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Course: Physical Handicaps-I (3607)  
Level: M.A/M.Ed Special Education

Semester: Autumn, 2013  
Total Marks: 100  
Pass Marks: 40

**ASSIGNMENT No. 1**  
(Units: 1-5)

*Note: Attempt all questions, your own analysis and synthesis will be highly appreciated.*

- Q. 1 Explain the most common types of physical disabilities in children. (20)
- Q. 2 Describe the anatomy and physiology of the following:  
a) Nervous system (10)  
b) Bones (10)
- Q. 3 Discuss the effects of physical disabilities on individual, family and society. (20)
- Q. 4 Highlight the normal pattern of motor development in children. (20)
- Q. 5 Give an account on cerebral palsy. Describe the causes of this defect in children. What may be the associative handicaps of this illness? (20)

**ASSIGNMENT No. 2**  
(Units: 5-9)

- Q. 1 Describe the characteristics of children with spina bifida. Discuss the implication of this disease on cognitive developments of children. (20)
- Q. 2 Explain Convulsive Disorders in children. (20)

- Q. 3 Discuss the role of occupational therapist and physiotherapist in special education centers of Pakistan. **(20)**
- Q. 4 Define counseling and discuss the role of counselor for the betterment of the disabled child's parents in accepting the disabling condition of their child. **(20)**
- Q. 5 Write notes on the following:
- a) Hydrocephalus **(10)**
  - b) Fine motor skills **(10)**