RAJASTHAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, AJMER Syllabus for Screening Test for the post of Sr. Demonstrator-Biochemistry Medical & Health Department

- 1. Cell : Structure, organelles, bio-molecules & functions.
- 2. Chemistry, metabolism & Inborn errors of :
 - (a) Carbohydrates
 - (b) Lipids
 - (c) Amino Acid & Proteins
 - (d) Nucleotides
- 3. Bio-energetics & oxidative phosphorylation
- 4. Enzymes
- 5. Vitamins
- 6. Mineral Metabolism
- 7. Metabolism of xenobiotics
- 8. Acid-base balance & pH
- 9. Electrolyte & water balance
- 10. Organ function tests : Liver, Kidney, thyroid, pancreas
- 11. Heme synthesis & Breakdown
- 12. Nutrition & diet
- 13. Hormones
- 14. Free radicals & Antioxidants
- 15. Environmental Biochemistry
- 16. Immunochemistry : Humoral & cell mediated immunity, classification of immunoglobulins, Antibody diversity & class-switching, MHC Proteins, immunization, complements system, auto-immune diseases, immunodeficiency, allergy.
- 17. Molecular biology, techniques, genetics :
 - -DNA replication, repair
 - -Transcription & Translation
 - -Regulation of gene expression

-Molecular biology techniques-PCR, Southern, northern, western blot, DNA sequencing, RFLP, Hybridoma technology, Human genome Project

- 18. Biochemistry of Cancer & AIDS
- 19. Applications of Isotopes in Medicine.
- 20. Tissues proteins in Health and Disease.

Note :- <u>Pattern of Question Paper</u>

- 1. Objective type paper
- 2. Maximum Marks :100
- 3. Number of Questions :100
- 4. Duration of Paper : Two Hours
- 5. All questions carry equal marks.
- 6. There will be Negative marking.

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