



Tuesday 17 June 2014 – Afternoon

GCSE HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

A912/01 Understanding Personal Development and Relationships

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

OCR supplied materials:

None

Other materials required:

None

Duration: 1 hour



Candidate forename		Candidate surname	
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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes above. Please write clearly and in capital letters.
- Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If additional space is required, you should use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- Quality of Written Communication will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk [*].
- The total number of marks for this paper is **60**.
- This document consists of **12** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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1 (a) Below is a list of some examples of the factors that can affect human growth and development.

- housing conditions
- educational experiences
- income
- genetic inheritance

Complete the table below.

Identify the example that matches the factor.

Factor	Example of the factor
Physical	
Social and emotional	
Economic	
Environmental	

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(b)* Many people have a low income. Analyse the impact that having a low income could have on a person's development.

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(c) (i) What is meant by the term 'material possessions'?

..... [1]

(ii) Give one example of a material possession.

..... [1]

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- 2 (a) Simone, 15, has a positive self-concept. Explain how a positive self-concept could affect her emotional and social development.

Emotional development

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Social development

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[4]

- (b) Complete the following chart on relationships.

Type of relationship	Feature	Example
Family		Mother and daughter
.....	Love	Civil partnership
Friendship		Isabel and Fiona are best friends
Working	Power	

[4]

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- 3 (a) Richard, 24, has recently become unemployed. He can no longer afford to pay his rent, so he has moved back to his parents' house. His family and friends have given him a lot of support. Two months ago his girlfriend gave birth to their son.

Identify **three** factors from the information above and explain how each factor could have influenced Richard's development.

Factor

Explanation

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Factor

Explanation

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Factor

Explanation

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[9]

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(b) Richard has become an alcoholic.

Identify **one** professional and **one** voluntary organisation that could support Richard. Outline a different type of support that each could give.

Professional

Support

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Voluntary organisation

Support

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(c) Complete the following chart on life stages.

Life stage	Age range
Adulthood	
	0–3 years

[2]

- [1]

- [10]

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(c) Identify **two** physical and **two** intellectual developments associated with adolescence.

Physical developments	Intellectual developments
1	1
2	2

[4]

END OF QUESTION PAPER

ADDITIONAL ANSWER SPACE

If additional answer space is required, you should use the following lined page(s). The question number(s) must be clearly shown in the margins.

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