

M.A. 3rd Semester Examination, 2023

HISTORY

*(History of Medicine in India : Colonial Times to
the Present)*

PAPER – HIS-305(D)(Old)

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

*The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks
Candidates are required to give their answers in
their own words as far as practicable*

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GROUP – A

Answer any four questions : 2 × 4

1. What is the *tridosata* *tatva* ?
2. Briefly define Galenic Medicine ?

3. What is *Materia Medica* ?
4. Why was the *British Pharmacopeia* revised in 1914 ?
5. How did Hakim Ajmal Khan (1868-1927) of Delhi and Vaidya P.S. Varier (1869-1958) of Kottakal assimilate Unani and Ayurveda with Western medicine ?
6. What is the correlation between the Drugs Act of 1940 and the Drugs Technical Advisory Board of 1941, constituted by the colonial government ?

GROUP—B

Answer any **four** questions : 4 × 4

7. What is the Significance of the Hippocrates Oath ?
8. How do the fundamental principles of *ayurveda* align with Indian philosophy ?

9. What is the contribution of the botanical plant *Rauwolfia serpentina* to India's pharmacy ?
10. How did historians differ in their views about colonial public health ?
11. To what extent did the colonial government collaborate with the functionaries of the Rockefeller Foundation in colonial public health in 1915 ?
12. Why did 'Alma Ata' fail to control primary health care in developing countries ?

GROUP – C

Answer any **two** questions : 2 × 8

13. How does *ayurvedā* define *bhutanmāda* ?
Discuss the features and treatment of a patient influenced by *Bhutanmāda*.

14. How is *unmāda* defined in *ayurveda* ?
15. Discuss the impact of the Rockefeller Foundation's hookworm survey in Negapatnam or the Trichinopoly Jail during 1916-20.
16. How did colonialism shape India's medico-pharmaceutical history ?

[Internal Assessment — 10 Marks]
