PEDIATRIC SURGERY

PAPER - I

PED SURG 2/D/13/29/I

Time : 3 hours Max. Marks : 100

Important instructions:

- Attempt all questions in order.
- Each question carries 10 marks.
- Read the question carefully and answer to the point neatly and legibly.
- Do not leave any blank pages between two answers.
- Indicate the question number correctly for the answer in the margin space.
- Answer all the parts of a single question together.
- Start the answer to a question on a fresh page or leave adequate space between two answers.
- Draw table/diagrams/flowcharts wherever appropriate.
- Enumerate the radionuclide scans utilized in children. Discuss 3+7 indications, assessment criteria and functional analysis of interpretation of renal scans in children.
 Define surgical site infection (SSI). Discuss the etiopathogenesis of SSI. Elaborate the assessment criteria and management of SSI.
- 3. Enumerate the criteria for mechanical ventilation in neonates and children. Discuss techniques, advantages and complications of high frequency ventilation.
- 4. Describe with diagrams the surgical anatomy of ano-rectum pertinent to fecal continence. Discuss the various methods (scoring systems) for assessment of fecal incontinence.
- 5. Describe normal CSF pathways and normal anatomy of ventricular 5+5 system with diagram(s). Discuss pathophysiology of hydrocephalus.
- 6. Discuss the complications of transfusion of blood and blood products 10
- 7. Describe the pathways of steroid hormone biosynthesis from cholesterol
 with algorithmic representation. Discuss in short the clinical anomalies
 which occur due to its abnormal biosynthesis.
- 8. Discuss the applications of upper GI endoscopy in children. Describe the indications, technique, advantages and disadvantages of upper GI endoscopy.
- 9. Define shock. Describe the parameters for assessment of a 9 month 1+9 old infant presenting with shock.
- 10. What are the various components of APGAR score and how is it scored? Enumerate the various conditions in the newborn demanding resuscitation alert.
