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OCR LEVEL 3 CAMBRIDGE TECHNICALS IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

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INTRODUCTION

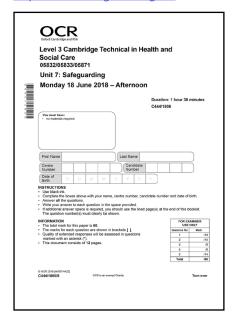
This resource brings together the questions from the June 2018 examined unit (Unit 7), the marking guidance, the examiners comments and the exemplar answers into one place for easy reference.

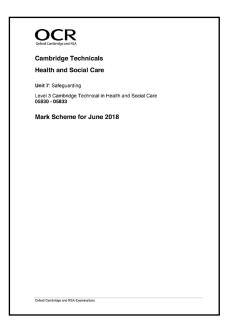
We have also included exemplar candidate answers with commentary for Questions1(c), 3(c) and 5(a).

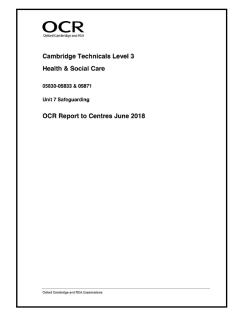
The marking guidance and the examiner's comments are taken from the Report to Centre for this question paper.

The Question Paper, Mark Scheme and the Report to Centre are available from:

https://interchange.ocr.org.uk/







GENERAL EXAMINER COMMENTS ON THE PAPER

The vast majority of candidates attempted all questions, with a few no responses for question 4. Candidates showed the ability to apply their answers to the question, in terms of using the scenarios given (e.g. questions 2 and 4a). Quite impressive knowledge of safeguarding individuals with dementia was shown by candidates. Similar to other years some of the weaker responses were in regards to the legislation based question (question 5a).

Resources which might help address the examiner comments:

From the link below, you'll find 'The OCR guide to examinations' (along with many other skills guides) http://www.ocr.org.uk/i-want-to/skills-guides/

Command verbs definitions

http://www.ocr.org.uk/Images/273311-command-verbs-definitions.pdf

Type of abuse

Questions 1(a) and (b)

Answer all the questions.

- 1 Service providers should be aware of the different types of abuse and possible signs of abuse.
 - (a) Complete the table below by identifying **four** types of abuse and a different sign of abuse for each.

Sign of this abuse

Type of abuse	Sign of this abuse
One mark for identification of ty One mark for each sign of abuse Types of abuse: bullying discrimination emotional/psychological exploitation/mate crime institutional (e.g. sexual, physiand neglect)	pe of abuse. Four required. e given. Four required. Signs of abuse:
sexualfinancialphysical.	burns, bruising, cuts) malnourishment/eating disorders changes in behaviour dehydration dirty clothing disturbed sleep exclusion fear of certain people or situations inappropriate or sexualised behaviour lack of confidence low self esteem malnourishment/malnutrition
	 self-harm STIs/pregnancy unexplained injuries, e.g. bleeding/ physical injuries, e.g. broken bones, bruises, bite marks, burns unexplained loss of money or possessions.

(b) Identify three non-professionals who may suspect or be told about abuse.

1... One mark for each non –professional identified. Three required:

peers/friends
parent/guardian
family
siblings: brother/sister
members of the public, e.g. neighbours
Individuals e.g.:

mother
father
uncle
aunt
work colleague.

Question 1(a):

Wording for examples does not have to be exactly the same as in indicative content. Examples may be interchangeable.

Annotation:

The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded.

Do not credit repeats – the question asks for **different** types and signs of abuse.

The sign of abuse given by candidates must match to the type of abuse.

Accept other appropriate examples.

Question 1(b):

Do not accept repeated answers.

Annotation:

The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded.

Examiner comments

Question 1(a) – This was well answered with the vast majority of candidates gaining full marks. Candidates who lost marks tended to respond with other types or other definitions of abuse in the 'signs' column.

Question 1(b) – The most common correct answers given were family and siblings. A few candidates incorrectly stated teachers (or other professionals).

