

M.S.W Examination, 2015

Semester-IV

Paper – OP-7

(Social Work with Elderly)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 80

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin.

Answer **any five** questions.

1. What is elderly abuse? What are the various types of abuses perpetrated on them? Explain the roles and responsibilities of a social worker in handling the case of elderly abuse. 4+4+8=16
 2. What are the differences between rural and urban elderly in terms of social background and problems faced by them and their implication for social work practice? 16
 3. Elucidate the different types of physical and mental health problems encountered by the elderly population in India. 16
 4. What is ageing? Explain the concepts of 'geriatric science' and 'gerontology'. Write a brief note on the socio-cultural, economic and legal needs of elderly. 4+4+8=16
 5. Narrate the role of a social worker in an old-age home with its advantages and disadvantages. 16
 6. What is Alzheimer's disease? What are its major trends? Explain the cause of Alzheimer's disease along with the interventional strategies of a social worker in dealing with an Alzheimer's patient. 4+4+8=16
 7. Write a short note on **any two** of the following: 8+8=16
 - (a) Delirium
 - (b) Caregivers
 - (c) Elderly sexual abuse
 - (d) Dementia
 8. Describe the various welfare measures adopted by the Government for the well being of the elderly population in India. 16
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