

T Level Technical Qualification in Health (603/7066/X)

Paper A Elements 1–11

Paper number: **P002724**
Assessment date: **Thursday 12 June 2025**

Time allowed: **2 hours 30 minutes**
Time: **1:00pm – 3:30pm**

Student instructions

- Use black ink.
- Fill in the boxes at the bottom of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Read each question carefully.
- You **must** write your responses in the spaces provided. There may be more space than you need.
- You may do rough work in this answer book. Cross through any work you do not wish to be marked.
- If you use a supplementary answer booklet, you must add your student name, student number and provider number to the front cover of the booklet. Insert your supplementary answer booklet inside this question paper at the end of your exam.

Student information

- The marks available for each question are shown in brackets. This is to help you decide how long to spend on each question.
- The maximum mark for this paper is **116**.
- In questions **9, 15, 21** and **32**, you will be assessed on the quality of your written communication (QWC). Specifically, your ability to:
 - use good English
 - express and organise ideas clearly and logically
 - use appropriate technical terms.

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Section A: Working in the healthcare sector

This section is worth **30** marks, plus **3** marks for the quality of written communication (QWC). Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

1 The NHS is one type of organisation within the healthcare sector.
Name **one** other type of organisational setting that provides healthcare. **[1 mark]**

2 Give **two** characteristics of primary care. **[2 marks]**

3 Following an evidence-based trial, a GP has gained access to a new monitor that can be attached to the arm to continuously record a patient's blood sugar. This would allow patients with diabetes to continually monitor their blood sugar without the need for a finger-prick test.
Explain **one** way this evidence-based trial can benefit the healthcare sector. **[2 marks]**

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4 A local hospital has identified faults in the building of its physiotherapy unit. The physiotherapy unit is therefore moved to a nearby building due to the required building work in its original location. The nearby building is smaller than the original unit and does not have as many treatment rooms.

Explain **one** potential impact of the building work on the activities of the physiotherapy unit.

[2 marks]

5 (a) Define the term 'standard operating procedure'.

[1 mark]

(b) Ayesha is a nurse working in a local GP surgery. She has completed a vaccination procedure and now must follow the surgery's standard operating procedure for disposal of the used needle.

Explain **one** reason why it is important for Ayesha to follow this standard operating procedure.

[2 marks]



6 (a) Identify **one** reason why it is important to manage stock effectively. [1 mark]

(b) Nabil works in a GP surgery as a practice nurse. Part of his role involves him ordering and storing stock.

The surgery receives a delivery of vaccinations and Nabil stores them in the cupboard. After several hours, Nabil realises that the vaccines should be stored in the fridge between 2 °C and 6 °C.

Explain **one** impact of the vaccines being stored incorrectly. [2 marks]

7 Laura is a new manager of a care home that is facing a variety of issues; for example, a high level of patient falls, poor patient self-care and dependence on care home workers to aid eating and drinking.

Laura wants to set up a multidisciplinary team by reaching out to local services.

Explain **one** benefit of effective multidisciplinary team working in the care home. [2 marks]



Section B: Managing personal information and data in the healthcare sector

This section is worth **22** marks, plus **3** marks for the quality of written communication (QWC). Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

10 State the purpose of the Data Protection Act 2018. **[1 mark]**

11 State the full term for the abbreviation 'PRN'. **[1 mark]**

12 Sandra works as a nurse in a local GP surgery. Sandra has an appointment with a woman who has just discovered that she is pregnant. The woman has a history of mental health issues including postpartum depression.

Sandra refers the woman to the local midwifery service.

Explain **one** reason why it is appropriate for Sandra to share this information with the midwifery service. **[2 marks]**

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13 (a) Give **one** way that medical data might be presented.

[1 mark]

(b) Bruno works as the manager of a general ward at the local hospital. After talking to one of the patients on the ward, Bruno notices an error in their medical records, with the date of their surgery being documented incorrectly.

Bruno immediately updates the patient's medical records and amends the date to the correct date that their surgery took place.

Explain the importance of Bruno's actions.

[2 marks]

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Section C: Health and safety in the healthcare sector

This section is worth **22** marks, plus **3** marks for the quality of written communication (QWC). Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

16 Give **one** example of good personal hygiene practice. **[1 mark]**

17 Identify the health and safety regulation that requires employers to protect both employees and members of the public from radioactive substances. **[1 mark]**

18 Donna works as a nurse on the newborn baby unit. She has been asked to administer medication to a baby using a needle and syringe. The baby was 8 weeks premature and has an underdeveloped immune system.

Explain **one** possible technique that Donna might use to support the wellbeing of the baby. **[2 marks]**

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19 (a) Name the legislation that requires employers to assess and minimise the risk to employees' health involved in the manual handling, moving and positioning of a person.

[1 mark]

(b) Sergio is a nursing manager on a general hospital ward. He has ordered a new patient transfer board for the ward. Before it is used, he completes a risk assessment and ensures all staff have completed training.

Explain **one** way Sergio's actions protect staff on the ward.

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Section D: Person-centred care in the healthcare sector

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22 State **one** purpose of the Personalisation Agenda 2012. **[1 mark]**

23 State **one** role of the Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills (Ofsted). **[1 mark]**

24 State **one** purpose of the Information Commissioner's Office. **[1 mark]**

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25 A patient has been admitted to the mental health ward with an identified risk of self-harm.

Following a period of observation and treatment on the ward, it is agreed between the patient and the staff that the patient can spend 2 hours each day outside of the hospital grounds.

Explain **one** way this follows the concept of 'proportionality' from a safeguarding perspective.

[2 marks]

26 Henry has recently been diagnosed with a musculoskeletal condition. His condition restricts his ability to participate in activities, which is resulting in low mood. During a visit to his GP, they provide Henry with a range of services he may want to explore.

Explain **one** way the GP signposting to other services will support Henry.

[2 marks]

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27 (a) State the meaning of the term 'accountability'.

[1 mark]

(b) Sandro works in the safeguarding team at a local hospital. A nurse has asked him for support as they suspect a child in their care has been physically abused by their parents.

Explain **one** action Sandro should take that is underpinned by the Care Act 2014.

[2 marks]

28 State **one** risk to a person's health caused by smoking.

[1 mark]

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29 Amina is 35 years old and has been smoking for 15 years. She attends her GP surgery to discuss her wish to stop smoking.

Explain **one** way the GP could support Amina's health, comfort and wellbeing in relation to stopping smoking.

[2 marks]

30 A community nurse has been visiting an 80-year-old female who lives alone. During her final visit, the patient asks the nurse for their mobile phone number to be able to stay in contact after her discharge from the community team.

The nurse politely declines but gives her the number for the community team and advises to get in touch if she has any concerns about her health.

Explain the importance of the nurse setting boundaries with the patient.

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