

**Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka**  
**VI Semester Bachelors in Hospital Administration Degree Examination - 19-**  
**May-2026**

**Time: Three Hours**

**Max. Marks: 80**

**HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION**  
**MATERIAL PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT - (RS)**  
**Q.P. CODE: 3249**

Your answers should be specific to the questions asked  
Draw neat, labeled diagrams wherever necessary

**LONG ESSAYS (Answer any Two)**

**2 x 10 = 20 Marks**

1. What are the objectives of material planning? Add a note on its importance
2. Write briefly on the imports of equipment's and medicines for hospitals
3. Explain the types of storage. Add a note on preservation of materials in hospitals

**SHORT ESSAYS (Answer any Eight)**

**8 x 5 = 40 Marks**

4. Explain the inventory control techniques used in material stores
5. Describe the principles of sourcing materials
6. Briefly write a note on distribution management
7. Discuss on the management of dispensaries
8. Briefly explain the model contract for laundry
9. Explain the stores management functions
10. Briefly explain the duties of storekeeper
11. Which are the purchasing methods? Explain
12. Write on the exceptional management needs in healthcare units
13. Discuss on the need for research in stores management

**SHORT ANSWERS (Answer any ten)**

**10 x 2 = 20 Marks**

14. Concept of purchasing
15. Distribution of materials to auxiliary services
16. Quality management methods
17. Common foreign currencies
18. Contract administration
19. Importance of computers in stores
20. Benefits of purchasing policy
21. Channels of material distribution
22. Stores records
23. Objectives of scientific purchasing
24. Control of pilferage of materials
25. Stores accounting

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