

2008

(December)

ANTHROPOLOGY

(Culture, Health and Medicine)

Course No. : Anth-303

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The questions are of equal value

Answer any **five** questions

1. Discuss the relationship between culture, health and medicine.
2. Briefly discuss occupational diseases in India.
3. Define ethnomedicine and discuss its salient characteristics.
4. What do you mean by indigenous medical systems? What are the important dimensions of such systems?
5. Discuss the role of shaman in tribal medical practices.

6. What is alternative medical system and why is this system being popular in India?
7. Briefly discuss the principles, diagnosis and treatment in Ayurveda and Siddha systems of medicine.
8. Discuss the Unani medical system and its virtues.
9. Discuss the epidemiology of malaria in North-East India.
10. Explain why STD/AIDS incidence is the highest in Manipur and how it can be controlled.