Question 1(c)

looked after difficient.	
 Supporting positive risk-taking Promoting choice. 	
Supporting positive risk-taking:	
• Empowering individuals to take responsibility for their own choices and so become less dependent on others.	
Creating a safe environment where individuals can take risks and learn from	
mistakes. Looked after children can learn to explore and take risks that will enable them to	
develop life skills and make suitable judgments about choices. Their confidence in	
 being able to judge what behaviours and choices they can make should increase as will their resilience. 	
Promoting choice:Allows individuals to decide on options and weigh up advantages and	
disadvantages and so be in control of own life.	
 Develops problem solving skills and allows them to make positive choices; Looked after children may have had limited choices in the past/have been 	22.00.00
disempowered and so this will help engage them and allow them to explore new	
 activities, foods, and educational environments. The children should be more confident when being offered choices and knowing 	
how to make decisions increasing their resilience to changes and being able to	
adapt to new environments.	
Accept other suitable examples.	
	[8]

Analyse how each of the following can help to develop the confidence and resilience of

Content

This is a levels of response question – marks are awarded on the quality of the response given. Focus is on analysis.

Annotation:

The number of ticks will not necessarily correspond to the marks awarded.

Level 3 - checklist

- · Detailed analysis
- · Confidence/resilience addressed
- Clear and explicit understanding of the link to looked after children
- · Positive risk taking and promoting choice addressed
- · Well-developed line of reasoning
- Logically structured
- QWC high

Level 2 - checklist

- Sound analysis
- Link to confidence and resilience may be implicit.
- Positive risk taking and promoting choice addressed.
- A line of reasoning in the most part relevant to looked after children
- QWC mid

Level 1 - checklist

- Limited analysis
- Basic information presented in an unstructured way
- QWC low

Levels of response Level 3: 7–8 marks

Answers provide detailed analysis of how both supporting positive risk taking and promoting choice can help develop the confidence/resilience of looked after children. Both positive risk taking and promoting choice must be addressed. Link to confidence and resilience will be explicit as will link to looked after children. Answers will be factually accurate, using appropriate terminology. There will be few errors of grammar,

Level 2: 4-6 marks

punctuation and spelling.

There will be sound analysis of how supporting positive risk taking and promoting choice can help develop the confidence and resilience of looked after children. Answers will be factually accurate. There may be some errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling. Sub max 4 if only positive risk taking or promoting choice.

Level 1: 1-3 marks

There will be an attempt at an analysis of how supporting positive risk taking and promoting choice can help develop the confidence and resilience of looked after children. List like answers should be placed in this band. Answers may be muddled and lack technical detail. Errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling may be noticeable and intrusive.

0 marks – response not worthy of credit.

Examiner comments

Question 1(c) – There was an improvement in candidates' ability to analyse compared to previous sessions, in particular in regard to positive risk taking. Many candidates did give clear examples to illustrate their point (although this was not required). The main limiter of marks was in regard to not linking their answer to looked after children.

Question 1(c) – Low level answer

(c)*	Analyse how each of the following can help to develop the confidence and resilience of looked after children:
	 Supporting positive risk-taking Promoting choice.
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	Promoting Choice Can help to delebip the Condidence and resilience of boxed
	ajtles children because the have food
	in brut and adult or adult and
	are loss likely to report colise.
	Promoting Choice help because
	or thinks are important admid also
	they can not feel force to do something that they don't want to.
	Supporting Positive risk-tecking can
	help them to feel more Sige and
	not in dangerous stutions.
	[8]

Commentary

This answer does attempt an analysis but initially in reference to reporting abuse with no direct link between this issue and positive risk taking and/or promoting choice. The candidate does provide some creditworthy material in regards to how promoting choice can help children think their decisions are important and so be less likely to comply to instructions that may cause abuse (this link though is not analysed and is implicit). To improve the response (and gain the medium level band) the candidate could have expanded on how promoting choice helps empower looked after children and be in control of their life. Alternatively, in terms of positive risk taking the response could have analysed how risk taking may help looked after children to become less dependent on others.

Question 1(c) – Medium level answer

(c)*	Analyse how each of the following can help to develop the confidence and resilience of looked after children:
	 Supporting positive risk-taking Promoting choice.
	Build their confidence which empowers them to
	chose what they wish to do letting them
	learn from the risks and choices that they make teaching them to Independently take
	control and learn right from wrong in multiple actions. This builds their resistence and
	confidence as it teaches them the right
	actions and what is acceptable and unacceptable by learning from their actions and
	learning from mistakes
	[8]

Commentary

This candidate does provide a sound analysis how promoting choice can help children to be independent and learn from them. It also does link to resilience and how children may learn from their actions. The answer is factually correct and is beyond an attempt at analysis. In order to improve this response, the candidate could have made the link to positive risk taking explicit and/or how this would apply to looked after children. For example, how positive risk taking may help them develop life skills and become less dependent on others.

