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**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE**

F918

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

UNIT 9: Caring for Older People

FRIDAY 5 JUNE 2009: Afternoon

DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes

SUITABLE FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES

Candidates answer on the question paper

OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:

None

OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:

None

READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes on the first page.
- Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer ALL the questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided, however additional paper may be used if necessary.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 100.
- You will be awarded marks for the quality of written communication where an answer requires a piece of extended writing.

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1 Fred has just retired from his job as a shop manager which he thoroughly enjoyed. He is determined to make the most of his retirement.

(a) Identify FIVE economic changes Fred could experience now he has retired.

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5 _____ **[5]**

(b) Identify THREE lifestyle changes Fred could experience now he has retired. Using examples, explain how each lifestyle change could affect his roles.

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3 _____

[6]

(c) Explain TWO effects these role changes could have on Fred.

1 _____

2 _____

_____ **[4]**

[Total: 15]

2 Many older people develop disorders of the digestive system.

(a) (i) Identify ONE disorder of the digestive system.

_____ [1]

(ii) State TWO possible physical effects of this disorder of the digestive system.

1 _____

2 _____ [2]

(iii) Explain coping strategies a service user could use to relieve the effects of this disorder of the digestive system.

[6]

(b) Identify THREE professional care workers who could provide support for an older person with a disorder of the digestive system. Explain how each could help.

1 _____

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[6]

[Total: 15]

3 Samira has a disorder of the nervous system which has affected her socially and emotionally.

(a) (i) Identify ONE disorder of the nervous system.

_____ [1]

(ii) Identify and explain TWO possible social effects of this disorder on Samira.

1 _____

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_____ [4]

(b) Identify and explain THREE reasons why an older person with a disorder of the nervous system could have low self-esteem.

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_____ **[6]**

(c) Analyse ways a care worker should promote equality and diversity when caring for an older person who has a disorder of the nervous system.

[9]

[Total: 20]

4 Mabel, 73 years old, has a disorder of the circulatory system. She is cared for at home by her husband, Geoffrey.

(a) (i) Name ONE disorder of the circulatory system.

_____ [1]

(ii) Describe THREE physical effects of this disorder on Mabel.

1 _____

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3 _____

_____ [3]

(b) Identify and explain TWO functions of the heart.

1 _____

2 _____

_____ [4]

(c) Analyse ways the Carers Recognition and Services Act 1995 ensures Geoffrey receives the support he needs to care for Mabel at home.

[7]

[Total: 15]

5 Sergios is blind and deaf, both of which are sensory disorders. He is determined to live in his own home for as long as possible.

(a) Discuss ways an occupational therapist should maintain confidentiality in their day-to-day tasks when caring for Sergios.

[7]

(b) Evaluate the impact of the Health Act 1999 on the provision of care for Sergios.

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[Total: 15]

6 Stephen's wife has just died. Prior to her death Stephen was her primary carer. Stephen has a disorder of the respiratory system and is finding it difficult to cope since the death of his wife.

(a) Evaluate the possible effects on Stephen of losing his wife.

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(b) Analyse how different types of community care services could provide support for Stephen's needs at this time.

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