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- The first-ever meticulously organized book carrying highly enriched content as per revised INC Syllabus targeting MSc Nursing University exams
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- Extensive coverage of high-yield university questions of the last 10 years covering all the important universities providing high-probability of strike rate in the examination
- Addition of Vital Pedagogical Aids, like flowcharts, diagrams, images, tables, illustrations, etc. are easy to memorize and recapitulate
- Includes Extra Edge section in the beginning covering important last-minute revision topics related to subject in the form of tables, one liners and spotters for quick glance





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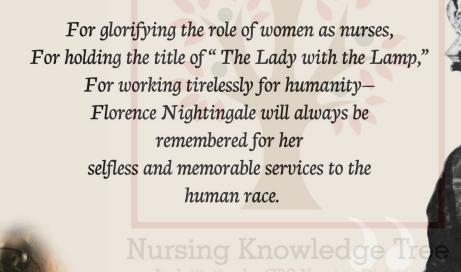


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Florence Nightingale (May 1820 – August 1910)

## **Preface**

Introducing the book Mastering Postgraduate Series Child Health Nursing Solved Question Papers for MSc Nursing University Exams is a true pleasure. This is meant to assist students and broaden their understanding in preparation for exams. This book is an extensive resource that includes all the necessary knowledge for students to succeed in their examination. This book has been designed keeping in mind the needs and wants of the students as well as creating a compendium which could provide one stop solution to students' day-to-day problems related to their exam preparation. I hope this book will be of great help to nursing students. I sincerely believe that the content, style and organization of this book will meet the needs of nursing students. The well-organized content, visually appealing structure, and user-friendly writing format will assist students in acquiring an indepth knowledge. Any suggestions for further improvement will be highly appreciated.

Although this book is intended for MSc Nursing students; faculty members and graduate students will also find it helpful. I am pretty sure thoughtfully crafted content of this book will meet the readers' expectations.

I am thankful to all my friends and colleagues who have carefully evaluated and have helped me in refining it.

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#### Dear Reader,

Nursing Education has a rich history, often characterized by traditional teaching techniques that have evolved over time. Primarily, teaching took place within classroom settings. Lectures, textbooks, and clinical rotations were the core teaching tools; and students majorly relied on textbooks by local or foreign publishers for quality education. However, today, technology has completely transformed the field of nursing education, making it an integral part of the curriculum. It has evolved to include a range of technological tools that enhance the learning experience and better prepare students for clinical practice.



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"Mastering Postgraduate Series Child Health Nursing Solved Question Papers for MSc Nursing University Exams" is an invaluable resource for those who are pursuing a Master of Science in Nursing (MSc Nursing). This comprehensive book features a collection of solved Questions of all the Important universities examination papers with a topic-wise approach which will help nursing students prepare for their exams with confidence. The book covers a variety of Long and Short Answer Questions under each respective topic. By practicing with these solved papers, students can build confidence and reduce exam-related anxieties.



Subject-wise cum Topic-wise content presentation is available for easy understanding of the concepts altogether at one place in Question & Answer format



Purely Examination-oriented approach has been adopted for the development of explanations as per the weightage of the marks

#### References:

Pal Panchali. Textbook of Pediatric Nursing. 2nd edition. CBS Publishers & Distributors Pvt Ltd. (2021). pp. 37–38.

Wongs, Essentials of Pediatric Nursing, 1st South Asia Edition, Hockenberry Wilson and Judie, Elsevier Publications.

Each and every Question has been provided with **Standard References of Textbook** for detailed understanding of the respective topic





Pedagogical Features, like Tables, Figures, Flowcharts, and illustrations have been supplemented with the explanations for better understanding of the concepts





Long and Short Answer Questions have extensively been covered with a topic-wise approach; extracted from the last 10 years Question papers of MSc Nursing of various important universities



**Glossary** includes all the important terminologies in an alphabetical manner for a quick glance over the important terms from exam point of view



**Detailed Index** with alphabetical arrangement at the end has been added for the quick access to the topics.

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#### **CHILD HEALTH NURSING-I**

Short Answer Questions		
Topics	Page no.	Number of questions
Growth and Development [Part 1]		
1. Define the following terms:	1	1
a. Growth b. Development c. Maturation d. Play		
Discuss the factors influencing growth and development.	2	1
3. Discuss the role of pediatric nurse in prenatal care.	4	1
4. Discuss the impor <mark>t</mark> ance of play for children.	5	1
<ol><li>Discuss the prenatal factors influencing the growth and development of fetus.</li></ol>	6	1
6. Define global dev <mark>el</mark> opmental delay.	6	1
7. Write an explanat <mark>o</mark> ry note on neonatal reflexes.	7	1
<ol><li>Write an explanatory note on needs of adolescents in growth and development period.</li></ol>	8	1
Nursing Knowled Total	Tree	8
Genetics An Initiative by CRS Naveing Di	vicion	
1. Enlist the common chromosomal aberrations in children.	22	1
2. What are the roles of a pediatric nurse in genetic counseling?	23	1
Total		2
Behavioral Pediatrics		
1. Define behavior disorder.	24	1
2. Enlist the causes of behavioral disorder.	24	1
3. Enlist the common behavioral disorders.	25	1
4. Write an explanatory note on maternal deprivation.	25	1 1
5. Define failure to thrive.	27	1
Total		5

