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GCE AS/A level

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HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

Unit 5 – Understanding Individuals with Disabilities

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1½ hours

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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.

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. Marina is a 55 year old single mother of 3 teenage children and has osteoarthritis. Her condition has become progressively worse over the last year and now she can only walk short distances and had to give up her job in the local supermarket as she was in too much pain.

(a) List **three** signs/symptoms of osteoarthritis. [3]

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(b) Identify a voluntary organisation and suggest how it may provide help for Marina and her family. [2]

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(c) State **three** daily living activities that Marina may have difficulty coping with. For **each** activity identified, suggest an aid or adaptation that could help promote her independence.

(i) Daily living activity [1]

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Aid/adaptation [1]

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(ii) Daily living activity [1]

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(iii) Daily living activity [1]

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(d) Identify **two** health and social care practitioners and explain how **each** could provide appropriate support for Marina.

(i) Practitioner [1]

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Support provided [2]

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(ii) Practitioner [1]

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2. Jayesh is a 32 year old man who works in the central town Library. He lives with friends in a shared flat and has Cerebral Palsy that affects his speech and movements. He receives help and practical support from Social Services.

(a) Identify **three** possible causes of disability. [3]

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(b) State **two** possible causes of Cerebral Palsy. [2]

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(c) Suggest **three** adaptations that may have been made to Jayesh’s flat in order to promote his independence. [3]

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(d) (i) Describe how communication barriers may hinder Jayesh in his work. [3]

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(ii) Explain how these could be overcome. [4]

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3. Gavin is a 22 year old man with Cystic Fibrosis. He is just about to start a degree in English at University and has to organise his accommodation with the Student Services. He walks without aids most of the time, but sometimes requires the use of a wheelchair when he is too breathless to walk.

(a) Disability can be defined using the medical and social models of disability. Define the social model of disability. [3]

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(b) Name **two** tests that are used to diagnose Cystic Fibrosis. [2]

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(c) (i) Identify **two** signs/symptoms of Cystic Fibrosis. [2]

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(ii) Explain the impact that Cystic Fibrosis may have on Gavin whilst at University. [4]

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(d) Identify and explain **three** types of support, available for students with disabilities.

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(e) Discuss the barriers that may result from prejudice and discrimination that students with disability conditions may encounter. [8]

Dotted lines for student response.

4. Agatha is 39 years old and has been unable to leave her house for 2 years as she is morbidly obese. She can only stand for short periods and requires help with all activities of daily living. Her friends and neighbours have been supporting her, but she can no longer manage.

(a) (i) Explain what is meant by the term ‘informal carer’. [2]

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(ii) Name the legislation that can provide support for informal carers and describe the impact of this legislation on the informal carer. [3]

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(b) Disability conditions can be divided up into three main types. Identify the **three** main types of disability, and give **one** example of **each**.

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(c) Under the care management process, Agatha may receive support from a range of practitioners.
Discuss the benefits and possible drawbacks of a multi disciplinary approach to care in relation to service users. [6]

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- (d) Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of Agatha employing a personal assistant to help with her daily living activities. [8]

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