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MASTER OF HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION (AHS) FIRST YEAR (Candidates admitted in 2020-2021) PAPER VI – MARKETING OF HOSPITAL SERVICES

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Time : Three hours	Answer ALL Questions	Maximum : 100 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

- 1. Healthcare services are rendered in a better manner by many private hospitals when compared to government hospitals. Study the competitive threats identified in these private hospitals and suggest measures to build competitive advantage.
- 2. Explain in detail the aspects of marketing mix for healthcare organizations and how it can be applied for their sustainability and growth?

II. Write notes on:

- 1. Effective communication between staff and patients is important for the success of any healthcare organization. Justify the statement.
- 2. How marketing helps in the promotion of Non-Profit Organizations?
- 3. Why marketing approach is necessary for Non-Profit organizations?
- 4. Explain how mass media, multimedia and other technological innovations help to disseminate useful health information to the public.
- 5. Patient choice of hospital has implication in the health policy and management. Comment
- 6. State the importance of segmentation of patients in healthcare organizations.
- 7. Discuss the role of government in healthcare sector.
- 8. Briefly explain the importance and aspects of food service in a hospital from marketing perspective.
- 9. Explain the aspects of pre-employment examination.
- 10. Briefly explain marketing of birthing rooms in a hospital.

$(10 \times 6 = 60)$

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