

**University of Colombo**

**Faculty of Arts**

**Bachelor of Arts Degree Examination (Special / Study Stream) - Second Year**

**Semester End Examination- Semester II - 2018/2019**

**DMG 2232: Population and Health**

**Answer three (03) questions only**

**Time: Two (02) hours**

**This paper contains five (05) questions and one (01) page**

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1. a) What is meant by "health seeking behavior"  
(05 Marks)
- b) Discuss how the differentials of age and sex structure affect health of the population in a country  
(15 Marks)
2. a) Examine how the measures of health are important in measuring the development of a country by taking four (04) measures as examples.  
(10 Marks)
- b) Describe the importance of focusing on Sexual and Reproductive Health to uplift the health status of a country.  
(10 Marks)
3. Examine how Epidemiologic Transition Theory can be used to study the changes of health in Sri Lanka.  
(20 Marks)
4. Explain the recent health issues faced by people due to age-sex structural change by drawing examples from developed and developing countries.  
(20 Marks)
5. Write four (04) short notes among the following.
  - I. Health and Environment
  - II. Vulnerable groups of Health
  - III. National Health Policy in Sri Lanka
  - IV. Health Transition Theory
  - V. Non communicable diseases and behavioral risk factors

(05X4=20 Marks)