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Question 1(a)

Assessment focus		Marks available
Positive factors affecting health and wellbeing	Award one mark for identifying one social factor that has a positive effect on Damien's health and wellbeing and one mark for a linked expansion up to a maximum of four marks. • He socialises regularly (1) feel good factor (1) • He spends time with other people (1) so he can interact and make friends (1) • He has supportive relationships (1) he may have a sense of belonging (1) • He is part of a community (1) social integration (1) Accept any other appropriate response.	2 × 2 = 4
	Marking guidance	
	Only social factors affecting health and wellbeing.	
	No credit for general descriptions of factors that are not linked to the information provided.	

Question 1(b)

Assessment focus		Marks available
Positive factors affecting health and wellbeing	Award one mark for identifying one environmental factor that has a positive effect on Damien's health and wellbeing and one mark for a linked expansion up to a maximum of two marks. • The location of his apartment is close to the park (1) he can exercise (1) • He has access to outside space (1) he can meet friends (1) • His accommodation may be in a good condition (1) prevent illness as he is warm and dry (1) • He has access to facilities/services (1) to support/leisure activities (1) Accept any other appropriate response.	1 × 2 = 2
	Marking guidance	
	Only environmental factors affecting health and wellbeing.	
	No credit for general descriptions of factors that are not linked to the information provided.	

Question 1(c)

Assessment focus		Marks available
Negative factors affecting health and wellbeing	Award one mark for identifying one physical factor that has a negative effect on Damien's health and wellbeing and one mark for a linked expansion up to a maximum of four marks. In each case, award one mark for identifying a relevant factor from the information given and the second mark for describing how it could be having a negative effect on health and wellbeing, e.g.: • Damien has chronic ill health (1) this may restrict his lifestyle choices (1) • Damien has an unbalanced/poor quality diet (1) he could suffer with malnutrition (1) • Damien may not exercise enough (1) this may impact on his weight (1) Accept any other appropriate response.	2 × 2 = 4
	Marking guidance	
	Only physical factors affecting health and wellbeing.	
	No credit for general descriptions of factors that are not linked to the provided information.	

Question 1(d)

Assessment focus					
Negative factors affecting health and wellbeing	Award one mark for identifying one economic factor that has a negative effect on Damien's health and wellbeing and one mark for a linked expansion up to a maximum of two marks. In each case, award one mark for identifying a relevant factor from the information given and the second mark for describing how it could be having a negative effect on health and wellbeing, e.g.:				
	Lack of financial resources	He needs to budget			
	Not enough money	He needs to prioritise			
	Limited disposable It will restrict his social life				
	Dictate his lifestyle choices				
	Accept any other approp				
	Marking guidance Only economic factors affecting health and wellbeing.				
	No credit for general desprovided information.				

Question 2(a)

Assessment focus		Marks available
Factors affecting health and wellbeing	Award one mark for identifying one effect of less contact with his daughter on his emotional wellbeing and one mark for a linked expansion up to a maximum of four marks.	
	 Damien may suffer from low self-esteem (1) The bond that he has with his daughter may reduce (1) Could cause anxiety/worry/upset (1) She may become estranged from him (1) Stress (1) because he misses her (1) Depression/sadness/unhappiness (1) sense of loss (1) Damien may be jealous/angry (1) He may feel excluded (1) 	
	Accept any other appropriate responses.	

Question 2(b)

Assessment focus		Marks available
Factors affecting health and	Award one mark for identifying one impact of divorce on Damien's social wellbeing and one mark for a linked expansion up to a maximum of two marks.	1 × 2 = 2
wellbeing	 Damien may lose friends (1) as they choose sides (1) Damien may be socially excluded (1) as they may blame him (1) Damien may socially isolate himself (1) due to embarrassment/lack of sense of belonging/guilt (1) Damien may go out more/less (1) because he is single/less money (1) Accept any other appropriate responses.	

Question 3

Answers should be related to the following indicative content.

Lifestyle

Current physical and future risks to health

- Excessive alcohol intake
 - o Liver disease, obesity, dementia, cardiovascular disease, cancer
- Takeaways
 - o Malnutrition, obesity, cardio vascular disease, cancer

Blood pressure

Current physical and future risks to health

- High blood pressure
 - o Stroke, heart attack, dementia, circulation problems

Peak flow

Current physical and future risks to health

- Breathing difficulties
 - o Susceptibility to respiratory diseases
- Unable to exercise
 - o Reduced mobility, increased weight

Assessment focus	Band 0	Band 1	Band 2	Band 3	Band 4
Interpreting	0	1-3	4-6	7-9	10-12
physiological and lifestyle data	No rewardable material.	Limited reference is made to the data.	There is some interpretation of the data.	Data is mainly interpreted accurately.	Data is interpreted accurately.
		Limited reference is made to current health.	Aspects of current state of health are identified.	There is some explanation of current state of health.	There is a clear and detailed explanation of current state of health.
		Limited reference is made to potential health risks.	Potential health risks are identified.	There is some explanation of potential health risks.	There is a clear and detailed explanation of potential health risks.

Question 4

Actions

- Increase exercise
- Learn how to cook/stop buying takeaways
- Change his diet
- Reduce his alcohol intake
- Plan meals for the week

Short-term target – less than six months Long-term target – more than six months

Sources of support

- Family
- Friends
- GP and other relevant health professionals
- Support group
- Counsellor
- Work colleagues
- Online apps

Assessme nt focus	Band 0	Band 1	Band 2	Band 3	Band 4
Designing a	0	1-3	4-6	7-9	10-12
health and wellbeing improveme nt plan	No rewardab le material.	Basic recommendati ons are made that have limited relevance to the scenario, with vague and generalised targets.	Recommend ed actions are identified, with specific targets set	Recommend ed actions are described, with specific short- and long-term targets set.	Recommend ed actions are described clearly, with specific and realistic short- and long-term targets set.
		 Limited informati on about sources of support is provided. 	Sources of support are identified with some links to the targets.	An explanation is given for how the suggested support will help achieve the targets.	 A convincing explanation is given for how the suggested support will help achieve the targets.

Question 5

Assessment focus	Band 0	Band 1	Band 2	Band 3	Band 4
Rationale for	0	1-2	3-5	6-8	9-10
health and wellbeing improvement plan	No rewardable material.	There are few relevant comments to link the plan to needs, wishes and circumstances.	There is a straightforward explanation for how the plan addresses needs, wishes and circumstances.	There is a clear explanation for how the plan addresses needs, wishes and circumstances.	There is a clear and comprehensive explanation for how the plan addresses needs, wishes and circumstances.

Question 6

- Potential obstacles:
 - emotional/psychological lack of motivation, low self-esteem, acceptance of current state
 - time constraints work and family commitments
 - availability of resources financial, physical, e.g. equipment
 - unachievable targets unachievable for the individual or unrealistic timescale
 - lack of support, e.g. from family and friends
 - other factors specific to individual ability/disability, addiction
 - barriers to accessing identified services.

Assessment focus	Band 0	Band 1	Band 2	Band 3	Band 4
Obstacles	0	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8
and how to overcome them	No rewardable material.	Few relevant obstacles are identified without suggestions for how these can be minimised.	Obstacles are identified with basic suggestions for how these can be minimised.	Obstacles are described with suggestions for how these can be minimised.	Obstacles are described clearly with realistic suggestions for how these can be minimised.