Question 1(c) – High level answer

Analyse how each of the following can help to develop the confidence and resilience of looked after children: Supporting positive risk-taking Promoting choice. be way supported of postive risk-casing will help develop the considerace and residence of board after Chicken is by Sholming Chicken that they your someone ennerge of lodge arrel decision for them. Therefore Supporting Exicing Will help to develop Confidence and resilience Choice will help clud op the Mest rece of poked Ofter Children Sign Choice is EVEL CONCERT hars one topud orcer chieren Will be abuses such lay Arex un nouse proceed correctly Managing Choice Will book Collect on proced because they will FER! Vice they have control of their decition [8]

Commentary

This answer includes a detailed analysis and throughout the candidate links to children with correct use of terminology, e.g. "... increase their self-esteem." and how looked after children may become more resilient. The candidate addresses both confidence and resilience and uses appropriate terminology e.g. consent. The answer does link to looked after children in regards to promoting choice and positive risk taking although the latter is less detailed, with an improved analytical link to positive risk taking and looked after children the response could have gained full marks

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Question 2

- 2* Describe why there is an increased likelihood of abuse for the following individuals:
 - An individual with dementia being cared for in their own home
 - An individual with communication difficulties.

Increased likelihood of abuse for:

A person with dementia being cared for in their own home

- · May be reliant on visits/support and so could face neglect
- Easy to take advantage of will not know how to respond
- Lack of proper supervision and a range of carers so may be less well trained
- Limited funding/time to promote good care (estimated visit time lengths used)
- · Poor memory .may not recall what has happened.

A person with communication difficulties

- May depend on others
- Cannot raise concerns/require others to voice their concerns and to communicate with others
- · Lack of adapted communication equipment/staff
- Difficulties in expressing choices/views, may not be easily understood, disempowered.

Accept other appropriate descriptions.
[10]

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Content

This is a level of response question – marks are awarded on the quality of the response given. The focus of the question is description.

Annotation:

The number of ticks will not necessarily correspond to the marks awarded.

Level 3 - checklist

- clear understanding of the increased likelihood of abuse will be evident
- explicitly linked to both individuals dementia and communication difficulties
- well-developed line of reasoning
- logically structured
- QWC high

Level 2 - checklist

- sound description
- reference to dementia/communication difficulties may be implicit
- balance may be one-sided with only dementia or communication difficulties done well
- QWC mid

Level 1 - checklist

- limited description
- · dementia or communication difficulties
- lacking an understanding of the situation
- · basic information presented in an unstructured way
- QWC low

Levels of response

Level 3: 8 - 10 marks

There will be a detailed description of why there is an increased likelihood of abuse for individuals with dementia and communication difficulties. Links to individuals with dementia and communication difficulties will be explicit. Answers will be factually accurate, using appropriate terminology. There will be few errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling.

Level 2: 5 - 7 marks

Answer provides a sound description of why there is an increased likelihood of abuse for individuals with dementia and communication difficulties. Answers will be factually correct. There may be some errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling.

sub-max 5: if response relates only to dementia or communication difficulties.

Level 1: 1 - 4 marks

Answer provides a limited or basic description of why there is an increased likelihood of abuse for individuals with dementia and communication difficulties. Answers may be muddled, demonstrating little knowledge or understanding. Errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling may be noticeable and intrusive.

0 marks – response not worthy of credit.

Examiner comments

There were some excellent responses provided for dementia, showing a comprehensive understanding of how it may increase the likelihood of an individual being at risk of abuse. The responses provided for communication difficulties were often more limited and so many candidates could not gain access to the highest-level mark band.

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Question 3(a)

3 Read the following scenario.

John is an adult with learning disabilities and physical disabilities. His social worker is visiting him in his new care home.

Looking through the care log book, the social worker notices that there is no record of John having been given the medication he requires.

When the social worker speaks to John in his own room, he says his head hurts and that he would like some more medication. John says he was told by one of the carers that someone else in the home needed it more than him. John becomes aggressive and starts throwing objects at the social worker.

(a) How should the social worker respond to this situation?

