

**CENTRAL COUNCIL FOR RESEARCH IN SIDDHA**  
**EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE POST OF SIDDHA PHARMACIST**

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Time: 90 Minutes

1. Which is the 8<sup>th</sup> cranial nerve?  
a.Vagus      b.Auditory nerve      c.Facial nerve      d.Optic nerve
2. The tongue shaped projection of the left lung below the cardiac notch is called  
a.appendix      b.lingula      c.apex      d.base
3. Which hormone does maintain blood calcium level?  
a.Thyroid      b.Parathyroid      c.Adrenalin      d. Insulin
4. The enzymes of TCA cycle are located in  
a.ribosome      b.cytoplasm  
c.mitochondrial matrix      d.electron transport chain
5. Widal test is used to diagnose  
a.rheumatic fever      b.rheumatoid arthritis  
c.typhoid fever      d.meningitis
6. What is neuroma?  
a.Fatty tumour      b.Flesh tumour      c.Nerve tumour      d.Muscle tumour
7. Which is the drug of choice for fever with diarrhoea ?  
a.Santha santhrothaya mathirai      b.Bala sanjivi mathirai  
c.Swasa kudori mathirai      d.Brahmanantha bairava mathirai
8. The application of heat using needle, soil or pieces of wood in affected areas of the body is called  
a.Suttigai      b.Potannam      c.Salagai      d.Vethu
9. Herb that prevents entry of the snakes is  
a.*ocimum sanctum*      b.*azadirachta indica*  
c.*corallocarpus epigeus*      d.*phyllanthus emblica*
10. Karpooradhi Choornam is used as an adjuvant for  
a.aya kantha chenduam      b.veera parpam  
c.poorna chandirodayam      d.pooru mezhugu
11. Diuretic action is present in  
a.Nerunjil      b.Chukku      c.Milagu      d.Adathoda
12. The drug with very long shelf life is  
a.gurukuligai      b.kudineer      c.karkam      d.mathirai
13. Which Legume is used as an anupanam for Naga parpam ?  
a.Thetran Kottai      b.Aswagandha      c.Nellikkai      d. Pancha Deepakkini

14. Vaividangam (*Emblia ribes*) is recommended as an  
a. anti spasmodic    b. anti diarrhoeal    c. anthelmintic    d. antitussive
15. Sirupeelai samoola kudineer is indicated for  
a. Kalladaippu    b. Sathai adaippu    c. Mookkadaippu    d. Nenjadaippu
16. Disease relieved by Uthamani is  
a. Maantham    b. Gunmam    c. Moolam    d. Pun
17. Which is the constituent of Jathi Jambheera Kuzhambu ?  
a. Lingam    b. Pooram    c. Veeram    d. Rasam
18. Synonym for Thalaga ennai is  
a. vellai ennai    b. moolakudori ennai  
c. virana sanjeevi thylum    d. mathan thylum
19. Arsenic compound is known as  
a. Padanam    b. Karasaram    c. Uparasam    d. None of the above
20. Mention one pidi thylum  
a. Pinda thylum    b. Moolakudori thylum    c. Anda thylum    d. Asai thylum
21. Which herbal fruit is used in caries tooth?  
a. Sapota    b. Thuthuvelai    c. Kandankathiri    d. Kala
22. Which one of the following is spread all over the body?  
a. Vyanan    b. Abanan    c. Udanan    d. Samanan
23. Which one of the following has a shelf life of 3 months?  
a. Pasai    b. Varthi    c. Mai    d. Seelai
24. The oxygenated blood reaches the foetus through the single  
a. Umbilical Artery    b. Ductus Venosus    c. Ductus Arteriosus    d. Umbilical Vein
25. Intra muscular injections are often given into the  
a. Biceps brachii    b. Triceps brachii    c. Trapezius    d. Deltoid
26. Which muscle is inserted in trochanteric fossa?  
a. Obturator Externus    b. Vastus Latralis    c. Adductor Magnus    d. Gluteus Maximus
27. The average life span of erythrocytes is  
a. 100 days    b. 6 months    c. 120 days    d. 1 week
28. Which disease is called Raja Yakshama?  
a. Cholera    b. Chicken pox    c. Vomiting    d. Tuberculosis
29. Which one of the following has insecticidal activity?  
a. Pyrethrum    b. Tobacco    c. Ephedra    d. Caffeine

30. The process of burning by using 10 cow dung cakes is  
a. Varaga pudam b. Kukkuda Pudam c. Kaadai Pudam d. Gaja Pudam
31. In the preparation of which one of the following chendurams, fire is not used?  
a. Chandamarudha chenduram b. Thamira chenduram  
c. Aya chenduram d. Arumuga chenduram
32. ----- is an inactive form of a drug which gets metabolized to an active derivative in the body.  
a. Progestasert b. Prodrug c. Osmotic pump d. Ocusert
33. The indication for Santha Santhrothaya Mathirai is  
a. vatha diseases b. kapha diseases c. gunmam d. pitha diseases
34. In which thailam Calotropis milk is used ?  
a. Pinda Thailam b. Vatha Kesari Thailam  
c. Ulunthu Thailam d. Sadamanjil Thailam
35. Depending on the mode of administration, nei is classified into  
a. 10 b. 5 c. 7 d. 9
36. Antidote for Camphor is  
a. neeli (avuri) b. kaichukatti c. rice gruel d. none
37. The indication for pachai karpooora vadagam is  
a. cough b. diarrhoea c. fainting d. insomnia
38. Which herbal Thailam is used for skin disease ?  
a. Adhimadhuram b. Kundrimani c. Koraikizhangu d. Sivanarvembu
39. Drugs having the shelf life of THREE months  
a. choornam b. manappagu c. ennai d. kattu
40. Which one of the following preparations is not having *Croton tiglium* (Nervalam) as an ingredient ?  
a. Lavangathi mathirai b. Kungumapoo mathirai  
c. Gandhi mathirai d. Neerkovai mathirai
41. The metal which controls haemorrhage is  
a. naagam b. velvagam c. thangam d. ayam
42. In the preparation of Thirithoda Mathirai \_\_\_\_\_ is present.  
a. pooram b. ayam c. veeram d. thangam
43. The ennai used for making Sirangu kalimbu is  
a. veppennai b. neeradimuthu ennai c. thengai ennai d. vetpalai ennai
44. Dose of Agasthiar kulambu is one  
a. kundrimani b. sundaikai c. kalarchikai d. thetrankottai
45. Brahmi nei is indicated for

