

SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
Programme: M.Sc (Home Science)
Subject: Foods & Nutrition
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Paper Code: PH03EFDN03	Total Credit: 4
Title Of Paper: Community Nutrition	

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
I	Prevalence of malnutrition in India - Ecology environment and socio - economic factors, resources of the family, family size and composition, dietary practices including gender differences food habits, food consumption patterns, customs and prejudices, ignorance, food losses, synergism of nutrition and infection.	
II	National and international agencies engaged in various nutrition programmes	
III	Maternal and infant mortality rate in India, vital statistics crude death rate, crude birth rate, infant mortality rate, toddler mortality rate etc.	
IV	Various methods of diet surveys, advantages and dis-advantages of each method.	
V	Assessment of nutritional status, importance of life style factors on nutritional status etc	

Basic Text & Reference Books:-

- Park K. : Preventive and Social Medicine, 19th Edition,
- D.B. Jelliffe : The assessment of the Nutritional status of community.

