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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For the following qualifications:-

M.B., B.S.

BMS Part II: Social and Individual Behaviour

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BASIC MEDICAL SCIENCES EXAMINATION PART II 2001 for internal students of University College London

SOCIAL AND INDIVIDUAL BEHAVIOUR

ANSWER <u>TWO</u> QUESTIONS FROM EACH SECTION.
(Please answer each section in a separate book and do <u>not</u> tie together

SECTION A: PSYCHOLOGY AS APPLIED TO MEDICINE

- 1. Discuss the relative contributions of nature and nurture to social and emotional development during early childhood.
- 2. What are the psychological factors in disorders involving the immune system
- 3. How does the gate control theory differ from biomedical models of pain
- 4. Write short notes on two of the following
 - a) Aging
 - b) Addiction
 - c) Stress
 - d) Bereavement

SECTION B: SOCIOLOGY AS APPLIED TO MEDICINE

- 1 Outline and assess the labelling approach to mental illness.
- Discuss the importance of the distinction between 'felt' and 'enacted' stigma. Illustrate by reference to a particular stigmatizing condition.
- 3. How would you account for the decline in mortality from infectious disease in Britain over the last century and a half?
- 4. How might ethnicity affect the use of health services in Britain?
- 5. What do you understand by the terms "Third Age" and "Fourth Age"? How might they be useful in understanding the health of older people?