Choose the four most appropriate actions from the list below.

Tick four only.

Response letter:	Possible actions	Tick (✓) four only
Α	Report the situation to a line manager.	√
В	Ask John's friends if they know if he has had his medication.	
С	Leave the room.	√
D	Provide John with his own supply of medication and advise him to keep it hidden.	
E	Call other professionals to stop John hurting himself or others.	√
F	Note down in the care log book that John may need to be checked on more often.	
G	As soon as possible support and comfort John informing him that you will respond to his concerns.	√
Н	Contact the local newspaper to inform them about John's lack of care.	

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Annotation:

The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded.

No other answers are acceptable.

If more than four boxes are ticked:

Mark the first four only.

Crossed Out Responses:

Where a candidate has crossed out a response and provided a clear alternative then the crossed out response is not marked. Where no alternative response has been provided, examiners may give candidates the benefit of the doubt and mark the crossed out response where legible.

Examiner comments

This was well answered with many candidates identifying at least 3 of the 4 correct responses. A few incorrectly identified option H as an appropriate action.

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Questions 3(b) and (c)

(b) Give a reason to justify why you chose **two** of the actions in question **3(a)**.

Response letter	One mark for each correct answer, two required.	
	A - Report the situation to a line manager:	
Reason	• good practice – so they are aware	
	to ensure appropriate action is taken	
	ensures correct procedures are followed	
	allows further investigation.	
Response letter		
5	C - Leave the room.	
Reason	personal safety	
	• to diffuse the situation	
	• to fetch help.	
		[2]
	E - Call other professionals to stop John hurting himself or	
	others.	
	 specialist staff trained to deal with this type of situation 	
	 to ensure correct/appropriate restraint procedures are used if 	
	necessary	
	 to gain control of the situation 	
	 to obtain appropriate help and support for John. 	
	G - As soon as possible support and comfort John informing	

G - As soon as possible support and comfort John informing him that you will respond to his concerns.

- to meet John's care needs
- to provide emotional support for John
- provides him with reassurance
- helps make him feel valued.

Accept other appropriate and valid justifications.

(c) Explain why adults with learning disabilities and physical disabilities are at risk of abuse.

	Three marks for an explanation.	
	Adults with physical/learning disabilities at risk of abuse due to:	
•	lack of suitable, trained, staff	••••
	 lack of resources/funding/time 	
•	lack of mobility/ability to raise concerns	
	dependency on others, may feel powerless	
•	may feel a burden so may refrain from complaining or raising concerns	
	less likely to report abuse/speak up/raise concerns	
	may be easily manipulated	
	taking advantage of lack of mental capacity	[2]

Question 3(b):

Annotation:

The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded.

Wording does not have to be exactly the same as in the indicative content.

Error carried forward from 3(a) – Credit valid justification points even if 3(a) is incorrect.

Question 3(c):

Wording does not have to be exactly the same as in the indicative content.

Three marks:

A detailed explanation that shows understanding of how the individual circumstances may make abuse more likely. Link to physical/learning disabilities is explicit and shows understanding.

Two marks:

A sound explanation that clearly shows understanding. May provide an example to illustrate point(s) made. Link to physical/learning disabilities may be implicit.

One mark:

A basic explanation that lacks clarity/relevance to individuals with physical/learning disabilities.

Annotation:

The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded.

Examiner comments

Question 3(b) – Most candidates gave a clear reason for their chosen action, with a few able to gain marks even when an incorrect option for part (a) had been given.

Question 3(c) – The most common responses explained how adults with learning disabilities and physical disabilities may depend on others, with many explaining this fully in the context of either physical disabilities or learning disabilities.

Question 3(c) – Low level answer

(c)	Explain why adults with learning disabilities and physical disabilities are at risk of abuse.
	One reason as to why they are at only
	at abuse is that they may not bee able to identify the fact that the
	abuse is occurry which wears that
	they wont report it and the about

Commentary

The candidate's response lacks any detail in regards to adults with learning and/or physical disabilities, instead gives a generic response making an implicit link to the adults not being able to identify the fact abuse is occurring. To improve the response the candidate needed to show understanding in regards to the service user groups identified in the question, this could be linking the groups(s) being dependent on others and/or being easily manipulated. This could have been linked to the candidate's initial point in relation to not being able to identify abuse and/or report it.

