

POSTGRADUATE INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE
UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO

MD (MEDICINE) EXAMINATION – AUGUST 2018

PAPER I – EASSY

Date : 8th August 2018

Time : ONE hour

WRITE AN ESSAY ON ONE OF THE FOLLOWING.

1. The physician's role in the prevention of influenza outbreaks and its complications in the community.

2. Due to increasing urbanization and adoption of Western life style, there is a rapid rise in the prevalence of non-communicable diseases in Sri Lanka. Discuss the role of life style modification in the management of metabolic syndrome and cardiovascular diseases.

3. You are appointed as the Consultant in-charge of the regional poison information center in your District General Hospital. As part of the "National week for prevention of poisoning" write a newspaper article on "Prevention of household poisoning".