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Health and Social Care

Unit 4: Anatomy and physiology for health and social care

Level 3 Cambridge Technical in Health and Social Care **05831 - 05833 & 05871**

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All examiners are instructed that alternative correct answers and unexpected approaches in candidates' scripts must be given marks that fairly reflect the relevant knowledge and skills demonstrated.

Mark schemes should be read in conjunction with the published question papers and the report on the examination.

MARKING PREPARATION

PREPARATION FOR ON-SCREEN MARKING

RM ASSESSOR

- 1. Make sure that you have accessed and completed the relevant training packages for on-screen marking: RM Assessor Online Training; OCR Essential Guide to Marking.
- 2. Make sure that you have read and understood the mark scheme and the question paper for this unit. These are available in RM Assessor.
- 3. Log-in to RM Assessor and mark the **required number** of practice responses ("scripts") and the **required number** of standardization responses.

PREPARATION FOR PAPER-BASED MARKING

- 1. Make sure that you have accessed and completed the relevant training packages for paper-based marking.
- 2. Make sure that you have read and understood the instructions for specialist marking, mark scheme and the question paper for this unit.
- 3. Before the standardization and set-up (SSU) meeting, you must mark 10 scripts from several different centres. Use **pencil**, mark lightly with pencil, and follow the **mark-scheme**. Bring these **marked scripts** to the SSU meeting.

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MARKING INSTRUCTIONS FOR ON-SCREEN AND PAPER-BASED MARKING

- 1. Your first task as an examiner is to become thoroughly familiar with the material on which the examination depends. This material includes: the unit specification, the question paper and any associated rubrics/pre-releases etc., and the mark scheme.
- 2. You should ensure that you have copies of these materials.
- 3. You should ensure also that you are familiar with the administrative procedures relating to the marking process. These are set out in the OCR booklet, **Instructions for Examiners**. If you are examining for the first time, please read **carefully Appendix 5: Introduction to Script Marking: Notes for New Examiners**.
- 4. Please study the mark scheme carefully. The mark scheme is an integral part of the process that begins with the setting of the question paper and ends with the awarding of grades. Question papers and mark schemes are developed in association with each other so that issues of differentiation and positive achievement can be addressed from the start.
- 5. The mark scheme is a working document; it is not exhaustive; it does not always provide 'all of the correct' answers. The mark scheme can only provide 'educated guesses' about how the question will work out prior to exam sat date, and it is subject to revision after we have looked at a wide range of scripts during the standardization and set-up meeting.
- 6. Please read carefully all the scripts in your allocation and make every effort to look positively for achievement throughout the ability range. Always be prepared to use the full range of marks.
- 7. Mark strictly to the most up-to-date mark scheme. You should have a PRE-SSU mark scheme which should be used to mark scripts prior to the standardization and set-up meeting, and a definitive, finalized POST-SSU mark scheme which should be used when standardization script, seed script, and live marking begins.
- 8. Marks awarded must relate directly to the marking criteria.
- 9. The schedule of dates is very important. It is essential that you meet the RM Assessor 50% and 100% (traditional paper-based marking of 40% Batch 1 and 100% Batch 2) deadlines. If you experience problems, you must contact your Team Leader (Supervisor) without delay.
- 10. If you are in any doubt about applying the mark scheme, consult your Team Leader by telephone, and if using RM, email or via the RM Assessor messaging system

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- 11. Always check the pages (and additional objects if present) at the end of the response in case any answers have been continued there. If the candidate has continued an answer there then add a tick to confirm that the work has been seen.
- 12. The RM Assessor **comments box/**SSU meeting is used by your Team Leader to explain the marking of the practice responses. Please refer to these comments when checking your practice responses. **Do not use the comments box for any other reason if using RM Assessor.**
 - If you have any questions or comments for your Team Leader, use face-to-face contact at the SSU meeting, the phone, the RM Assessor messaging system, or email.
- 13. Assistant Examiners will send a brief report on the performance of candidates to their Team Leader (Supervisor) via email by the end of the marking period. The report should contain notes on particular strengths displayed as well as common errors or weaknesses. Constructive criticism of the question paper/mark scheme is also appreciated.

14. Annotations available for marking of scripts

Annotation	Meaning
✓	Correct response
×	Incorrect response
+	Positive
	Negative
√.	Development of point
ш	Level 1
L2	Level 2
L3	Level 3
^	Omission mark
BOD	Benefit of doubt given (this annotation counts as a mark so do not tick as well)
NBOD	Benefit of doubt not given
CON	Contradiction
REP	Repeat
TV	Too vague
SEEN	Noted but no credit given
I	Ignore

DO NOT USE ANY OTHER ANNOTATION

MARKING GUIDANCE

1. Crossed Out Responses

Where a candidate has crossed out a response and provided a clear alternative then the crossed out response is not marked. Where no alternative response has been provided, examiners may give candidates the benefit of the doubt and mark the crossed out response where legible.