Question 3(c) – High level answer

(c)	Explain why adults with learning disabilities and physical disabilities are at risk of abuse.
	Adults with learning disabilities may not
	under stand that they are being abused or are too.
	and depending themselves. Adults with physical
	making them vunerable to abuse [3]

Commentary

The answer provides a sound explanation of why adults with learning disabilities are at risk of abuse, developing their initial point. Whilst not the only way to gain full marks, the candidate could have expanded their explanation in regards to adults with physical disabilities beyond the link of not being able to "depend on themselves".

Question 4

Staff recruitment, training policies and using the disclosure and barring service can help social care providers safeguard adults from abuse.
Identify two other policies and describe a different way it can help protect adults from abuse.
Policy 1:[1]
How this policy can help protect adults from abuse:
[3]
Policy 2: [1]
How this policy can help protect adults from abuse:

One mark for identification of a policy. Two required.

Polices:

- Accessible complaints procedure
- Confidentiality policy
- Designated child protection officer
- · Designated protection officer
- Multi agency approach
- Risk assessments
- Safeguarding policy.

Points to make regarding how policies can help to protect adults from abuse:

- offers guidelines for staff/kept up-to-date
- system of redress for both providers and service users
- information kept secure to help safeguard individuals/follow legislative guidelines
- lead/named person suitably qualified know what to do and can be consulted

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- allows overview by range of professionals more likely to spot abuse
- reviewed and managed risks
- raises awareness/ability to raise concerns
- support given to staff and service users may be in the form of training
- formal supervision provided by key contacts/workers.

Accept other appropriate description

Wording does not have to be exactly the same as in the indicative content.

Three marks:

A detailed description that shows understanding. Link to protection from abuse is explicit.

Two marks:

A sound description that clearly shows understanding. May provide an example to illustrate point(s) made. Link to protection from abuse may be implicit.

One mark:

A basic description that lacks clarity/relevance to protection from abuse.

Annotation:

The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded

Do not credit repetition; the question asks for different answers.

Do not credit staff recruitment, training and disclosure.

Examiner comments

This question was not attempted by a noticeable number of candidates, with no policy given at all. The more able candidates did read the stem of the question and so responded with a policy not mentioned in the stem. As has been the case in other years, a few candidates incorrectly responded with laws instead of policies, e.g. the *Children Act*.

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Question 5(a)

5	(a)*	Outline key features of the Data Protection Act that aim to protect information stored about individuals in health and social care settings.	
		The features of the Data Protection Act are in bold with evidence of how the feature aims to protect information stored on individuals given underneath.	
		Processed fairly and lawfully – this protects as only information that is provided by the service user has to have their permission for it to be used. Personal information can only be used on a 'need to know basis'.	
		Used only for the purposes for which it was intended – this protects as the information cannot be used for other purposes thus maintaining the confidentiality of the personal information.	
		Adequate and relevant but not excessive – this protects as unnecessary private and personal information will not be provided and therefore this will protect the service user.	
		Accurate and kept up to date – this protects due to any inaccurate information will need to be destroyed and any past personal data, e.g. address can be destroyed and no longer available.	
		Kept for no longer than is necessary – this protects as once this information is no longer needed it can be permanently destroyed, meaning that no one can access this.	
		Processed in line with the rights of the individual – this protects as the service user will be made aware of the information that is held about them; they would have the right to challenge this if they considered the information breached their rights.	
		Secured – this protects as non-authorised personnel will not have access to this data.	
		Not transferred to other countries – this protects as their data cannot be transferred outside the EU without their permission.	

Content

This is a levels of response question – marks are awarded on the quality of the response given.

No mark for naming legislation

Annotation:

The number of ticks will not necessarily correspond to the marks awarded.

Level 3 - checklist

- · Detailed outline of the DPA
- Must link to how it protects information stored on
- individuals
- Well-developed line of reasoning
- Logically structured
- QWC high

Level 2 - checklist

- · Clear outline of the DPA
- Some reference on how it protects information stored on individuals.
- A line of reasoning in the most part relevant
- QWC mid

Level 1 - checklist

- · Basic information presented in an unstructured way
- QWC low

Levels of response

Level 3: 7 - 8 marks

There will be a detailed outline of the main features of the Data Protection Act. Reference must be made on how it protects information stored on individuals. Answers will be factually accurate, using appropriate terminology. There will be few errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling.