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High Risk Neonates		
1. Define preterm babies.	32	1
2. Define high risk neonates.	32	1
3. Discuss classification of high risk neonates.	32	1
4. Why preterm babies are considered under high risk newborn babies?	33	1
5. Enlist the causes of the birth of preterm babies.	33	1
6. Define respiratory distress syndrome (RDS) in neonates.	34	1
Total		6
Hospitalization		
1. Define hospitalization.	36	1
2. Write an explanatory note on preparation for hospitalization.	37	1
3. Discuss the effects of hospitalization on child and family.	37	1
Total		3
Child Welfare	,	
Enlist the rights of children.	44	1
2. Write an explanatory note on ethical issues in nursing care of a child.	44	1
3. Write an explanatory note on RCH.	45	1
4. Write a short note on under five clinics.	47	1
5. Write an explanatory note on BFHI.	48	1
6. Enlist the national nutritional program related to child health.	50	1
7. Write an explanatory note on Child Abuse Prevention and	50	1
Treatment Act.		
Total		7
Malnutrition		
1. Define malnutrition.	59	1
2. Classify the malnutrition according to Indian Academy of Pediatrics	59	1
(IAP).		
Total	The	2
IMNCI NUISING KNOWledge	e rree	
Define IMNCI. An Initiative by CBS Nursing D	ivisior <sub>62</sub>	1
Total		1
Congenital Anomalies		
1. Define congenital anomalies.	69	1
2. Discuss the causes of congenital anomalies.	69	1
3. Enlist the common congenital anomalies related to gastrointestinal system.	70	1
Write about the feeding concerns to an infant with cleft lip and cleft palate.	70	1
Total		4

Immunization		
1. Write an explanatory note on cold chain.	71	1
Total		1
Accident		
1. Write an explanatory note on prevention of accident among toddlers.	73	1
Total 1		1
Grand Total		40

Long Ar	swer Questions		
Topics	Pa	age no.	Number of questions
Growth and Development [Part 1]			
1. Describe the principles of growth and develo	oment.	9	1
2. Explain the theory of psychosexual developm	ent.	10	1
3. Explain the Erikson's theory of psychosocial d birth to adolescence.	evelopment from	11	1
4. Explain the types of play.		13	1
<ol><li>Discuss the domains in which growth and devassessed.</li></ol>	relopment of a child is	14	1
6. Explain about growth and development for so (6–11 years).	:hool-aged child	15	1
7. Discuss in detail growth and development of	toddler.	18	1
<ol> <li>Explain about cognitive or intellectual develo (Piaget's theory).</li> </ol>	pment	21	1
	Total		8
Behavioral Pediatrics			
1. Discuss physical deprivation type of behavior	disorder in detail.	27	1
2. Explain causes and management of failure to	thrive.	31	1
	Total		2
High Risk Neonates			
1. Write specific nursing management required	by pre-term babies.	34	1
2. Describe the nursing management of RDS in	neonate.	35	1
	Total		2
Hospitalization			
1. Discuss the reaction of the child toward the h	ospitalization.	38	1
2. Describe the nursing management of hospita	lized child and family.	40	1
3. Explain the expanded and extended role of $\boldsymbol{p}$	ediatric nurse.	41	1
	Total		3

Child Welfare		
1. Explain about the preventive pediatrics.	51	1
2. Write principles of national policy for children.	53	1
3. Discuss the National and International Organizations related to child health.	54	1
Total		3
Malnutrition		
1. What is marasmus? Explain its causes and management.	60	1
Total		1
IMNCI		
1. Discuss the principles of IMNCI.	63	1
2. Write the management of diarrhea according to IMNCI strategy.	64	1
Total		2
Congenital Anomalies		
Discuss the specific care to antenatal mother for prevention of congenital anomalies.	71	1
Total		1
Grand Total	<b>-</b>	22

## CHILD HEALTH NURSING-II

Short Answer Questions		
Topics	Page no.	Number of questions
Tetralogy of Fallot	m.	
Define tetralogy of Fallot.	1175	1
Enlist clinical features and discuss the pathophysiology of tetralogy of Fallot.	visior76	1
Total		2
Hydrocephalus		
1. Define hydrocephalus.	79	1
2. Enlist the clinical features of hydrocephalus.	79	1
Total		2
Concept of Burn		
1. Define burn.	81	1
2. Enlist the causes of burn.	81	1
Total		2

Diabetes Mellitus		
Define diabetes mellitus and its classification.	87	1
2. Discuss the causes, clinical manifestation and diagnostic evaluation	88	1
of diabetes mellitus.		
Total		2
Hirschsprung's Disease		
Define Hirschsprung's disease.	91	1
Write about the pathophysiology of Hirschsprung's disease.	91	1
Total		2
Anorectal Malformation		
1. Define anorectal malformation.	93	1
Total		1
Intestinal Obstruction		
Define intestinal obstruction.	97	1
2. Enlist the causes of intestinal obstruction.	97	1
3. Discuss the pathophysiology of intestinal obstruction.	98	1
Total		3
Tracheoesophageal Fistula (TEF)		
Define tracheoesophageal fistula (TEF)	99	1
2. Discuss the types of tracheoesophageal fistula (TEF).	100	1
Total		2
Asthma		
	102	
1. Define asthma.	102	1
2. Enlist the causes of asthma.	102	1
3. Discuss the pathophysiology and signs and symptoms of asthma.	103	1
Total	ivision	3
Cystic Fibrosis		
1. Define cystic fibrosis.	107	1
2. Write a note on the pathophysiology with signs and symptoms.	107	1
Total		2
Nephrotic Syndrome		·
Define Nephrotic syndrome and its type.	110	1
Total		1

