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TIME

2 hours.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this question paper.
Answer **all three** questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 100.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in questions 2 and 3.

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1 Despite the government's policy of care in the community, many older people live in residential care homes because they need high levels of support.

(a) Use the table below to identify one example of each type of need for older people and to explain how it could be met in a residential care home.

Example of need	Explanation of how it can be met in a residential care home for older people
Physical [1]	 [2]
Intellectual [1]	 [2]
Emotional [1]	 [2]
Social [1]	 [2]

[12]

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(b) A range of socio-economic factors affects the health and well-being of individuals. Explain **one** way each of the following can affect an individual's **physical** health and well-being.

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Gender

[2]

Income

[2]

Housing

[2]

Ethnicity

[2]

(c) Discuss how the ageing process can affect the physical, social and psychological health and well-being of an individual.

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Physical health and well-being

[3]

Social health and well-being

[3]

Psychological health and well-being

[3]

2 (a) (i) Explain two ways the World Health Organization (WHO) contributes to health and well-being.

1. _____

_____ [2]

2. _____

_____ [2]

(ii) Explain two **different** ways the Department of Health and Social Services and Public Safety for Northern Ireland (DHSSPSNI) contributes to health and well-being.

1. _____

_____ [2]

2. _____

_____ [2]

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(d) Another approach that could be used is the empowerment approach. Evaluate this approach to health promotion using the following headings.

Strengths

1. _____

_____ [2]

2. _____

_____ [2]

Weaknesses

1. _____

_____ [2]

2. _____

_____ [2]

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3 Following a Mencap report on the deaths of six people with learning disabilities who died in National Health Service (NHS) care, an official enquiry concluded “patients with learning disabilities face discrimination, abuse and neglect in the NHS.” Sir Jonathon Michael called for “systems ensuring the quality of health services for people with learning disabilities to be strengthened at all levels nationwide.”

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(a) Define the following terms:

Discrimination

[2]

Health

[2]

(b) Discrimination in the NHS can have a major impact on the health and well-being of patients, resulting in deteriorating health and even death. Explain two **other** ways discrimination in the NHS might impact on the health and well-being of clients.

1. _____

[2]

2. _____

[2]

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