**TU/CDOE**

**TEZPUR UNIVERSITY**

**SEMESTER END EXAMINATION (AUTUMN, 2024)**

**MASOD/MSO 403: SOCIOLOGY OF HEALTH**

**Full Marks: 70 Time: 3 hours**

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks for the individual question*

**1. Answer the following questions (5x2=10)**

1. Robert K. Merton’s book ‘The Student Physician’ was published in the year \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. Define Health according to the World Health Organization.
3. Define Ethnomedicines.
4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ theory was originally posited by Abdel R Omran in 1971.
5. In the year\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the Royal Portuguese Hospital was established in Goa.

**2. Answer any four questions (4x5=20)**

1. Write a note on various dimensions of health.
2. Explain Arthur Kleinman’s narratives on illness.
3. Write a note on the importance of Alternative medicines.
4. How access to healthcare related to gender in Indian context.
5. Explain the responsibilities of the community health care system.

**3. Answer any four questions (4x10=40)**

1. Discuss the social constructions of health according to the symbolic interactionist perspective.
2. Discuss culture and its relation on various health behaviours with relevance to India context.
3. The present status designated to Indian system of medicine is a colonial legacy. Explain.
4. Elucidate Foucault’s concept of knowledge and power, analyse how human bodies are controlled.
5. Evaluate the historical significance and changing trends of the Indian pharmaceutical industries.

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