### POST GRADUATE DEGREE STANDARD

### UNIT I

Concepts in Health and Disease i Evolution of medicine (History of Medicine)

ii Evolution of Public health and community health

iii Definition of Health-Relative concepts and determinants of health - Agent,host, environmental factors in health and disease - Indices used in measurement of health

iv Difficulties in measurement of health

v Levels of Prevention

### UNIT II

General Epidemiology and Epidemiological Methods i Definition, concept and evoluation of epidemical concept

- ii Methods of Epidemiology
- a) Descriptive
- b) Analytical
- c) Experimental
- iii Association and Causation
- iv Measurements of moribidicy and motality
- v Sources of epidemological data & uses of epidemology
- vi Screening
- vii Community diagnosis
- viii Investigation of an epidemic
- ix Modes of disease transmission
- x Measures of prevention and control of diseases.

### **UNIT III**

Environmental Sanitation i Definition of environment - types & importance

ii a) Water-Safe & wholesome Water - Water borne Diseases

Methods of Purification of water - Water Quality

Standards analysis of water quality

- b) Disposal of wastes in urban & rural areas
- c) Disposal of excreta
- d) Air Air pollution indicators & prevention
- e) Radiation Hazards & Prevention
- f) Lighting
- g) Noise
- h) Meterology effects on health
- i) Housing standards

## **UNIT IV**

Medical Entomology i Definition

ii Arthropods - Vectors

iii Vector borne diseases - Classification, Modes of transmission Description of various vector borne diseases

iv Methods of Vector Control

v Insecticides - Classification, modes of action, Application & toxicity

#### UNIT V

Genetics and community Health i Basic principles of Genetics

- ii Chromosomal Disorder
- iii Genetic prediposition in Common disorder
- iv Preventive and social measures Eugenics & Euhenics, Genetic counselling etc
- v Early diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation

### **UNIT VI**

Sociology and Community Health i Concept in Sociology relating to health

- ii Social Medicine
- iii Family Definition types, merits & elements
- iv Community
- v Clinico Social evaluation of the individual in relation to Social, economic and Cultural aspects. attitude to health. Diseases and health services.
- vi Identification of Social factors in relation to health and diseases
- vii Urbanisation & Industrialisation

# **UNIT VII**

Biostatistics i Definition, Scope and uses of bio statistics

- ii Collection, Classification and presentation of statistical data
- iii Analysis and interpretation of data
- iv Sources & uses of statistics
- v Tests of significance
- vi Sample size determination
- vii Multivariate analysis
- viii Life table

#### **UNIT VIII**

Nutrition

- i Classification and sources of various nutrients
- ii Nutritional requirements
- iii Nutritional Diseases
- iv Nutritional Assessment
- v National Programme in Nutrition

## **UNIT IX**

Health Education

- i Definition
- ii Approaches in health education
- iii Methods of Health Education
- iv Barriers to effective Communications
- v Principles of Heath Education

### **UNIT X**

International Health Education

i International Health Organisations

- a. WHO
- b. UNICEF
- c. Red Cross
- ii Voluntary Health Organisation
- iii International Health Regulations.

## PAPER - II

UNIT I

Epidemiology of specific diseases i Extent of the problem

- ii Epidemiology
- iii Natural History of diseases

iv Clinical features

v Diagnosis

vi Management

vii Prevention

viii Relevant National Programmes

i.Communicable diseases Measles, Mumps, Rubella,

chickenpox, Acute respiratory infections, Diptheria,

Tetanus, Pertussis, Polio myelitis & Diarrhoeal Diseases,

Typhoid, Cholera, Dysentery Hepatitis, STD, AIDS, Malaria,

Filaria, Japanese Encephalitis, Plague, Leptospirosis,

Leprosy, Tuberculosis, Helminthic, Rabies

Infestations, etc.

ii. Non Communicable diseases Hypertension, Coronary

Heart Diseases, Carebero vascular diseases, Blindness,

Accidents, Diabetics, Mental disorders etc.

### **UNIT II**

Demography & Family Planning i Definition & Demography, Demographic cycle Population Trends.

ii Demographic indices

iii Population control measures and National Population Policy

iv National Family Welfare Programme v. Different Family Planning Methods Advantages &

Disadvantages, Mode of action etc

v Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act

### **UNIT III**

Maternal and Child Health i Need for specialised services for these groups

ii C.S.S.M. and R.C.H. programmes

iii M.C.H. Indicators

iv Monitoring of growth and development

v I.C.D.S

vi Organisation & provision of M.C.H. Services

### **UNIT IV**

School Health

i Important of School Health

ii Objectives of School Health Programme

iii Components of School Health Programme

iv Critical analysis of School Health Programme

### **UNIT V**

Urban Health i Problems of urbanisation

ii Organisation of Health services in Urban areas

# **UNIT VI**

Occupational Health i Definition

ii Classification of Occupational Hazards and Diseases

iii Preventive measures for Occupational Diseases

iv Employees State Insurance Scheme

v Factories Act

#### UNIT VII

Mental Health

i Important of Mental Health

ii Types of mental Illness and causes

- i. Preventive aspects
- ii. Mental health services
- $iii. \ Alcoholism, drug \ dependence \ \ Epidemiological$

factors and prevention

### **UNIT VIII**

**Community Geriatrics** 

i Definition & evaluation of geriatrics services

ii Common Diseases of elderly

iii Economic and Psycho social needs of the aged

iv Care of elderly in organised and unorganised sectors

v Geriatrics services

### **UNIT IX**

Health Planning and Management & National Health Programmes i Planning - Definition, Health planning, Planning cycle

ii Management - Definition, Principles, Methods

iii Management Techniques

iv Consititutional provision for Health in India - Health care delivery system

v Primary Health Care

vi Health For All Strategy

vii National Health Policy

viii Health Committees

ix National Health Programmes - Objectives - Strategy - Achievements - Critical Analysis

x Health Man Power Development

### **UNIT X**

Health Administration & Public Health Acts i Public Health Administration

ii Delivery of Health care

iii Organisation Functions and Staffing Pattern of Health sub centres, Primary Health Centres and

Community Health Centres

iv Job description of various Health Personnel

v T N Public Health Care

vi Prevention of Food Adulteration Act

vii Registration of Births and Death Act