



**SNS COLLEGE OF NURSING**  
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**(V - SEMESTER)**  
**I –SESSIONAL EXAMINATION**  
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**Total : 75 marks**

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- 2 a) Define mental status examination  
b) Explain the components of mental status assessment with various examples

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- 3.Classifications of mental disorder
- 4.Neurotransmitters
- 5.Explain various defence mechanism with examples

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5. Define depression
6. Hypochondriasis
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8. Mention the difference between dementia and delirium
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10. Mention about echolalia and echoprexia

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