

## THE AMERICAN COLLEGE, MADURAI

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## Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

BCH 1421 Biomolecules Max Marks: 75

Time: 3 Hrs.

## **PART A**

## I. Answer any Five questions each not exceeding 4 pages:

 $(5 \times 15 = 60)$ 

- 1. Describe the structure of water, reactants and hydrogen bonding in water molecule.
- 2. Define carbohydrates. Explain various structures of glucose.
- 3. Define lipids. Describe classification of lipids with suitable examples.
- 4. Discuss the classification of amino acids based their structure.
- 5. Explain the Watson & Crick model of DNA and base pairing rule of nucleic acids.
- 6. Describe the structure, sources, RDA, functions and deficiency of vitamin D.
- 7. Explain the structure of proteins in detail with appropriate diagrams.