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HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

Unit 8 – Understanding Human Behaviour

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Answer **all** questions.

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

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet.

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 need 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. A day nursery in a small town takes children from a wide variety of backgrounds. Many of the children are in the nursery for the whole day. The staff of the nursery are keen to ensure that the children can play and learn in a happy, calm and co-operative environment.

(a) Give three examples of the sort of behaviour in the children that the staff at the nursery would want to discourage. [3]

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(b) Explain two factors that may influence the social development of the children at the nursery. [3,3]

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(ii) Factor

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2. Janet is a quiet and timid 3 year-old girl who has moved to live with her grandparents, due to the death of her parents. When her grandparents take her to the playgroup in the local village hall she plays happily with the toys and the other children. However, she will not stay in the playgroup without them. She says she has seen spiders in the hall and she is frightened of them.

(a) Describe what might have caused Janet’s fear of spiders (phobia). [4]

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(b) Describe two factors, other than her fear of spiders, that may contribute towards Janet’s reluctance to stay in the playgroup without her grandparents. [2,2]

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3. Andrew is a 60 year-old widower with diabetes. He recently moved into a residential care home because he could no longer manage by himself in his own home. Andrew is very depressed and stays in his room instead of mixing with the other residents. He drinks quite a lot of alcohol and often forgets to take his medication or keep himself clean.

(a) Suggest three ways that a residential care home can offer support to individuals. [3]

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(b) Describe two factors that may be contributing towards Andrew's behaviour. [2,2]

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(c) Discuss how psychoanalysis could be used as a strategy to treat Andrew’s depression and neglect of himself. [8]

Dotted lines for writing.

4. The staff at a small residential home have noticed that the behaviour of some of the older children is getting worse. The home specialises in caring for children and young people with learning disabilities. When they are 16 years old the young people move to supported living accommodation or to an adult residential home.

(a) Explain what is meant by ‘a residential setting’. [3]

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(b) Describe two factors that may be contributing to the poor behaviour of some of the older children in the residential home. [3,3]

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