

BA III SEMESTER VI

DC TITLE: Abnormal Psychology: Psychotic, Cognitive & Social disorders and disorders diagnosed during childhood

COURSE CODE:

No of Credits: 4

Marks 100 (25 Internals, 75

External)

Course Objectives: After studying this paper, the learner will be able to

- describe severe mental disorders, their symptoms and treatment.
- explain the various clusters of Personality disorders.
- classify the different Cognitive disorders and Affective disorders.
- list the somatoform and dissociative disorders and their symptoms.
- explain the various sexual dysfunction disorders, gender identity disorders and the paraphilias.

Unit I: Psychotic disorders

Objective: From this module, the learner will be

- describe the symptoms, causes and treatment of Schizophrenia

- 1.1 Clinical Picture in Schizophrenia
- 1.2 Causal Factors
- 1.3 Subtypes of Schizophrenia
- 1.4 Treatment and Outcomes

Unit II: Personality disorders

Objective: From this module, the learner will be able to

- describe the Personality Disorders, the various clusters, causes and treatment.

- 2.1 Cluster A- Paranoid, Schizoid, Schizotypal
- 2.2 Cluster B- Antisocial, Histrionic, Borderline Personality, Narcissistic
- 2.3 Cluster C- Avoidant, Dependent, Obsessive Compulsive

Unit III: Cognitive and Affective Disorders

Objectives: From this module, the learner will be able

- describe the various cognitive disorders in adults.
- explain Affective disorders, types, causes and treatment of the same.

- 3.1 Brain Impairment in Adults
- 3.2 Delirium and Dementia
- 3.3 Amnestic Syndrome
- 3.4 Disorders involving Head Injury
- 3.5 Mood Disorders: Unipolar Disorders- Types, Causes, and Treatment
Bipolar Disorders- Types, Causes and Treatment

Unit IV: Somatoform, Dissociative and Sexual Dysfunctions disorders

Objective: From this module, the learner will be able to

- describe the symptoms of somatoform and dissociative disorders, and their treatment
- describe various sexual dysfunctions, gender identity disorders and paraphilias.

4.1 Somatoform disorders

Conversion disorder, Pain disorder, Hypochondriasis, Body dysmorphic disorder

4.2 Dissociative Disorders (Internal assessment only)

Depersonalisation disorder, Dissociative Amnesia and Fugue, Dissociative Identity Disorder

4.3 Sexual Dysfunctions-

Dysfunctions of Sexual Desire, Sexual Arousal, Orgasmic Disorders, Dysfunctions involving sexual

pain

4.4 Gender Identity Disorders

4.5 Paraphilias

Internal Assessment:

- Class test
- Topic based Assignments
- Field Visit to a Mental Health Clinic/Hospital
- Film/Documentary viewing and group discussion

Books for study:

Carson R, Butcher J, Mineka S, Hooley J(2007), Abnormal Psychology, thirteenth edition, Pearson

Nolen – Hoeksema, 2005 Abnormal Psychology, third edition, Tata McGraw-Hill

Reference books:

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Continental Prakashan, Pune

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Rajahans, Patilani Surve (2001): "Apasamanyanche Manasashastra", Unmesh Prakashan, Pune

Sarason, I. G. and Sarason, B. R. (2009): "Abnormal Psychology: The Problem of Maladaptive Behaviour", Eleventh Edition, Pearson Education (Singapore) Pte. Ltd., Delhi (First Impression-, 2007)

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