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Human Biology

Unit **F222**: Growth, Development and Disease

Advanced Subsidiary GCE

Mark Scheme for June 2014

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	Correct answer
	Incorrect response
	Benefit of Doubt
	Not Benefit of Doubt
	Error Carried Forward
	Given mark
	Underline (for ambiguous/contradictory wording)
	Omission mark
	Ignore
	Correct response (for a QWC question)
	QWC* mark awarded
	Verbal Construction

* Quality of Written Communication

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(a)	<p>Mantoux test ; tuberculin OR TB antigen ; injected (under skin) / AW ; wait 48-72 hours ;</p> <p><i>Idea of measuring (extent of) inflammation (to determine whether a person has TB)</i></p> <p>;</p>	3	<p>IGNORE Heaf Test ACCEPT sputum test IGNORE X-rays</p> <p>ACCEPT a figure within this range or 2–3 days / 2 days / 3 days ACCEPT measuring size of any raised hardened area / swelling</p>
	(b)	(i)	2	<p>IGNORE Spreads quickly ACCEPT 'sudden outbreak' – look for a time reference DO NOT CREDIT in the context of a pandemic ('in the world')</p>
		(ii)	2	<p>IGNORE damp conditions</p> <p>IGNORE ref to lack of education IGNORE health care unqualified</p> <p>e.g. malnutrition OR HIV⁺</p> <p>CREDIT hygiene in the context of coughing / sneezing</p>
				<p>overcrowding / AW ;</p> <p>unaffordable / unavailable, diagnosis / vaccine / (named) drugs / healthcare ;</p> <p>weakened immune system / reason for weakened immune system ;</p> <p>more people with active TB in community ;</p> <p>poor hygiene qualified ;</p>

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	(c)	A E C B ;;	2	A first and B last ; E before C ;
	(d)	<p>weak(ened) /compromised, immune system ;</p> <p>T <u>helper</u> cells, destroyed / infected / numbers fall ;</p> <p>(T helper cells normally) activate, other immune cells / B cells ;</p> <p>fewer / no, antibodies produced ;</p>	3	<p>CREDIT reverse argument for immune response in HIV negative people.</p> <p>IGNORE no or lower, immune response</p> <p>ACCEPT T helper cells infected, attacked, or damaged</p> <p>ALLOW description e.g. No cytokines released to trigger clonal expansion</p> <p>REJECT if T cells producing antibodies</p>
	(e)	<p><u>herd immunity</u> not reached ;</p> <p><i>Idea that</i> someone with TB has a higher chance of meeting someone who could catch it ;</p>	2	<p>CREDIT reverse argument (ref to reaching herd immunity when most are vaccinated)</p> <p>ACCEPT idea that unable to prevent spread to susceptible (non-immunised) people</p>

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	(f)	<p><i>idea of high mutation rate in virus ;</i> <i>idea of change in antigens / different strains have different antigens ;</i> <i>idea of antibody specificity ;</i></p> <p>ref to antigenic concealment / described ;</p>				2	<p>REJECT disease ACCEPT antigenic drift e.g. antibodies only fit one type of antigen / antibodies for one strain of HIV will not bind to antigens of a new strain</p> <p>Look for the idea of hiding in (correctly) named) cells</p>																
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2	(a)	(i)	<i>idea of</i> (conserving plants) outside their (natural) environment / habitat ;	1	
		(ii)	<i>Barcode</i> Short piece / (base) sequence / length of, DNA ; from a specific, position / locus, on a chromosome ; <i>Use</i> <i>idea of</i> comparing / matching / similar to, DNA (sequence) / barcode of a known medicinal plant ; <i>idea that</i> similar sequence / barcode indicate related species / related species more likely to have similar medicinal compounds ;	3	IGNORE gene and chromosome throughout ACCEPT <i>rbcl</i> , <i>matK</i> , <i>trnH-psbA</i> (plastid genomic regions) ITS (nuclear gene region)
	(b)		reduces / slows, (chances of) blood clotting / thrombus formation ; reduces ability of <u>platelets</u> to, aggregate / stick together ;	2	ACCEPT prevents clotting / anticoagulant IGNORE thins blood / reduces blood viscosity
	(c)	(i)	complementary (therapy) ;	1	ACCEPT 'alternative medicine, holistic (treatment)

