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**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
ADVANCED GCE
F924**

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

Unit 15: Social Trends

**THURSDAY 24 JUNE 2010: Morning
DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes**

SUITABLE FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES

Candidates answer on the Question Paper

OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:

Clean copy of Case Study F924/CS

OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:

None

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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. Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your Candidate Number, Centre Number and question number(s).

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.

1 (a) **FIG 1.** Identify **THREE** significant patterns relating to age and/or gender (sex) in the data.

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(b) TEXT 1. Identify THREE practical ways the government is able to use census data.

[3]

- (c) Outline possible reasons why the number of single person households has increased since 1991.**

[9]

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- 2** TEXT 2. Discuss the possible advantages and disadvantages of giving an Individual Budget (IB) to older adults who require social care.

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- 3 (a) TEXT 3. Identify **TWO** characteristics of the information on abortion.**

[2]

You have been asked to undertake some primary research into attitudes towards abortion amongst a cross-section of society.

- (b) Identify an appropriate primary qualitative method you would use.**

[1]

- (c) Identify and explain THREE factors you would need to consider in order to ensure you get a representative cross-section of society in your sample.

[6]

(d) Outline the process you would follow in order to carry out this research into attitudes about abortion.

[9]

- (e) Assess the strengths and weaknesses of your chosen method to investigate attitudes towards abortion.

- [12]

[Total: 30]

- 4 (a) **FIG. 2.** Identify and explain two possible reasons why there are more multi-generational households amongst Asian households than other ethnic groups.

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(b) TEXT 4. Identify and explain two possible problems ‘boomerang kids’ may place on family relations.

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(c) Discuss the possible reasons why the role of the extended family may increase in the future.

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- 5 TEXTS 5 AND 6, FIGS 3 AND 4. To what extent have women achieved greater equality both in the home and the workplace?**

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