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MICROBIOLOGY-Paper II

Time: One Hour and a Half

Maximum: 32 Marks

Answer Sections A-II and B in separate answer-books.

Draw diagrams wherever necessary.

Section A-II

III. Draw and label:

- 1 HIV Virus.
- 2 Candida Albicans-Gram Staining.

 $(2 \times 1 = 2 \text{ marks})$

IV. Short answer questions:

- 1 Name four opportunistic infections in AIDS patients.
- 2 Name four sexually transmitted micro-organisms
- 3 Name four dimorphic fungi.
- 4 List four nosocomial pathogens with disease caused.

 $(4 \times 1 = 4 \text{ marks})$

V. Write short notes on:

- 1 Larva migrans (MIGRANS)
- 2 Complications of Falciparum Malaria.
- 3 Prophylaxis of Hepatitis B

 $(3 \times 2 = 6 \text{ marks})$

Section B

- VI. A three year old child presents with fever and weakness of left lower Limb. The mother gives no history of immunisation. A provisional diagnosis of acute flaccid paralysis was made. (AFP)
 - 1 Name the virus infection presenting as flaccid paralysis.
 - 2 Describe the pathogenesis of the virus.
 - 3 Describe the different methods to prevent this disease with schedules for immunisation.
 - 4 What is herd immunity?
 - 5 Name the other vaccines to be given to a three year old iron-immunised child.

(1+2+4+1+2=10 marks)

VII. Short answer questions:

- 1 Define Prions. Name two human diseases caused.
- 2 Define Inclusion bodies. Name two with disease.
- 3 Name four zoonotic diseases.
- 4 List four vector borne diseases with vector.

 $(4 \times 1 = 4 \text{ marks})$

VIII. Write short notes on :

- 1 Trichomonas vaginalis.
- 2 Laboratory diagnosis Bancroftian filariasis.
- 3 Laboratory diagnosis of HIV infection and AIDS.

 $(3 \times 2 = 6 \text{ marks})$