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	(ii)	<p><i>idea that</i> aromatherapy alone will not work (to treat cancer) ;</p> <p><i>idea that</i> might negatively affect prescribed treatment ;</p> <p><i>idea that</i> conventional treatment / medicine might be, refused / given up ;</p>	1	IGNORE gives false hope
	(d)	<p>carbon monoxide combines with haemoglobin ;</p> <p>nicotine reduces diameter of blood vessels (in placenta and fetus) ;</p> <p>reduces oxygen supply to, fetus / baby ;</p> <p>fetus's heart beats faster ;</p> <p>(increased chance of) premature birth ;</p> <p>(increased chance of) low birth weight ;</p> <p>baby's lungs less well developed ;</p> <p>higher risk of, still birth / death in early infancy ;</p>	5	<p>ACCEPT forms carboxyhaemoglobin</p> <p>ACCEPT vasoconstriction</p>
	(e)	<p>iron ;</p> <p>calcium ;</p> <p>the development of teeth / bones / membrane (formation) ATP / phospholipids /</p> <p>DNA ;</p>	3	<p>IGNORE phosphate, (as this is already provided in the bottom box)</p> <p>ACCEPT idea of strengthening bones</p>
	(f)	<p><i>idea of</i> quicker / cheaper / easier (to find , plants / active chemicals) ;</p> <p><i>idea of</i> known side effects / interaction ;</p> <p>idea that known dosage ;</p>	2	
Total			18	

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3	(a)	(i)	153 / 153.49 / 153.5 (%) ; ;	2	2 marks for correct answer If answer incorrect, award 1 mark for correct working i.e. $\frac{10.9 - 4.3}{?} \times 100$ Where (?) = 10.9 or 4.3
		(ii)	<i>Idea of</i> (people who have smoked, more cigarettes / for longer have) more exposure to (named) carcinogens (in tobacco smoke) ; (the more a person smokes) the more likely they are to have a mutation ; increase in (number of) mutations increases the risk of cancer ; lung cancer takes a long time to develop ;	3	IGNORE 'chronic' disease without qualification

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	(iii)	<p><i>supports</i></p> <p>In the less than 20 years of smoking group, there is a higher (relative) risk (of lung cancer) if 10-19 cigarettes are smoked than if 20+ are smoked ;</p> <p>In the 40-49 years of smoking group, the (relative) risk (of lung cancer) when smoking 20+ is less than the risk when smoking 10-19 cigarettes ;</p> <p><i>does not support</i></p> <p><i>Idea that 20 –29 / 30 – 39 / 50+ years of smoking, the higher the number of cigarettes smoked per day the higher the risk of lung cancer ;</i></p>	2	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Number of years smoking</th> <th colspan="3">Relative risk of lung cancer</th> </tr> <tr> <th><10 cigarette s smoked</th> <th>10-19 cigarette s smoked</th> <th>20+ cigarette s smoked</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><20</td> <td>0.9</td> <td>2.6</td> <td>1.3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>20-29</td> <td>1.4</td> <td>2.3</td> <td>2.8</td> </tr> <tr> <td>30-39</td> <td>4.3</td> <td>6.0</td> <td>10.9</td> </tr> <tr> <td>40-49</td> <td>5.7</td> <td>16.2</td> <td>12.6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>50+</td> <td>17.6</td> <td>22.6</td> <td>41.0</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Number of years smoking	Relative risk of lung cancer			<10 cigarette s smoked	10-19 cigarette s smoked	20+ cigarette s smoked	<20	0.9	2.6	1.3	20-29	1.4	2.3	2.8	30-39	4.3	6.0	10.9	40-49	5.7	16.2	12.6	50+	17.6	22.6	41.0
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4	(a)	to produce gametes ; ref haploid (chromosome number) ; maintain / restore, correct number of chromosomes ; <i>Idea of source of (genetic) <u>variation</u> ;</i>	3	ACCEPT sex cells / eggs and sperm 'to produce haploid gametes' = 2 marks ACCEPT 'one copy of each chromosome' ACCEPT restore diploid number / 46 / 23 pairs (at fertilisation) ACCEPT genetically different gametes
	(b)	anaphase ;	1	IGNORE ref to Anaphase 1 or 2
	(c)	(i)	1	ACCEPT any figure within the range 14.5 – 15years
		(ii)	2	CREDIT reverse argument for female without Turner's syndrome
		(iii)	1	ACCEPT stunted growth / small stature /small