Level 2: 4 - 6 marks

There will a clear outline of the main features of the Data Protection Act. Some reference is made on how it protects information stored on individuals. Answers will be factually accurate. There may be some errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling.

Sub max 4 for only one feature done well.

Level 1: 1 - 3 marks

There will be an attempt at an outline of the main features of the Data Protection Act. List like answers should be placed in this band. Answers are likely to be muddled and lack technical detail. Errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling may be noticeable and intrusive.

0 marks – response not worthy of credit.

Do not credit ways to keep information confidential e.g. locked cabinets.

Examiner comments

Many level 1 responses were given by candidates here, with 'need to know basis' being the most common aspect of the Data protection Act to be stated. Some candidates clearly knew the law and used key terminology correctly. Weaker responses tended to describe ways to keep information safe and to describe day-to-day practices rather than to describe aspects of the law itself.

Question 5(a) – Low level answer

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Commentary

The question requires candidates to provide a response outlining key features of the Data Protection Act this response briefly outlines the need to know aspect (under the feature of information being processed fairly and lawfully). The examples given are about ways that information may be stored to protect a data breach but by themselves are not creditworthy as examples are not required or asked for in the question. In order to gain access to the medium level mark band the candidate could have either clearly outlined one other feature, e.g. information not being transferred outside the EU without permission or one feature done well alongside other features.

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Question 5(a) – Medium level answer

5 (a)* Outline key features of the Data Protection Act that aim to protect information stored about individuals in health and social care settings.

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Commentary

The command verb of the question requires an outline of features of the Data Protection Act. The candidate does provide evidence of knowledge of two features, i.e. information being secured and being on a need to know basis, with the latter being more clearly linked to the question (i.e. Data Protection Act). In order to gain access to the higher marks the candidate could have used appropriate terminology from the Act itself and showing understanding of each chosen feature (at least two). These features could be: not keeping information for longer than is necessary, or information not being transferred outside the EU without permission.

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Question 5(a) – High level answer

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Commentary

This candidate has provided a detailed analysis of at least two features of the Data Protection Act and the response has a well-developed line of reasoning and is logically structured. The candidate does also link to information stored on individuals in health and social care settings particularly well in regards to keeping information up to date. This detailed response could be improved by less focus on ways information is kept safe and more on detail of the features of the Act.

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Question 5(b)

(b)*	If personal information is not protected according to the Data Protection Act, there could be an invasion of privacy.	
	Discuss how this invasion of privacy may make abuse of adults more likely.	
	Invasion of privacy when personal information is not protected: May make users targets of abuse/humiliation if personal details exposed or treatments not conducted in private Data leaked out may make the person likely to suffer harm/threats/financial loss Access to personal information could be blackmailed/distressed Loss of sense of security and so not raise concerns/complain May not tell truth about themselves as worry about information being accessed by others.	
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Content

This is a level of response question - marks are awarded on the quality of the response given. The focus of the question is discussion.

Annotation:

The number of ticks will not necessarily correspond to the marks awarded.

Level 3 - checklist

- clear understanding of the link to adults will be evident
- · well-developed line of reasoning
- logically structured
- QWC high

Level 2 - checklist

- sound discussion
- a line of reasoning in the most part relevant
- · OWC mid

Level 1 - checklist

- descriptive (upper end) list like (low end)
- lacking an understanding of the situation
- · basic information presented in an unstructured way
- · QWC low

Levels of response

Level 3: 5 - 6 marks

Answer provides a detailed discussion about how invasion of privacy may make abuse of adults more likely. Links to adults will be explicit. Answers will be factually accurate, using appropriate terminology. There will be few errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling.

Level 2: 3 - 4 marks

Answer provides a sound discussion about how invasion of privacy may make abuse of adults more likely. Answers will be factually accurate. There may be some errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling.

Level 1: 1 - 2 marks

Answer provides a limited or basic discussion about how invasion of privacy may make abuse of adults more likely. List like answers should be placed in this band. Answers are likely to be muddled and lack technical detail. Errors of grammar, punctuation and spelling will be noticeable and intrusive.

0 marks – response not worthy of credit.

Examiner comments

Some good examples about invasion of privacy were given by candidates, although many gave no indicator of what personal information they were discussing, or discussed privacy in terms of the use of screens in hospitals when undressing, rather than actual personal information.

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