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Abnormality of Anterior Urethral and Penile Development		
Write a short note on epispadiasis.	113	1
Write an explanatory note on hypospadiasis.	114	1
Define exstrophy of bladder and its pathophysiology.	116	1
Total	1	3
Poliomyelitis		I
Define Poliomyelitis.	118	1
2. Discuss the causes and types of poliomyelitis.	118	1
Total	1	2
Meningitis		
1. Define meningitis.	120	1
2. Enlist clinical features of meningitis.	120	1
Total	ı	2
Spina Bifida	0	
1. Define spina bifida.	123	1
2. Classification and pathophysiology of spina bifida.	123	1
Total		2
Leukemia		
1. Define leukemia.	126	1
2. Write the pathophysiology and signs and symptoms of leukemia.	126	1
Total	I	2
Renal Failure		
Define acute renal failure and discuss the causes of acute renal failure.	e Tree	1
An Initiative by CBS Nursin <sub>Total</sub>	ivision	1
Intensive Care of Pediatric Client		
1. Write about the care of the child requiring long-term ventilation.	132	1
2. How is the fluid requirement in children calculated?	133	1
3. Write explanatory note on neonatal resuscitation.	134	1
4. Write a short note on legal and ethical issues in pediatric intensive care unit.	136	1
Total		4

Nutritional Need of the Child		
Write a short note on exclusive breastfeeding.	136	1
Тс	otal	1
Physiological Jaundice		
Write about physiological jaundice.	138	1
Тс	otal	1
Meconium Aspiration Syndrome		
Write a short note on meconium aspiration syndrome.	142	1
To	otal	1
Hypoglycemia		
Define hypoglycemia and discuss the causes and signs and symptoms.	142	1
Те	otal	1
Challenged Child and Implications for Nursing		
Write a short note on mentally challenged child.	144	1
To	otal	1
Developmental Disturbances		
Write an explanat <mark>o</mark> ry note on ADHD.	148	1
То	otal	1
Trends in Pediatric N <mark>u</mark> rsing		
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То	otal	1
Heart Disorder		
Write a short note on patent ductus arteriosus (PDA).	T-157	1
2. Write a short note on rheumatic fever.	158	1
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Hypothyroidism		
Write explanatory note on hypothyroidism.	159	1
То	otal	1
Tonsillitis		
Write an explanatory note on tonsillitis.	161	1
То	otal	1
Grand To	otal	49

Long Answer Questions		<u></u>
Topics	Page no.	Number of questions
Tetralogy of Fallot		
Explain the management along with nursing management of child with diagnosis of tetralogy of Fallot.	77	1
Total		1
Hydrocephalus		
Explain the preoperative and postoperative nursing management of child with diagnosis of hydrocephalus.	80	1
Total		1
Concept of Burn		
Discuss the depth and severity of burn and pathophysiology of burn in detail.	82	1
<ol> <li>Describe the medical and nursing management of patient admitted in medical unit with the diagnosis of burn.</li> </ol>	84	1
Total		2
Diabetes Mellitus		
Explain about the management of diabetes mellitus.	89	1
Total		1
Hirschsprung's Disease		
Discuss nursing management of child with Hirschsprung's disease in detail.	92	1
Total		1
Anorectal Malformation		
Explain about pathophysiology, types and nursing management of anorectal malformation.	Tree	1
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Intestinal Obstruction		
Explain the management of intestinal obstruction.	98	1
Total		1
Tracheoesophageal Fistula (TEF)		
Discuss the preoperative and postoperative nursing management of the child with tracheoesophageal fistula.	100	1
Total		1

Asthma			
1. Describe the management of child with diagnosis of asthma.		104	1
	1		
Cystic Fibrosis			
1. Describe the medical and nursing management of child with of fibrosis.	cystic	109	1
	Total		1
Nephrotic Syndrome			
<ol> <li>Discuss the pathophysiology of Nephrotic syndrome and prep Nursing care plan for the toddler child admitted in pediatric w with diagnosis of Nephrotic syndrome.</li> </ol>		111	1
	Total		1
Abnormality of Anterior Urethral and Penile Development			
Explain the management of exstrophy of bladder.		117	1
	Total		1
Poliomyelitis			
Explain pathophysiology measures you will take to prevent poliomyelitis.		119	1
	Total		1
Meningitis			
Explain about nursing management of meningitis.		121	1
	Total		1
Spina Bifida			
Explain the nursing management of spina bifida.		124	1
	Total		1
Leukemia			1
Discuss the medical and nursing management of child with diagnosis of leukemia.	lge	Tree	1
	Total	vision	1
Renal Failure			
Explain the medical management of acute renal failure.		130	1
	Total		1
Neonatal Seizure			
Write an explanatory note on neonatal seizure.		139	1
	Total		1
Hypoglycemia			
Describe the prevention and management of hypoglycemia.		143	1
	Total		1

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Developmental Disturbances			
1. Define learning disabilities and explain its types and management.	150	1	
Total		1	
Growth and Development [Part 2]			
<ol> <li>Explain about growth and development for school-aged children (6–11 years).</li> </ol>	152	1	
Total		1	
Grand Total		22	

