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Seat No.

First Year M. B. B. S. Examination

July - 2018

Biochemistry: Paper - II

(Old Course)

Time: 3 Hours] [Total Marks: 50

Instructions: (1) Figures on right indicate full marks

(2) Write Section 01 & 02 in separate answer sheets

SECTION - I

- 1 State true or false with justification on any six: 1×6=6 (Out of Eight)
 - (a) Stress can leads to increase blood glucose level.
 - (b) Alcoholism can leads to fatty liver.
 - (c) HDL acts as a storage of transferable apoproteins.
 - (d) Creatine Kinase is required for Creatinine formation.
 - (e) Tyrosine is an essential amino acid.
 - (f) Muscle glycogen cannot convert into glucose.
 - (g) Diabetics take plenty of water.
 - (h) Ammonia is toxic to brain.
- 2 (A) Read the following case report and answer the
 All five questions (No Options)
 A 2 weeks old infant born of consanguine marriage
 developed convulsions. History revealed that the
 pregnancy and delivery were normal and the infant had
 been taking his feeds regularly. Mother had observed
 a peculiar mousy odor in child's urine. Urine FeCl₃ test
 showed green colour. Plasma phenylalanine was 2.2

mmoles/1 (Ref. range < 0.09 mmoles/1). Urinary Phenylpyruvate and phenyl lactate were present.

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Questions:

- (1) What is the probable diagnosis and underline biochemical defect?
- (2) Explain the cause of convulsions.
- (3) What dietary advice should be given for such a child and why?
- (4) Why such children often have very fair skin?
- (5) How oral tetrahydrobiopterin supplementation may be beneficial in this case?
- (B) Discuss the followings: (Two) (No Option) 3+2=5
 - (1) Galactosemia.
 - (2) Glycogen synthesis.
- 3 Write short notes on any three: (Out of Five) 3×3=9
 - (1) Fatty liver and lipotropic factors.
 - (2) Risk factors for atherosclerosis.
 - (3) Explain Urea cycle disorders.
 - (4) Respiratory acidosis and alkalosis.
 - (5) Metabolism of sulphur containing amino acids.

SECTION - II

- 4 Give your comments with Biochemical justification 1×6=6 on any six: (Out of Eight)
 - (a) NAD and NADP are different.
 - (b) G6PD deficiency leads to drug induced hemolytic anemia.
 - (c) Non-oxidative phase of HMP pathway required for DNA formation.
 - (d) HbAlc is not for diagnosis of diabetes mellitus.
 - (e) Medium chain fatty acid do not require carnitine.
 - (f) Propionate is glucogenic.
 - (g) Fat is burned on the wick of carbohydrates.
 - (h) Pancreatitis leads to fat malabsorption.

- 5 Discuss any two of the following: (Out of Three) 5×2=10
 - (A) Regulation of blood pH.
 - (B) Metabolism of Keton bodies.
 - (C) Plasma Lipids.
- 6 Write short notes on any three: (Out of Five) 3×3=9
 - (A) Oncogenes and Antioncogenes.
 - (B) Glycogen storage disease.
 - (C) Regulation of cholesterol synthesis.
 - (D) Maple syrup urine disease.
 - (E) Complication of Diabetes mellitus.

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