2. Rubric Error Responses - Optional Questions

Where candidates have a choice of question across a whole paper or a whole section and have provided more answers than required, then all responses are marked and the highest mark allowable within the rubric is given. Enter a mark for each question answered into RM assessor, which will select the highest mark from those awarded. (The underlying assumption is that the candidate has penalised themselves by attempting more questions than necessary in the time allowed.)

3. Multiple Choice Question Responses

When a multiple choice question (any type including gap fill) has only a single, correct response and a candidate provides two responses (even if one of these responses is correct), then no mark should be awarded (as it is not possible to determine which was the first response selected by the candidate).

When a question requires candidates to select more than one option/multiple options, Health and Social Care marking principles (in line with our approach to positive marking) state that the first two/three/four options from top to bottom (dependent on what the question requires) will only be marked to ensure fairness for those candidates who have followed the instructions of the question (the underlying assumption here is that it is not possible to determine which were the main responses selected by the candidate, and candidates may be attempting to hedge their bets and therefore getting undue benefit rather than engaging with the question and giving the most relevant/correct responses).

4. Contradictory Responses

When a candidate provides contradictory responses, then no mark should be awarded, even if one of the answers is correct.

5. Short Answer Questions (requiring only a list by way of a response, usually worth only one mark per response)

Where candidates are required to provide a set number of short answer responses then only the set number of responses should be marked. The response space should be marked from left to right on each line and then line by line until the required number of responses have been considered. The remaining responses should not then be marked. Examiners will have to apply judgement as to whether a 'second response' on a line is a development of the 'first response', rather than a separate, discrete response. (The underlying assumption is that the candidate is attempting to hedge their bets and therefore getting undue benefit rather than engaging with the question and giving the most relevant/correct responses.)

6. Short Answer Questions (requiring a more developed response, worth two or more marks)

If the candidates are required to provide a description of, say, three items or factors and four items or factors are provided, then mark on a similar basis – that is downwards (as it is unlikely in this situation that a candidate will provide more than one response in each section of the response space. Indicative content will be more prevalent in these questions due to the potentially wide parameters expected of candidates' answers.

7. Longer Answer Questions (requiring a developed response)

Where candidates have provided two (or more) responses to a medium or high tariff question which only required a single (developed) response and not crossed out the first response, then only the first response should be marked. Examiners will need to apply professional judgement as to whether the second (or a subsequent) response is a 'new start' or simply a poorly expressed continuation of the first response.

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8. Award NR (No Response):

- a. if there is nothing written at all in the answer space
- b. OR if there is a comment which does not in any way relate to the question (e.g. 'can't do', 'don't know')
- c. OR if there is a mark (e.g. a dash, a question mark) which isn't an attempt at the question.
- d. Note: Award 0 marks for an attempt that earns no credit (including copying out the question).

9. Level of Response Questions

Read through the whole answer from start to finish, using the level descriptors to help you decide whether it is a strong or weak answer. The indicative content in the guidance column indicates the expected parameters for candidates' answers, but be prepared to recognise and credit unexpected approaches where they show relevance.

Using a 'best-fit' approach based on the skills and health & social care content evidenced within the answer, first decide which set of level descriptors, Level 1, 2 or 3, best describes the overall quality of the answer. Once the level is located, award a high, middle or low mark:

The highest mark where all of the level descriptor has been evidenced and all aspects of the communication statement (in italics) have been met.

The high-middle mark (four-mark level range) where all/most of the level descriptor has been evidenced and most/all aspects of the communication statement (in italics) have been met respectively.

The low-middle mark (four-mark level range) where all/most of the level descriptor has been evidenced with some/most aspects of the communication statement (in italics) have been met respectively.

The middle mark (three-mark level range) where all/most of the level descriptor has been evidenced and some/most aspects of the communication statement (in italics) have been met respectively.

The lowest mark should be awarded where all/most of the level descriptor has been evidenced and few/some aspects of the communication statement (in italics) have been met.

Be prepared to use the full range of marks. Do not reserve highest level marks 'in case' something turns up of a quality you have not yet seen. If an answer gives clear evidence of the qualities described in the level descriptors, reward appropriately.

In summary:

The skills and health & social care content via the descriptors determines the level. The communication statement determines the mark within a level.

Level of response questions on this paper are 1(c)(i)*, 1(f)*, 2(a)*, 2(e)(i)*, 3(b)(ii)*, 4(b)(i)* and 5(d)*.

