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**COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY**

**MSCPS01C04 : Psychometry and Psychodiagnostics**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

**SECTION – A**

Answer **any five** of the following. **Each** question carries 3 marks. Answer should not exceed 100 words.

1. Describe Construct Validity.
2. Briefly explain the psychometric properties of a test.
3. Describe case history as a psychological assessment in counselling.
4. Role of projective tests in the assessment of personality.
5. Limitations of Bhatia test of intelligence.
6. Describe the subscales of WAIS.

**(5x3=15)**

**SECTION – B**

Answer **any three** of the following questions. **Each** question carries 5 marks.

7. Explain the types of reliability and validity in detail.
8. Evaluate the diagnostic and classification issues.
9. How does ethics play a role in the initial assessment in a counselling process ?

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10. Elaborate on the assessment tools used for measuring interest.

11. Is WAIS culturally sensitive ? Discuss about the pros and cons of WAIS in the assessment of intelligence. **(3x5=15)**

**SECTION – C**

Answer **any three** of the following. **Each** question carries **10** marks.

12. Define Psychometry. Explain the role of norms in psychometry.

13. Explain how ethical principles guide the counselor's use of psychological tests during client assessment. Describe possible ethical dilemmas that may arise and how a counselor can handle them responsibly.

14. Compare and contrast the 16 Personality Factor Questionnaire (16PF) and Eysenck Personality Questionnaire – Revised (EPQR) in terms of theoretical basis, dimensions assessed and counseling applications.

15. Discuss the purpose and structure of the Differential Aptitude Test Battery (DBDA). How can aptitude testing guide career counseling and educational planning ?

16. Compare the Binet-Kamat Test (BKT) and Malin's Intelligence Scale for Indian Children (MISIC) in terms of their structure, purpose and suitability for the Indian population. **(3x10=30)**