

Assignment title	Social Influences on Health and Wellbeing		
Assessor			

Date issued			
Interim Deadline		Final deadline	
Duration (approx)	4 hours		

Qualification suite covered	BTEC First Award in Health and Social Care		
Units covered	Unit 4: Social Influences on Health and Wellbeing		
Learning aims covered	Learning aim A: Explore the effects of socialisation on the health and wellbeing of individuals		

Scenario	<p>You are a volunteer at your local Health Centre and the team of health visitors who are attached to the centre have asked you to produce some information for parents. This information is intended to raise the awareness of parents about the influences of various factors on the health and wellbeing of their children as they grow up.</p> <p>You have decided to produce a leaflet which can be placed in the waiting room. Parents will be able to read while they are waiting to see the health visitor.</p>		
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Task 1	<p>How will I grow up?</p> <p>You must produce a leaflet which is addressed to parents of young children which:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> describes how primary and secondary socialisation may affect the health and wellbeing of individuals in general (positive and negative) explains how children are influenced by the different agents of socialisation, primary and secondary explains the effects of primary and secondary socialisation in detail on the health and wellbeing on two chosen individuals, (positive and negative) evaluates the impact on your two chosen individuals, plus one more, of primary and secondary socialisation (you must give reasons and a justification for these). <p>For b) you must give two examples taken from either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> case studies provided by your teacher celebrities people you know; if you choose this option, you must discuss this with your teacher, obtain written permission from the individuals and change all names to maintain confidentiality. <p>For c) you must add another example, making three in total.</p>		
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Evidence you must produce for this task	Leaflet
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Criteria covered by this task:

To achieve the criteria you must show that you are able to:	Unit	Criterion reference
Explain the influence of agents of primary and secondary socialisation	4	2A.P1
Explain the effects of primary and secondary socialisation on the health and wellbeing of individuals, with reference to relevant examples	4	2A.M1
Evaluate the impact of primary and secondary socialisation on the health and wellbeing of individuals, with reference to relevant examples	4	2A.D1

Sources of information	<p>Text Books Haworth H, Higgins H, Hoyle H, Lavers S and Lewis C, <i>BTEC Level 2 First Health and Social Care</i>, (Pearson 2010), ISBN 9781846906817</p> <p>Haworth E and Ashton A, <i>Edexcel GCSE Health and Social Care</i>, (Edexcel, 2009) ISBN 978184690373 1</p> <p>Websites www.communitycare.co.uk www.nursingtimes.net</p>
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If you have not achieved the Level 2 criteria, your work will be assessed to determine if the following Level 1 criteria have been met.

To achieve the criteria you must show that you are able to:	Unit	Criterion reference
Identify agents involved in the primary and secondary socialisation processes	4	1A.1
Outline the main effects of socialisation on the health and wellbeing of individuals	4	1A.2