



**UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA, SRI LANKA  
FACULTY OF ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES**

**First Year First Semester Examination in BScHons (Nursing) – 2023/ Proper 18<sup>th</sup> Batch**

**NURNE 1171 NURSING ETHICS, TRENDS AND PROFESSIONAL ADJUSTMENT I**

**Date: 18.12.2024**

**Time: 2 hours**

**ANSWER ALL FOUR QUESTIONS**

1.
  - 1.1. List the criteria of a profession (20 Marks)
  - 1.2. Describe the professional characteristics of nursing in Sri Lanka. (40 Marks)
  - 1.3. Briefly explain the professional adjustments which are expected from early-career nurses. (40 Marks)
  
2.
  - 2.1. List five (5) basic ethical principles of Nursing (20 Marks)
  - 2.2. Explain the importance of ethical practice in nursing. (40 Marks)
  - 2.3. Briefly describe the following ethical issues:
    - 2.3.1. Moral conflict (10 Marks)
    - 2.3.2. Moral distress (10 Marks)
    - 2.3.3. Moral outrage (10 Marks)
    - 2.3.4. Ethical dilemma (10 Marks)
  
3.
  - 3.1. Differentiate law and ethics. (30 Marks)
  - 3.2. Briefly describe the strategies to minimize the legal risks in nursing practice. (40 Marks)
  - 3.3. Write an account on Sri Lanka Nursing Council (SLNC) (30 Marks)
  
4. Write short notes on:
  - 4.1. Florence Nightingale. (50 Marks)
  - 4.2. Professional negligence. (50 Marks)