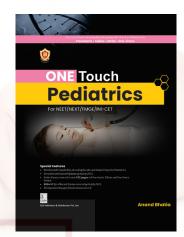
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6. Discuss the role of nurse in therapeutic play.	173	1		
7. Explain the genetic pattern of common pediatric disorders.	173	1		
8. Role of nurse in specimen collection.	175	1 1		
9. Explain about well baby clinic.	176	1 1		
10. Explain the physical facilities and services in NICU.	177	1		
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13. Write in detail about restraints ative by CBS Nursing Division 182				
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18. What is congenital heart disease? Classify the acyanotic and cyanotic heart disease.	191	1		
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25. Discuss the assessment of pain in children.	208	1		
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28. Write in detail about pediatric emergencies.	213	1		
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# Extra Edge

(Glimpses of One Touch Pediatrics by Dr Anand Bhatia)

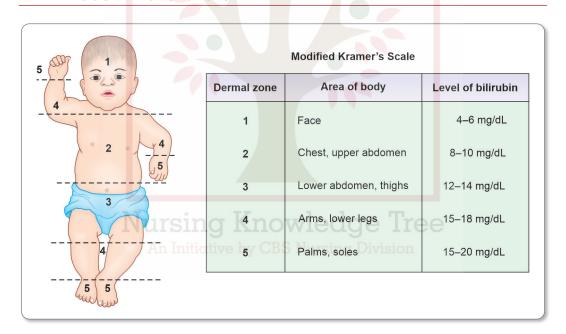








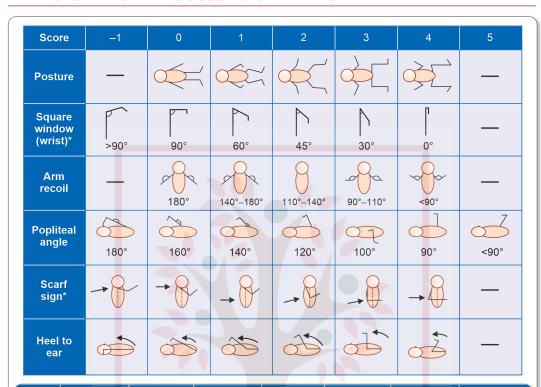
#### **KRAMER'S SCALE FOR JAUNDICE**



#### PHYSIOLOGICAL VERSURS PATHOLOGICAL JAUNDICE

Physiological jaundice	Pathological jaundice
Never appear in 1st 24 hours	May appear
Does not stain palm and soles	May stain
Urine does not stain diaper	High colored urine and clay colored stool
Does not persist beyond 3 weeks	May persist beyond 3 weeks

#### **EXPANDED NEW BALLARD SCCORE: 20-44 WEEKS**



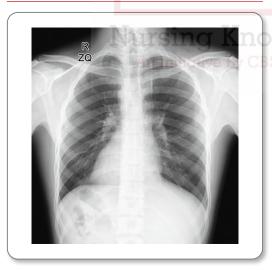
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	tightly: -2			Soil but		cartilage ear stiff	25	34	
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#### **KARTAGENER SYNDROME** (DEXTROCARDIA)









## **CHILD HEALTH NURSING-I**

#### **GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT [PART 1]**

#### **SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS**

Q1. Define the following terms:

(MGR, KUHS, RGUHS)

a. Growth

b. Development

c. Maturation

d. Play

#### Ans.

- a. **Growth:** It is a physical maturation process that causes the body and its organs to grow in size. It happens as a result of intracellular substance production and cell proliferation. It is the body's quantitative changes.
  - According to Crow and Crow, 'Growth refers to structural and physiological changes'.
  - Growth is the term used to describe an increase in tissue mass or size. Cell division and an increase in intracellular material are mostly attributed for it. It can be measured in centimeters, kilograms, pounds, and inches.
- b. Development: It is the process by which a person becomes functionally mature. It is an improvement in function and skill through time. It is related to development and process of myelination of the nervous system. Changes in social, psychological, and emotional aspects are included. It is qualitative aspect.

Development refers to the physiological or functional maturation of an organism. The word "development" refers to the gradual improvement of abilities and functional capacity. Learning and maturation lead to development.

**According to the Hurlock (1959):** Development is defined as progressive series of changes that occur in an orderly, predictable pattern as a result of maturation and experience."

- c. Maturation: Depending on the child's heredity, maturation is an improvement in competence and capacity to perform at a higher level. It refers to the development of human potential or genetically inherited qualities.
- d. **Play:** Play therapy is a form of counseling or psychotherapy that uses play to communicate with children and help them to resolve psychosocial challenges. It can also be defined as a technique which explores the child's natural means of expression.
  - Play is defined as it is used as a therapeutic method to assist him/her in coping with emotional stress or trauma.

#### Q2. Discuss the factors influencing growth and development.

(MGR, KUHS, RQHS)

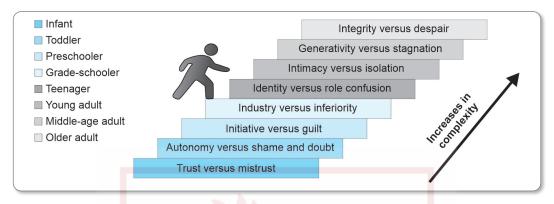
#### Ans.

