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**M.Sc. SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY
FOURTH SEMESTER (From 2023-2024 Batch onwards)
PAPER I – PRACTICES IN SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY**

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Time: Three hours

Answer ALL Questions

Maximum: 100 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(2x20=40)

1. Compare the scope of practice in speech-language pathology between the global and Indian scenario.
2. Explain the advantages and challenges of community-based practice in rural versus urban areas.

II. Write notes on:

(10x6=60)

1. Explain the professional ethics in speech-language pathology practice with its importance.
2. Justify the need for specialized programs in geriatric populations and person with multiple handicaps.
3. Explain evidence-based practice in speech-language pathology.
4. Discuss the importance of health promotion and disease prevention in speech-language pathology.
5. What are the benefits and challenges of autonomous practice in speech-language pathology?
6. Role of multilingual and multicultural sensitivity in assessment and therapy.
7. Discuss the importance of team approach and inter-professional collaboration in clinical practice.
8. Role of family empowerment programs in speech-language intervention.
9. Explain the importance of documentation, database management and storage in clinical practice.
10. Discuss the importance of cultural and religious sensitivity in speech-language pathology practice.