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	(d)	<p><i>Ultrasound</i> <i>Idea of</i> to find / see the position of, fetus / placenta (during amniocentesis) ; OR to guide needle into amniotic sac / chorionic villus / placenta /AW ;</p> <p><i>amniocentesis</i> to obtain (fetal) <u>cells</u> (from amniotic fluid) ;</p> <p><i>karyotyping</i> to identify that there is, only one X / sex, chromosome / AW ;</p>	3	<p>ACCEPT to see where the baby or fetus or placenta is</p> <p>ACCEPT to know where to insert the needle</p> <p>ACCEPT to identify that X / Y / one sex, chromosome is missing</p> <p>ACCEPT to see the genotype is XO</p> <p>REJECT chromatid</p>
Total			11	

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5	(a)	<p><i>Erythrocyte</i> disc-shaped / AW ; nucleus absent ; no organelles / named organelles; has haemoglobin ; no projections from surface ;</p>	1	<p>CREDIT reverse argument for stem cell</p> <p>IGNORE size ref (as no scale given)</p>
	(b)	<p><i>Idea of</i> (divides and) differentiates into / AW, a limited range of, cell types / AW ;</p>	1	

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(c)	<p>1 cells divide by <u>mitosis</u> ;</p> <p>2 to produce, <u>genetically</u> identical cells / clones ;</p> <p>3 cells differentiate / become specialised for a particular function / AW ;</p> <p>4 as some genes switched, off / on ;</p> <p>5 (and) different proteins made ;</p> <p>6 group of / AW, cells form tissues ;</p> <p>7 group of / AW, (different) tissues form organs ;</p> <p>nervous system, (fully) develops, early / AW ;</p> <p>8 <i>idea that</i> reproductive system not fully developed until, puberty;</p> <p>9 correct reference to named, reproductive / nervous, tissue / organ ;</p> <p>7</p> <p>QWC ;</p>	<p>7</p> <p><i>Any</i></p> <p>1</p>	<p>CREDIT named examples throughout</p> <p>e.g. CNS / brain / spinal cord / seminal vesicles / ovaries / testes</p> <p>AWARD QWC if at least 2 marks from MP 1-7 have been awarded and at least 1 mark from MP 8-10 have been awarded.</p>

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	(d)	<p>(a mutation) causes it to become an oncogene ;</p> <p>(proto-oncogene) may code for / AW, (named) proteins involved in, the control of cell, division / cycle ;</p> <p>(if mutated) correct (named) protein, no longer produced / overproduced ;</p> <p>(if mutated) receptor protein triggers cell division in absence of growth factor / AW ;</p>	3	<p>named protein examples - receptor proteins / growth factors / cyclins / transcription factors</p> <p>ACCEPT mutation results in uncontrolled cell division or uncontrolled mitosis.</p>
	(e) (i)	controlled / programmed , cell death / AW;	1	IGNORE cell suicide unqualified
	(ii)	<p><i>Examples include but are not limited to</i></p> <p>finger / toe, separation / AW ;</p> <p>formation of synapses ;</p>	1	
Total			15	

