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NSNS 307: FOUNDATIONS OF NURSING

END OF FIRST SEMESTER FINAL EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer **any 4** question

Each question carries equal marks (25).

DO NOT repeat material.

Question 1

Discuss the characteristics of nursing profession. [25 marks]

Question 2

Florence Nightingale's defined nursing as "the act of utilizing the environment of the patient to assist him in his recovery" outline her contributions to Nursing practice and Nurse education. [25 marks]

Question 3

Outline the four basic Nursing concept which are collectively referred to as metaparadigm for nursing. [25 marks]

Question 4

Describe the roles and functions of the nurse caregiver. [25marks]

Question 5

Mr. Jones complains his throat and mouth are dry. He is allowed fluids, but has had almost nothing to drink all evening. He tells you he would like to drink, but doesn't like water, especially the warm water in the pitcher. He also hates to bother the nurse. The nurse notes his oral mucosa is dry and cracked and his urine output for the last shift is low. Describe the nursing care plan that might be used in the care of this patient. [25marks]

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