Factors influencing growth and development are:

- Heredity: The genetic transmission of physical traits from one generation to the next is known as heredity. It affects all aspects of physical appearance, including intelligence and aptitudes, as well as height, weight, body type, eye color, hair texture, and body shape. Genes can also pass diseases and disorders, like heart disease, diabetes, obesity, etc. that negatively affecting the child's growth and development.
- Environment: Children's environments are important to their development because they represent all of the physical and mental stimulus they get. Physical surroundings, geographical conditions, the child's social environment and relationships with family and peers



- are some of the examples of environmental elements that have an impact on early childhood development. Children develop excellent social and interpersonal skills at a good school and a caring home, which will help them succeed in other areas, like academics and extracurricular activities.
- Sex: Another significant aspect influencing a child's physical growth and development is their sex. Boys and girls develop differently, especially as puberty approaches. Boys are often stronger and taller than girls. But during adolescence, girls often mature more quickly, whereas boys do so over a longer period of time.
- Exercise and health: Exercise in this aspect refers to routine play and physical activities that help the body build more bone mass and develop muscle strength. Children who exercise regularly grow healthy and achieve milestones on time or earlier. Additionally, exercise keeps children healthy and boosts their immune systems to help them fight off illnesses, especially if they play outside. This is due to the exposure to germs during outdoor play, which helps them develop resistance and prevent allergies.



Stages of psychosocial development

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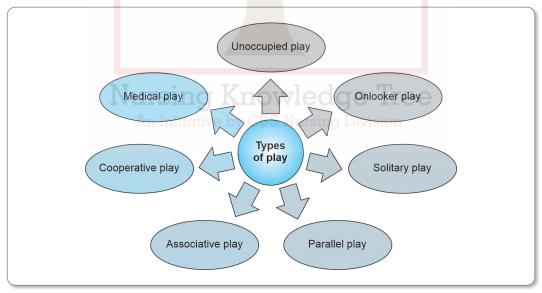
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#### Q4. Explain the types of play.

#### (DU, MGR, BHU, KUHS, HU, PU, ABVMU)

Ans. Unoccupied play: Unoccupied play is when child is playing alone, using their hands, arms, legs, and feet in imaginative ways as they learn how it feels to move. When you give child a rattle or a stuffed animal and let him handle and move it, he may be practicing unoccupied play.





## **CHILD HEALTH NURSING-II**

## **TETRALOGY OF FALLOT**

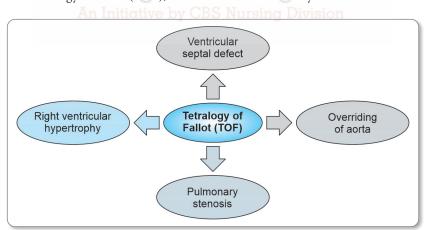
#### **SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS**

Q1. Define tetralogy of Fallot.

(BFUHS, MGR, KUHS, RGUHS)

#### Ans.

The most complex congenital cardiac abnormality with reduced pulmonary blood flow is tetralogy of Fallot. A combination of four closely-related heart abnormalities that frequently occur together is referred to as a tetralogy of Fallot (TOF), which is a cardiac anomaly.



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Q2. Enlist clinical features and discuss the pathophysiology of tetralogy of Fallot.

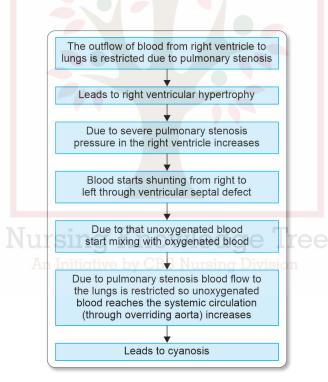
(ABVMU, MGR, KUHS, RGUHS)

#### Ans.

#### **Clinical Features of Tetralogy of Fallot**

- Cyanosis: Bluish discoloration of the skin. The most common symptom seen in Tetralogy of Fallot is cyanosis. The severity of pulmonary stenosis affects the degree of cyanosis. Infants with mild pulmonary stenosis may be pink at rest and turn cyanotic when they cry or when they are moving around. Cyanosis can happen even while at rest in severe blockage.
- Clubbing of finger: Irregular nail beds with a rounded appearance on the fingers and toes.
- **Dyspnea**: Between games, children frequently assume the "squatting position", which relieves dyspnea. The child can resume activity after taking a little break in position.
- Tett spells: Anoxic blue spells. In the first 24 months of life, paroxymal dyspenic attacks can happen and can last from a few minutes to several hours.
- Poor weight gain and irritability

#### Pathophysiology



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#### **HYDROCEPHALUS**

#### **SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS**

#### Q1. Define hydrocephalus.

(MGR, KUHS, RGUHS, ABVMU, GGIPU, DU)

#### Ans.

The accumulation of fluid in the deep brain cavities (ventricles) is known as hydrocephalus. The extra fluid makes the ventricles enlarged and exerts pressure on the brain. The ventricles ordinarily allow cerebrospinal fluid to pass through and bathe the brain and spinal column.

An imbalance between cerebrospinal fluid production and absorption is known as hydrocephalus. It is characterized by an abnormal rise in the amount of cerebrospinal fluid present in the cerebral cavity.

