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General Certificate of Education  
Advanced Subsidiary Examination  
**Specimen Paper**

## Health and Social Care

## HSC03

### Unit 3 Life as a Challenge

2012

You will need no other materials.

#### Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

#### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the space provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.
- If you need extra paper, use the Supplementary Answer Sheets.

#### Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.

Version 1

## HSC03

Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

1 John is twelve years old and has cystic fibrosis. He has daily physiotherapy to assist him in breaking up the mucus which he has collected on his lungs.

1 (a) Apart from a physiotherapist, suggest **two** other practitioners likely to be involved in the care of someone with cystic fibrosis and briefly outline the treatment they provide.

Practitioner 1 .....  
treatment .....

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Practitioner 2 .....  
treatment .....

*(6 marks)*

1 (b) Discuss what provision a mainstream secondary school should make for a teenage student with cystic fibrosis and refer within your answer to possible reasons why the student might not wish others to know about her disability. Consider the impact on physical, intellectual, emotional and social development.  
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*(9 marks)*

**2** Alzheimer's Disease

**2(a)** Mrs Roberts has Alzheimer's disease and lives with her daughter Janet and her grand-daughter, Stephanie. Mrs Roberts' condition has started to worsen and Janet is beginning to struggle with the care of her mother. She is also worried about the impact on Stephanie.

Discuss the likely impact of Alzheimer's disease on Mrs Roberts, Janet, and Stephanie.

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(6 marks)

**2(b)** Ian is the manager of a residential home specializing in dementia. He runs a session for his staff which is aimed at improving their skills and techniques when caring for the residents with Alzheimer's disease.

Identify and explain **three** caring skills which could be used when caring for these residents.

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**3** Social Challenge

Ben is 14 years old, an only child and lives just with his mother. Ben's mother has a range of medical problems which mean that she is unable to do many daily tasks, such as washing, dressing and feeding herself. As a result of this, Ben is a young carer.

**3(a)** Explain how Ben's development will be affected by being a young carer.

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**3(b)** Identify and describe **two** ways in which Ben may be supported.

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**3(c)** Discuss **one** barrier faced by Ben.

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**END OF QUESTIONS**

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