
Gerontology

INTRODUCTION TO AGING

Time : 3 hours
Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Write the Characteristics of old age.

2. Elucidate on the empty nest syndrome - its causes and consequences.

3. Explain about Rate of living Theory.

4. Elaborate on the intergenerational relationships in old age.

5. Write the Myths and stereotypes about old age in India.
PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Explain Diengagement theory and socio emotional selectivity theory.

7. Explain psychoanalytic and Humanistic perspectives of Death and Dying.

8. Write in your own words about the social and economic needs of the old age in Indian context.

9. Briefly discuss about the retirement experienced by Elderly.

10. Elucidate the Perspectives on death and dying experienced by Elderly. Bring out the means and steps to resolve problems of old age.

11. Write about Erikson, Buhler and Jung’s Theory, Levinson’s Theory in detail.

12. Elucidate the day to day problems and violences experienced by Elderly. Bring out the means and steps to resolve problems of old age.
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PHYSIOLOGICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS OF ELDERLY

Time : 3 hours  Maximum marks : 75

SECTION A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Explain about incontinence.

2. Explain about arthritis.

3. Elaborate on the symptoms of mental illness in old age.

4. Elaborate the different forms of stressors in old age.

5. Write about any one sensory problem in vision of old age.
SECTION B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Write in your own words about the care and management of the old age in Indian context.

7. Elucidate the perspectives on fear of death experienced by elderly. Bring out the means and steps to resolve problems of old age.

8. Describe elaborately on psychosocial impact on dementia of old age.

9. Briefly discuss about mental illness in old age.

10. Explain about cardiovascular problems in old age.

11. Write in your own words about the society’s perspective of old age.

12. Elucidate the day to day problems and violences experienced by Elderly. Bring out the means and steps to resolve problems of old age.
SECTION A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Elucidate on community awareness programme.
2. Explain about objectives of NPHCE.
3. Write about international federation on Aging.
4. Elaborate on community health centre.
5. Describe the activities conducted in the state level.

SECTION B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Describe in detail about Vienna international plan of action.
7. Briefly explain about state health society.
8. Elaborate on the objectives, programmes and evolution about Help Age International.

9. Discuss briefly about WHO and old age.

10. Briefly explain the programs of NPHCE integration with NRHM.

11. Write in your own words about the areas of concern for aging in Indian context.

12. Elucidate ministry of health and welfare’s agenda with relevance to old age care.
PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Explain the role of geriatric clinic.

2. Explain about leisure time activities in senior citizen club.

3. Elaborate the role on Psychotherapy in old age.

4. Explain about Endocrine Theory.

5. Elucidate on causes and consequences of Empty Nest Syndrome.
PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Elaborate on the benefits provided centre and state for the welfare of the elderly.

7. Briefly describe the role of religious institutions in caring for the aged.

8. Write in your own words about the specialized geriatric care in Indian context.

9. Elucidate on the psychological services for the welfare of the caring in elderly.

10. Write about National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP).

11. Elaborate briefly about roles and issues of growing old age homes across the country.

12. Write a short notes on:
   (a) Insurance national policy on older person,
   (b) Health facilities.
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RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN
GERONTOLOGY

Time : 3 hours Maximum marks : 75

SECTION A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Explain about observation method.

2. Elaborate on the recent trends of research on aging in India?

3. Explain about funding organizations for research in gerontology.

4. Elucidate on increasing old age homes.

5. Write about projective technique.
SECTION B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Briefly explain the method of data collection.

7. Elaborate the need for interventional research in old age.

8. Explain the steps in writing a good proposal.

9. Write in your own words about the role of research in welfare of old age in Indian context.

10. Explain about international funding organizations for research in gerontology.

11. Explain the steps in planning and implementing a research in old age.

12. Write the nature and scope of research in gerontology.