#### Q2. Enlist the clinical features of hydrocephalus.

(KUHS, MGR, DU, GGIPU)

#### Ans.

#### In Infants:

- Enlarged skull.
- Anterior fontanel is tight and frequently enlarged.
- Anterior fontanels' delayed closure.
- The scalp seems glossy, with noticeable scalp veins.
- Macewen's sign: On the percussion of the skull, a hollow or "cracked pot" sound can be heard.
- Sun setting eyes: Sclera may be visible above the iris with the eyes turned downward.
- Feeding difficulties and a loud cry.
- The reaction of the pupils to light is uneven and they are sluggish.
- Position of the opthotonus and spasticity of the lower extremities
- Seizures, solmnolence, emesis, cardiopulmonary distress, if the condition progress rapidly.

#### In children:

- Headache at arising that gets better after vomiting while standing up straight.
- Papilledema
- Strabismus
- Lethargic and irritable

- Bulging of occiput
- Nystagmus (rapid, uncontrolled eye movement)
- Ataxia

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#### **LONG ANSWER QUESTION**

Q1. Explain the preoperative and postoperative nursing management of child with diagnosis of hydrocephalus. (GGIPU, MGR, KUHS, RGUHS)

#### Ans.

The surgical implantation of a drainage system, known as a shunt, is the most common method of treating hydrocephalus. It comprises an extended, flexible tube with a valve that directs and regulates the flow of cerebral fluid. There are four type of shunt:

1. Ventriculoperitoneal shunt

3. Ventriculopleural shunt

2. Ventriculoatrial shunt

4. Ventriculoureteric shunt.

#### **Preoperative Nursing Management**

The primary nursing goals during the preoperative period include identifying symptoms of elevated intracranial pressure and other symptoms which may alter the effectiveness of the surgery. It also provides supportive care, avoiding consequences and reduces anxiety of the parents. The Nurses must provide the following care to the patient in preoperative nursing management:-

- Record the child's head circumference per day.
- Check for signs of elevated intracranial pressure by palpating the fontanel. The anterior fontanel is enlarged and tight. The sutures may appear to be significantly apart because of the increased intracranial pressure.
- Regularly check the vital signs. Vital sign changes should be reported immediately.
- Because the baby is restless and agitated, create a peaceful environment for him or her so they
  may get enough rest.
- Position the baby's body so that the neck is properly supported.
- Due to increased cerebral fluid, the scalp becomes thin and increased chance of skin breakdown so keep the head of the baby over the water pillow to prevent breakdown of the skull.
- Use strict aseptic measures when giving care to protect the baby from nosocomial infections.
- Change the position of the baby frequently.
- Support the infant's head and neck when handling it because the head might be too big and the neck muscles might not be strong enough to hold the head up.
- Provide small, frequent feed to baby to avoid vomiting.
- Maintain the intake and output chart of the patient.

#### **Postoperative Nursing Care**

- After surgery, position the child in a flat position to stop fast CSF draining, because rapid drainage of CSF may increase the risk of developing subdural hematoma.
- Position the child on unoperated side to prevent pressure on the shunt valve.
- Monitor the vital signs of the infant every 15–30 minutes after the surgery.
- Regularly measure the head circumference.
- Intake and output should be monitored because fluid intake may be limited for the first 24 hours after surgery.
- Oral rehydration must begin as soon as bowel sounds return.
- Examine the dressing for any drainage.

Hydrocephalus

- Keep the infant dry and clean. Stool is cleansed and discarded right away to prevent bladder mucosal contamination.
- Dressing infants in loose, lightweight clothing to prevent pressure on the exposed bladder wall
- It's best to avoid taking a tub bath because it can contaminate the ureters and bladder wall.

#### Postoperative nursing care includes:

- Monitor the vital signs, treat shock, and stop bleeding at the surgical site.
- Place the child in a position that prevents any drainage tubes from kinking.
- Maintain a dry and clean abdominal dressing.
- Maintain a healthy fluid intake.
- Watch for symptoms, like fever, hematuria, or purulent leakage from incision.
- Involves the parents in child care activities.

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#### **POLIOMYELITIS**

#### **SHORT QUESTION ANSWERS**

#### Q1. Define Poliomyelitis.

(MGR, DU, IP, CU, HU, GGIPU, KUHS, RUHS, RGUHS)

#### Ans.

A highly infectious illness that affects the central nervous system and can paralyze a person either permanently or temporarily.

Poliomyelitis is the combination of two words 'Polio' and 'Myelitis'. Polio means gray matter and Myelitis means spinal cord inflammation.

Q2. Discuss the causes and types of poliomyelitis.

(RGUHS, MGR, DU, GGIPU)

#### Ans.

#### Causes: Epidemiological Triad

- **Agent:** Poliovirus
- **Host:** Infant, children 3 years
- Environment: Contaminated food and water, overpopulation, and the rainy season.
- **Mode of transmission:** Feco-oral route: The fecal-oral route directly transmitted through infected fingers, or indirectly transmitted through milk, water, food, flies, and objects.

#### **Types of Poliomyelitis**

Spinal poliomyelitis: It is most common type of poliomyelitis. It accounting for 79% of
paralytic incidents between 1969 and 1979. It is distinguished by asymmetric paralysis, most
frequently affecting the legs.

Poliomyelitis

- **Bulbar poliomyelitis:** It affects 2% of people and causes the cranial nerves that innervate certain muscles to weaken.
- **Bulbospinal poliomyelitis:** It is a combination of bulbar and spinal paralysis and affects 19% of cases.

