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GCE A level

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HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE
UNIT 8: Understanding Human Behaviour

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2 hours

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
1.	25	
2.	25	
3.	25	
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Total	100	

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. If you run out of space, use the continuation pages at the back of the booklet, taking care to number the question(s) correctly.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

Each question carries 25 marks.

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

You are reminded of the necessity for good English and orderly, clear presentation in your answers.

Assessment will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.

Answer all questions in the spaces provided.

1. Anthony is 15 years old. His mother died when he was 2 years old. He lives with his father and elder brother on a large housing estate. His behaviour often causes concern at school because he is disruptive in class. He also has a reputation as a troublemaker in the neighbourhood which is causing problems at home. Anthony’s father has decided to seek professional help for him.

(a) State **two** psychological factors that might be influencing Anthony’s behaviour. [2]

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(b) Describe how peer relationships could affect emotional development during adolescence. [5]

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(c) Explain how **one** theorist from the psychodynamic approach would account for Anthony's behaviour. [8]

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(d) Evaluate **two** strategies from the psychodynamic approach that a health and social care professional might use to help Anthony. [10]

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2. Elizabeth, aged 18, has cystic fibrosis. Recently, she left home to go to university. Her condition has to be carefully monitored. She requires physiotherapy sessions every morning and is coping well with help from her support worker and her GP.

(a) Conditions such as cystic fibrosis are usually detected at birth, or soon afterwards.

Describe how inheritance influences the development of conditions such as cystic fibrosis. [2]

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(b) Describe **two** socio-economic factors that could influence Elizabeth’s intellectual development. [4,4]

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(c) Discuss how Elizabeth's environment could influence her physical health.

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3. Lucas is 14 months old and appears to be a happy and healthy child. However, his parents are concerned because he has not met some developmental milestones. Whilst he can sit unaided, he still cannot crawl or walk and has yet to say his first words.

(a) Describe what is meant by the term 'cognitive development'. [2]

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(b) Describe how diet could affect the cognitive development of a young child. [2]

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(c) Explain **two** ways in which Lucas's parents can provide a stimulating environment to aid his cognitive development. [2,2]

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4. Helen works with children who have behavioural problems. She is currently working with Sabina, a 5 year-old girl who finds it difficult to sit still and listen to others. She often has tantrums when she doesn't want to do something. Helen recently overheard some children talking about Sabina. One child said she was a 'very naughty girl' and another said that she 'wasn't allowed to play with her'.

(a) Describe the impact that Sabina's behaviour could have on her social development. [3]

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(b) Explain, with reference to Sabina, what is meant by the term 'self-fulfilling prophecy'. [5]

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(c) Explain how **one** theorist from the behaviourist approach would account for Sabina's tantrums. [7]

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- (d) Evaluate the use of **two** behavioural strategies that could be used by Helen when working with Sabina. [10]

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