## M.D.S DEGREE EXAMINATION

(For the Candidates Admitted from the Academic Year 2013-2014 onwards)

## BRANCH VIII - PAEDODONTICS AND PREVENTIVE DENTISTRY

## PAPER III – PREVENTIVE AND COMMUNITY DENTISTRY AS APPLIED TO PAEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

Q.P. Code: 242481

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 75 Marks

I. Essays:  $(2 \times 20 = 40)$ 

- 1. Explain the mechanism of action of topical fluorides. Discuss fluorides as a double edged sword.
- 2. Discuss the different levels of prevention in child abuse and neglect. Add a note on emotional neglect.

II. Short Notes:  $(7 \times 5 = 35)$ 

- 1. School dental health education.
- 2. Sampling methods.
- 3. Teledentistry.
- 4. Anticipatory guidance for traumatic injuries.
- 5. Cohort study.
- 6. Disclosing agents.
- 7. Significant caries index.

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