BLDE UNIVERSITY

May-2014

PRE-PH.D COURSE WORK EXAMINATION

[Time:1½ Hours]

[Max.Marks: 50]

Paper – I: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY (Compulsory / Core Paper)

QP CODE: 6007

I. Answer the following

5x2=10 marks

- 1. What is prevalence?
- 2. What is conflict of interest?
- 3. What is Informed consent?
- 4. What is population in research?
- 5. Define observation.

II. Answer ANY FOUR of the following

4x5=20 marks

- 6. Testing of Hypothesis.
- 7. Organization of research report.
- 8. Explain differences between questionnaire and schedule
- 9. Role of referee in scientific publication.
- 10.Impact of Internet revolution on Biomedical Research.

III. Answer ANY TWO of the following

2x10=20 marks

- 11. What are the types of data? How do you present data? Add a note on impact of computer on data analysis.
- 12. Define sample. Explain briefly various probability and non probability methods of sampling with suitable examples.
- 13. Discuss in brief Fraud in medical research and measure to prevent it.

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- 1. ANOVA
- 2. Define 'false negative' and 'false positive' results of a diagnostic test.
- 3. Meta-analysis.
- 4. Chi-square test.
- 5. Plagiarism.

II Answer ANY FOUR of the following

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- 6. Define research hypothesis.
- 7. What are the advantages of a multicentre trial?
- 8. Define 'incidence' and 'prevalence'.
- 9. Blinding
- 10. Cross-over study design

III Answer ANY TWO of the following

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- 11. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of a cohort study.
- 12. Describe various types of clinical trials in brief.
- 13. Describe various commonly used graphical representations of data with examples.