

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2024
(Second Semester)**

Branch- **CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY**

RESEARCH METHODS - II (QUALITATIVE)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Module No	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	1	Which method analyses people's stories for research? a) Grounded theory b) Narrative approach c) Ethnography d) Action Research	K1	CO1
	2	The names associated with grounded theory are a) Glaser and Strauss b) Bronislaw Malinowski c) Alfred Radcliffe – Brown d) Franz Boas	K2	CO1
2	3	_____ are used to visualize process in research. a) Spider maps b) Hierarchy maps c) Flowcharts d) System maps	K1	CO1
	4	A research that involves collecting and analyzing numerical data is called _____. a) Psychological research b) Quantitative research c) Qualitative research d) Social science research	K2	CO1
3	5	It's a conversation where questions are asked to elicit information. a) Focus group discussion b) Life history c) Conversation d) Interview	K1	CO2
	6	In-depth study of a specific person, group or event is called a) Case study b) Interview c) FGD d) Text studies	K2	CO2
4	7	The process of converting audio or video files into text is called _____. a) Qualitative data b) Transcription c) Data management d) Thematic analysis	K1	CO2
	8	Which of the following involves reading a data set and looking for patterns and meaning? a) Thematic analysis b) Phenomenological analysis c) Narrative analysis d) Content analysis	K2	CO1
5	9	Which design combines both qualitative and quantitative data collection? a) Qualitative design b) Quantitative design c) Mixed research design d) Psychosocial research	K1	CO2
	10	Which collects both quantitative and qualitative data at the same time? a) Multi strand design b) Concurrent mixed design c) Sequential mixed design d) Integrated mixed design	K2	CO1

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SECTION - B (35 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 × 7 = 35)

Module No	Question No.	Question	K level	CO
1	11.a.	Trace the historical development of qualitative research.	K2	CO2
	(OR)			
	11.b.	Write about grounded theory with an example.		
2	12.a.	Discuss sampling in qualitative research.	K3	CO2
	(OR)			
	12.b.	Elaborate ways to improve credibility and trustworthiness in research.		
3	13.a.	Explain qualitative data with an example.	K4	CO3
	(OR)			
	13.b.	Discuss the significance of participant observation.		
4	14.a.	Explain the data management process.	K4	CO4
	(OR)			
	14.b.	Write a note on analytical induction model.		
5	15.a.	Why are mixed methods relevant to research?	K4	CO4
	(OR)			
	15.b.	Enumerate the types of mixed research designs.		

SECTION -C (30 Marks)

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (3 × 10 = 30)

Module No	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	16	Evaluate the pros and cons of various qualitative research approaches.	K5	CO5
2	17	Compare and contrast qualitative and quantitative research.	K5	CO5
3	18	Analyse various methods of collecting data for qualitative research.	K5	CO5
4	19	Elucidate the importance of discourse and conversational analysis with an example.	K5	CO5
5	20	Appraise the types of mixed research designs.	K5	CO5

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