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**M. SC. (HOME SCIENCE—
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND
EXTENSION MANAGEMENT)
(MSCHSC)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2026

**MHC-006 : MANAGEMENT OF MATERNAL AND
CHILD HEALTH**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt any *five* questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Discuss the rational and goals of Maternal and Child Health (MCH) in India. 10

- (b) Explain the levels of prevention and their application in MCH care. 10
2. State the objectives of Mother and Child Tracking System (MCTS). Highlight the role of MCTS in improving maternal and child health coverage and accountability. 20
3. (a) Explain standard precautions and healthcare waste management in MCH settings. 10
- (b) Discuss major schemes related to MCH and their implementation challenges. 10
4. Examine the role of National Health Mission and RMNCH + A strategy in strengthening maternal and child health services. 20
5. Describe the organisational set up for MCH care in rural and urban India. Discuss the importance of community participation in improving MCH indicators. 20

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6. Explain the communication process and counselling strategies used in Reproductive and Child Health Programmes. 20
7. Define adolescence and list major health implications. Discuss adolescent nutrition and sexual health issues along with programme responses. 20
8. Write short notes on any *five* of the following :

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- (a) National Health Policy, 2017
- (b) Legal provisions supporting women and child welfare
- (c) Low birth weight
- (d) Janani Suraksha Yojana
- (e) Behaviour change communication
- (f) Adverse child sex ratio

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