

**DIPLOMA IN PANCHAYAT LEVEL
ADMINISTRATION AND
DEVELOPMENT (DPLAD)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2024

**BPR-002 : DECENTRALIZED PLANNING AND
PANCHAYATI RAJ**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *Attempt all the **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answer to question nos. 1 and 2 should not exceed **500** words each.*

1. What do you understand by sectoral planning ? Discuss. 20

Or

Describe the role and responsibility of Gram Sabha.

2. Discuss the steps involved in making a Gram Panchayat Plan. 20

Or

Outline the responsibilities of the District Planning Committee (DPC).

3. Answer any *two* of the following questions in about **250** words each :

(a) What are the problems of a 'top-down' approach in centralized planning ? Discuss. 10

(b) What does the Article 243G mean ? Discuss. 10

(c) Why is coordination with other departments essential for implementing health care ? Explain. 10

4. Answer any *two* of the following questions in about **200** words each :

(a) Discuss the merits and demerits of census data method used for data collection. 10

(b) What is the difference between a scheme and a project ? Explain. 10

- (c) Describe with examples the ways in which sectoral planning is made need based by the Panchayats. 10
5. Write short notes on any *four* of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Indian village 5
- (b) Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) 5
- (c) G. V. K. Rao Committee 5
- (d) Agricultural planning systems 5
- (e) Situational analysis for health planning 5
- (f) Ashoka Mehta Committee 5

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