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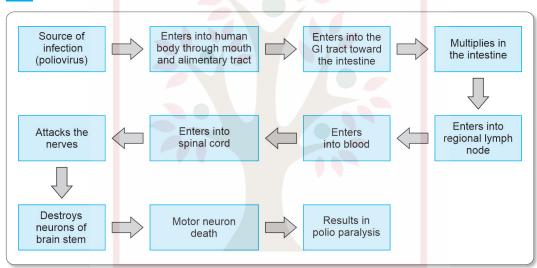
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#### **LONG ANSWER QUESTION**

Q1. Explain pathophysiology measures you will take to prevent poliomyelitis.

(MGR, KUHS, RUHS, RGUHS, BFUHS)





#### Measures taken to prevent poliomyelitis are:

- **Hygiene:** Maintaining cleanliness and promoting good hygiene are the best poliomyelitis prevention strategies. The best poliomyelitis prevention strategies.
- Vaccination: Polio vaccination is the first step in polio prevention. All three poliovirus subtypes have been targeted by the polio vaccine, which is highly efficient in generating antibodies that trigger immunity to the poliovirus and shield recipients from developing paralytic polio.

Two types of vaccination are available: An inactivated (killed) polio vaccine and a live attenuated oral polio vaccine.

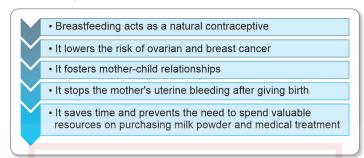
- Early diagnosis and treatment: Early detection and prompt treatment of cases of polio are essential for both controlling the disease and stopping its spread.
- **Surveillance:** By recognizing the rise, stability, or decrease in the number of cases, surveillance is one strategy to attain, control, and prevention.
- Isolation: During the contagious period, which is 7–10 days before and after the beginning of symptoms, polio cases should be kept isolated.

- **Initiation of breastfeeding:** Breastfeeding should begin within the first 30 minutes to an hour after birth, or as soon as possible following a normal delivery, whereas it should begin within 4 hours of a cesarean section.
- Proper technique of breastfeeding
- Mother and baby position:
  - Assist the mother in obtaining a relaxed position, such as sitting or lying down.
  - Teach the mother how to hold the child. Ask her to keep some points in mind:
    - A baby's head and body should be straight.
    - The baby's nose need to be on the other side of the nipple.
    - The baby's body should be near to her body.
    - The infant's entire body must be supported.
  - Mother should then support her breast by pressing her fingers firmly against the underside of her chest wall.
- Attachment of the baby to the breast (latching):
  - Touching the nipple will encourage the baby's mouth to open.
  - Allow the infant to open his mouth wider.
  - Bring the infant close to the breast.
  - Latch the infant to the breast.
- Good attachment (latching) signs:
  - Baby opens his or her mouth more widely.
  - The baby's chin in touch with breast.
  - Areola is not visible.
  - Baby's cheeks are full.
  - Lips are flanged out.
  - The breast appeared round and full.
  - Mother can hear the sound of swallowing and sucking.
  - After breastfeeding, the nipple appeared long and round.

#### Advantages of Breastfeeding for Baby

- Wholesome food: It contain all the nutrients and is a wholesome food for the baby that needs in first 6 months of life for growth and development.
- Reduces risk of infection: Through its protective characteristics, it lowers the frequency of bronchitis, pneumonia, meningitis, ear infections, coughs, colds, and diarrhea.
- Protect from food allergies: It guards against food allergies, colic, asthma, eczema, and nasal problems in children.
- Growth and development: It is crucial for a child's complete physical, emotional, and cognitive development. Moreover, breastfed children are smarter.
- Emotional bonding: Helps to promotes emotional and physical bonding between mother and child.

#### **Advantages of Breastfeeding for Mothers**



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#### PHYSIOLOGICAL JAUNDICE

#### **SHORT ANSWER QUESTION**

Q1. Write about physiological jaundice. (ABVMU, KUHS, MGR, GGIPU, DU, CU, HU, BFUHS)

#### Ans.

Jaundice is the visible manifestation of hyperbilirubinemia. The clinical jaundice in neonate appears on the face at a serum bilirubin level of 5 mg/dL. The yellowish discoloration is first seen on the skin of face, nasolabial folds and tip of nose in the neonates.

#### Physiological Jaundice

It is also known as Icterus Neonatorum. Babies develop Jaundice within 1st week of life is known as Physiological jaundice. In term babies' maximum intensity is on 5th-6th day and it subsides by 14th day.

The majority of newborns exhibit apparent jaundice as a result of an increase in unconjugated bilirubin levels during the first week of life.

- Onset: After 24 hours.
- Peak: 72–90 hours

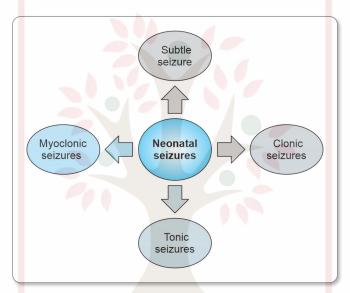
#### **Causes of Physiological Jaundice**

- Due to the larger erythrocyte volume and shorter erythrocyte life span, the liver cells are subjected to a higher bilirubin load.
- Poor hepatic absorption of bilirubin from plasma.
- Defective bilirubin conjugation.
- Excretion of bilirubin decreased.

