
GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES AND RESEARCH

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Paper 1 Written Examination

May/June 2018

1 hour 30 minutes

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

An answer booklet is provided inside this question paper. You should follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

Answer **all** questions.

You should spend approximately 10 minutes reading the documents in the Resource Booklet before attempting to answer the questions. This is allowed for within the time set for the examination.

Answers should be written in continuous prose.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

This document consists of **2** printed pages, **2** blank pages and **2** Inserts.

Read the documents in the accompanying Resource Booklet and answer **all** the questions.

Medical ethics and priorities

1 Study Document 1.

(a) Identify **two** examples of robotic equipment that are being developed, given by the author of Document 1. [2]

(b) Explain **two** benefits in using communication robots, given by the author of Document 1. [4]

2 Study Document 1.

Assess the strengths and weaknesses of the evidence given in Document 1 to support the author's argument about using robotic equipment in healthcare. [12]

3 Study Documents 1 and 2.

To what extent is the author's argument in Document 2 about using robotic equipment in healthcare more convincing than the author's argument in Document 1? [12]

[Total: 30]

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