- a.valippu noi      b.moottu noi      c. pithathikkam      d.kabathikkam
46. "Devathatham" is another name of  
a.Palakarai      b.Sangu      c. Kilinjal      d.Mankombu
47. Which of the following are floating ribs?  
a.4&5      b.5&6      c.3&4      d.11&12
48. The deltoid muscle is supplied by  
a. radial nerve      b.median nerve      c.ulnar nerve      d.axillary nerve
49. Which is known as the pacemaker of the heart ?  
a. AV node      b.SA node      c.Bundle of His      d.Apex of heart
50. Which is the only gland using natural Iodine for the synthesis of its hormone?  
a. Thymus      b.Thyroid      c.Pineal      d. Pancreas
51. Which will happen in menorrhagia?  
a.Ulcer      b.Cough      c.Anemia      d.Sinusitis
52. What is Hyperplasia?  
a.Increased number of cells in an organ causing volume rise  
b.Decreased number of cells in an organ causing fall in volume  
c.Increased volume of Plasma  
d.Decreased size of an organ
53. Which one of the following roots is used as a Galactogogue ?  
a.Liquorice root      b.Gokshura root      c.Shatavari root      d. Adathoda root
54. The food supplement, SOYA is helpful  
a.to lower the blood cholesterol level  
b.to lower the blood pressure  
c.to lower the blood sugar  
d.all the above three
55. The toxic symptoms of *Calotropis gigantea* are  
a.gastritis, stomatitis, vomiting and diarrhea  
b.gastritis, indigestion, hyper acidity and constipation  
c.vomiting, unconsciousness and flatulance  
d.loose stools
56. A teratogenic action of a drug is  
a.toxic action on the liver  
b.negative action on the foetus causing foetal malformation  
c.toxic action on blood system  
d.toxic action on kidney
57. Ferrous sulphate when mixed with Aloes gum relieves  
a.amenorrhoea      b.anorexia      c.ascites      d.cough

58. Aya vera chenduram is prepared by  
a.frying                      b.grinding                      c.melting                      d. churning
59. Kavikkal is used to  
a.control bleeding                      b. treat vatha diseases  
c.neutralise toxicity                      d. treat pitha disease
60. \_\_\_\_\_ is given to relieve diarrhoea with mucus and blood with tenesmus due to mercurial poisoning  
a. Surai Karuppu                      b. Decoction of Cynodon dactylon  
c.Curd and Jaggery                      d. None
61. The botanical name of Karboga arisi is  
a.*Semicarpus anacardium*                      b. *Tribulus terrestris*  
c.*Psoralea corylifolia*                      d. *Aconitum napellus*
62. Which one of the following oils can be used as Nasiyam?  
a.Lagu vishamushti thylam                      b.Pinda thylam  
c.Chukku thylam                      d.Moolakudori thylam
63. The mathirai containing 'Nabi' is  
a.brahmanantha bairavam                      b.santha sandhrodayam  
c.vasantha kusumagaram                      d.maha vasantha kusumagaram
64. Which medicine contains punugu (Civet) as one of the ingredients?  
a. Maha elathy mathirai                      b.Maha vasantha kusumakara mathirai  
c. Poorna chandrodayam                      d.Thanga uram
65. Vanga sathu mooligai is  
a. Kovai                      b. Sirukeerai                      c. Senthara                      d. Vizhuthi
66. Vazhaipoo vatakam is used for treating  
a. Vellai noi                      b. Arosagam                      c. Perumpadu                      d. Moolam
67. Chaulmoogra oil is most recommended for  
a.diabetic ulcer                      b. leprotic ulcer                      c.bed sore                      d.traumatic ulcer
68. Which chendooram is added to Thippili Rasayanam to relieve Mandara kasam?  
a.Thalaga chendooram                      b.Thambira chendooram  
c.Gowri chendooram                      d.Gandaga chendooram
69. Peetharohini is useful in the treatment of  
a.kan noi                      b.kathu noi                      c.mookku noi                      d.nakku noi
70. An example for Surya Puda Thylam is  
a.seeraga thylam                      b. vetpalai thylam  
c.kaiyan thylam                      d. karpooradhi thylam

## Key

1.	B	36.	B
2.	B	37.	A
3.	B	38.	D
4.	C	39.	A
5.	C	40.	C
6.	C	41.	A
7.	B	42.	C
8.	A	43.	C
9.	C	44.	A
10.	C	45.	C
11.	A	46.	B
12.	A	47.	D
13.	A	48.	D
14.	C	49.	B
15.	A	50.	B
16.	A	51.	C
17.	A	52.	A
18.	C	53.	C
19.	A	54.	A
20.	A	55.	A
21.	C	56.	B
22.	A	57.	A
23.	B	58.	A
24.	D	59.	A
25.	D	60.	C
26.	A	61.	C
27.	C	62.	C
28.	D	63.	A
29.	A	64.	A
30.	B	65.	D
31.	A	66.	C
32.	B	67.	B
33.	D	68.	B
34.	B	69.	A
35.	B	70.	B