Physiological Jaundice

#### Classification

- **Subtle seizures:** Eyelid blinking, fluttering, buccal-lingual motions (yawning, sucking, and drooling) and apnea are signs of subtle seizures.
- Clonic seizures: These seizures frequently affect just one body part or one extremity. Clonic rhythms typically consist of 1–3 movements per second.
- Tonic seizures: These seizures are characterized by persistent face, limb, or other muscle contractions. They could be generalized, multifocal, focal, symmetric, or asymmetric. Electrocardiographic seizures are frequently accompanied by focal tonic seizures affecting one extremity. Generalized tonic seizures may include the axial muscles in an opisthotonos manner and frequently present with tonic extension of the upper and lower limbs.



Myoclonic seizures: These could manifest specifically in one body part or several bodily parts.
 Myoclonic seizures that are focal or multifocal are not connected to electrographic activity.
 These jerks are quick, one-time, or arrhythmic repeated jerk seizures. Massive seizures are a sign of severe brain damage and a poor prognosis.

#### **Causes of Neonatal Seizure**

- Developmental neurological defects, like congenital hydrocephalus, microcephaly
- Hypoxic-ischemic encephalopathy (HIE)
- Intracranial hemorrhage
- Metabolic causes, like hypocalcemia, hypoglycemia, hypomagnesemia, etc.
- Infections like meningitis, septicemia.
- Miscellaneous

Neonatal Seizure



## OTHER IMPORTANT QUESTIONS

#### **SHORT/LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS**

Q1. Explain about child guidance clinic.

(DU, GGIPU, KUHS, BFUHS)

Ans.

#### **Definition**

Child guidance clinics are specialized clinics that deal with children of normal and abnormal intelligence, exhibiting a range of behaviors and psychological problems which are summed up as maladjustments.

#### **Objectives**

To ensure all around development of children

To provide care and guidance to children with mental retardation

To train parents to facilitate development and to prepare the children for placement in the appropriate educational sector

To organize remedial help for school children facing achievement problems and training to correct learning disability

To work out behavior modification schedules for children presenting behavior problem like pica, bed wetting, sleep walking, etc.

To motivate parents for increased involvement in psychosocial adjustment

To start early intervention of developmentally delayed children

To provide counseling, guidance and information to parents regarding care and upbringing of children

#### **Principles of Child Guidance Treatment**

- The treatment of the child is carried out not by only one person but by a team of workers.
- The child is treated as a whole and the personality has many aspects, viz. physical, intellectual, educational emotional, etc. Each of these aspects is studied by the respective staff member who has specialized in that particular field.

#### Services provided:

- Managing behavioral problem
- Managing learning difficulties
- Managing emotional problem
- Managing adjustment problem
- Managing developmental problem
- Managing intellectual deficit
- Managing sociolegal issues



#### Role of a pediatric nurse in child guidance clinic:

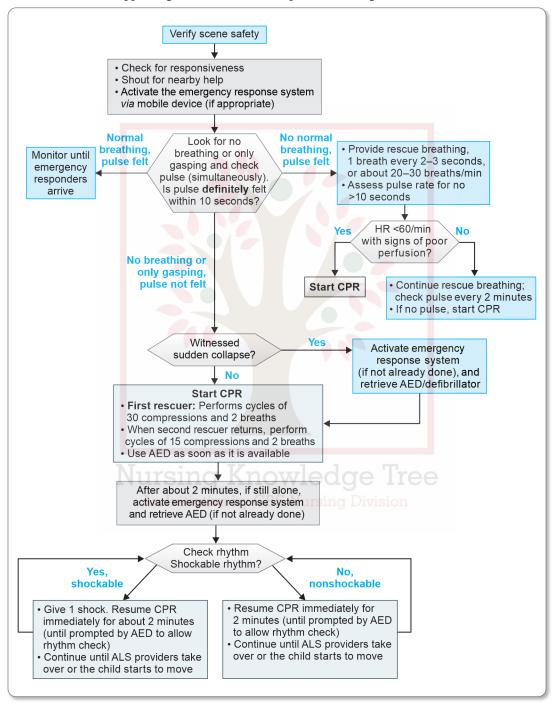
- Identifying risk cases with adjustment problem.
- Educating the public.
- Acting as a counselor.
- Lobbying for child rights.
- Providing holistic nursing care.
- Undertaking research studies.
- Helping in establishing good child-parent bond as well as good teacher-parent-child bond by guiding them.

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#### **Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)**

Pediatric basic life support algorithm for healthcare providers—Single rescuer





## **MODEL TEST PAPERS**

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#### **MODEL TEST SET-1**

#### **Clinical Specialty-I**

(Child Health Nursing-I)

Time: 3 Hours M.M.: 75

**Note:** Attempt all questions.

#### Q1. Babita, born at 32 weeks of gestation is admitted to NICU.

[2+6+7=15]

- a. Define respiratory distress syndrome.
- b. Discuss the algorithm for the management of asphyxia neonatorum.
- c. Describe the management of baby of Babita with respiratory distress syndrome.
- Q2. a. Define kangaroo mother care

[2+5+8=15]

- b. Describe the nursing responsibilities of child with KMC
- c. Elaborate the nutritional needs of a critically ill child
- Q3. a. Define low-birth-weight-babies (LBW)

[2+8+10=20]

- b. Classify the types of LBW babies.
- c. Discuss the management of LBW babies.
- Q4. Write short notes on five of the following:

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