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6	(a)	<p>(make the person comfortable by) sitting them, with their knees bent / ref W position ;</p> <p>call, 999 / ambulance / emergency services ;</p> <p>check if the person takes medication for a heart condition / give aspirin (if available and person not allergic) ;</p> <p>monitor, consciousness ;</p> <p>monitor, heart / breathing, rate ;</p>	2	<p>IGNORE ref to CPR since the question refers to a conscious person</p> <p>IGNORE Recovery position</p>

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	(b) (i)	<p><i>Idea of conventional CPR , (always) more successful ;</i></p> <p><i>Idea of difference being small up to 8 minutes / at 7-8 minutes ;</i></p> <p><i>Idea of for 9-10 minute time delay conventional CPR has much better success / ORA ;</i></p> <p>successful outcomes decrease with time delay for <u>both forms of CPR</u> ;</p> <p>pair of correct comparative figures with units (% and minutes / mins) (allow calculated differences) ;</p>	3	<p>IGNORE if referring to a single time delay as this applies in every case</p> <p>ACCEPT 'similar at 7-8 minutes'</p> <p>ACCEPT 'about' related to a figure within the range</p> <p>DO NOT CREDIT 'above' or 'below'</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Time delay</th> <th>CC</th> <th>CPR</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1-2</td> <td>7.8 - 7.9</td> <td>8.5 – 8.7</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3-4</td> <td>6.5 – 6.7</td> <td>7.8 – 7.9</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5-6</td> <td>4.8</td> <td>4.9 – 5.1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7-8</td> <td>3.8 - 3.9</td> <td>4.1 - 4.2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9-10</td> <td>1.0</td> <td>4.2</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Time delay	CC	CPR	1-2	7.8 - 7.9	8.5 – 8.7	3-4	6.5 – 6.7	7.8 – 7.9	5-6	4.8	4.9 – 5.1	7-8	3.8 - 3.9	4.1 - 4.2	9-10	1.0	4.2
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	(ii)	<p>will save some lives / better than doing nothing ;</p> <p>easier to do / less likely to put people off doing it / more likely to try it ;</p> <p>success rate for both similar / nearly as high (most of the time) ;</p>	1																			
	(c)	<p>rejection ;</p> <p>(constant) use of immunosuppressants (in patient) ;</p>	1	IGNORE ref to waiting lists																		
		Total	7																			

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	(ii)	<p><i>Idea of</i> difficult to find people willing to volunteer for this type of study ;</p> <p><i>Idea of</i> (study had) limited funding / financial resources ;</p> <p><i>Idea of</i> quicker to conduct study ;</p> <p><i>Idea of</i> easier to monitor small group / harder to supervise a big group ;</p>	1	ACCEPT fewer samples to take
	(iii)	<p>eat less (food high in) fat ;</p> <p>eat less (food high in) sugar ;</p> <p>eat more high fibre foods ;</p> <p>eat five portions of fruit or vegetables per day /AW ;</p> <p>eat, complex carbohydrates / starchy food ;</p> <p>idea of reduce portion size ;</p> <p>reduce salt intake ;</p>	3	ACCEPT named food throughout IGNORE ref to snack / junk foods / water
(c)	(i)	<p><i>idea that</i> you can, check / see / know , if glucose concentrations are too, high / low ;</p> <p>(if untreated) high blood glucose may cause named condition ;</p> <p>(if untreated) low blood glucose may cause, faint / coma / death ;</p>	2	<p>ACCEPT to check levels are within limits</p> <p>DO NOT CREDIT 'to ensure'</p> <p>ACCEPT to detect hypoglycemia / hyperglycemia</p> <p>e.g. blindness / foot amputation / nerve damage / kidney failure / high blood pressure / heart disease / strokes / chronic infections / shortening of life</p>

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			so the person can adjust their insulin dose / carbohydrate intake (if necessary) ;		
		(ii)	oxidase / dehydrogenase ; enzyme ; <u>gluconolactone</u> ; transducer ;	4	
			Total	15	

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