D.M. – NEONATOLOGY Paper – IV COMMUNITY NEONATOLOGY, NATIONAL MCH PROGRAMMES, ALLIED DISCIPLINES, NEURO DEVELOPMENT FOLLOW UP, RECENT ADVANCES, REHABILITATION ETC., Q.P.Code: 161454

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 100 marks

I. Elaborate on: (2X15=30)

1. Write notes on Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy scheme and its impact on neonatal health in Tamilnadu.

2. Diagnostic approach to disorders of acid base balance and their management in a neonate.

II. Write notes on: (10X7=70)

1. Tests for hearing screening of high risk neonates and interpretation brain stem evoked auditory response?

- 2. Adreno cortical axis in extremely low birth weight infants.
- 3. Antenatal markers of chromosomal disorders in foetus.
- 4. Role of magnetic resonance spectroscopy in neonatology.
- 5. Transcutaneous bilirubin measurement.
- 6. Merits and demerits of T-Piece Resuscitator.
- 7. Uses and limitations of the fetal biophysical profile.
- 8. Non-invasive assessment of lung volume.
- 9. Variables that can be manipulated during mechanical ventilation to improve oxygenation and ventilation in the neonate?
- 10. Verbal autopsy as a tool to investigate neonatal death.
