However, this can be exaggerated and thus become pathological.
- a. Define Phobia (1 mark).
 - b. Identify and describe four (4) types of Phobia (4 marks.)
 - c. Discuss the Medical and Nursing Management of a patient experiencing Phobia. (5marks).