ABBREVIATIONS, ANNOTATIONS & CONVENTIONS USED IN THE MARK SCHEME

Annotation	Meaning
1	alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point
✓	Separates marking points - One tick = one mark, Two ticks = two marks etc.
ACCEPT	Answers that can be accepted
DO NOT ACCEPT	Answers which cannot be accepted
IGNORE	Statements which are irrelevant
()	Words/letters/symbols which are not essential to gain credit
_	Underlined words must be present in answer to score a mark, i.e. no other answer is acceptable
AW	Alternative wording
ORA	Or reverse argument
(number x number)	e.g. 3x2 – 3 explanations required, 2 marks per explanation 1x1 – 1 description required, 1 mark for description
MAX number word FROM:	Candidate is only allowed a maximum set number of marking points from the list that begins with: 'max number word from:'
ANY number word FROM:	Candidate is allowed any set number of marking points from the list that begins with: 'any number word from:'

Q	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(a)	(i)	plasma ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable.
1	(a)	(ii)	erythrocyte ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable.
1	(a)	(iii)	monocyte <	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable.
1	(a)	(iv)	platelet ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable.
1	(b)		Forces water and dissolved substances into surrounding tissues. ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable. If more than one answer is given: No mark should be awarded.

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1 (c) (i) *	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 8 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question. Level 3 (5-6 marks) Detailed description of roles of the three labelled blood vessels. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (3-4 marks) Sound description of roles of at least two of the labelled blood vessels. There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is in the most-part relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1-2 marks) Limited description of roles of labelled blood vessels. There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. O marks No response worthy of credit.	6	Vena cava superior and inferior vena cava is a vein transports blood back to the heart enters right atrium carries deoxygenated blood Pulmonary artery carries blood from heart leaves the right ventricle carries blood to lungs part of the pulmonary circulation Coronary artery carries blood to heart (muscle/tissue) which supplies it with oxygen and nutrients / glucose General comments for blood vessels veins (usually) carry deoxygenated blood veins carry blood at low pressure arteries (usually) carry oxygenated blood arteries carry blood away from heart arteries carry blood at high pressure

Q	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	(c)	(ii)	One mark for each correct answer, three required.	3 (3x1)	One mark per link. DO NOT ALLOW more than one link between boxes.
			Atrioventricular node (AVN) Purkyne fibres Delays impulses to allow time for atria to empty blood into the ventricles. Sinoatrial node (SAN) Sinoatrial node (SAN) Role Initiates contraction of heart muscle and is also known as the 'pacemaker'. Delays impulses to allow time for atria to empty blood into the ventricles. Specialised cardiac muscle that transmits impulses through ventricle walls.		
1	(d)		Autonomic nervous system ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable. If more than one answer is given: No mark should be awarded.

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1 (e) (i)	One cause with an explanation required. Two marks. fatty/cholesterol deposits / plaques / narrows arteries / blood vessels / (veins and capillaries are TV) blood clot / embolism (could travel here from another part of the body) / blocks arteries / vessels / (veins and capillaries are TV) arteries / blood vessel bursts / haemorrhage / blood leaks around brain / causing a build-up of pressure /	2	Annotation: The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded. For incorrect answers use the cross. Two marks:

Any four marks from:	marks for the outline of effects of stroke.
drooping of face on one side ✓ problems lifting one or both arms ✓ For inc	number of ticks must match the number of marks ded. ncorrect answers use the cross. ept any other correct response

Q	Question		Answer					
1	(f)*		Please refer to the marking instructions on page 8 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.	8				
			Level 3 (7-8 marks) Detailed discussion of two or more treatments designed to help recovery from stroke with strengths and weaknesses.					
			There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated.					
			Level 2 (4-6 marks)					
			Detailed discussion of one treatment designed to help recovery from stroke with strengths and weaknesses. OR					
			Sound discussion of two or more treatments designed to help recovery from stroke with strengths or weaknesses OR					
			Submax (4 marks) sound discussion of one treatment with strengths and weaknesses.					
			There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence.					
			Level 1 (1–3 marks)					
			Limited discussion of one treatment for stroke with strengths or weaknesses.					
			Simple list of two or more treatments.					
			There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant.					
			0 marks					
			No response or no response worthy of credit.					

Treatment	Strengths	Weaknesses
e.g. clot busters / alteplase	 dissolves blood clot restores blood flow to the brain fast acting 	 must be used as soon as possible after the stroke risk of bleeding only suitable for ischaemic strokes Named side effect – heart issues
e.g. blood thinners anticoagulant / warfarin / aspirin / anti-platelets	 reduces chance of another clot some can be for long term use easy to take 	 have to remember to take them risk of bleeding may have to make dietary changes named side effect – digestive / liver issues cost
e.g. thrombectomy	 removes clots restores blood flow 	 should be done as soon as possible after stroke invasive surgical procedure blood clot may not be accessible painful risk of infection
e.g. Craniotomy (surgery to repair burst blood vessel)	 repairs burst blood vessels. restores blood flow reduces pressure within cranium 	 should be done as soon as possible after stroke invasive surgical procedure painful long recovery period risk of further brain injury
e.g. Statins	 reduces development of atheromas thus reduce risk of future strokes easy to take 	 have to remember to take them dietary changes named side effect – muscle damage / headache / sleep problems / digestive issues cost
e.g. Blood pressure medication / Beta blockers / ACE inhibitors	 reduces blood pressure thus reduce risk of future strokes easy to take 	 have to remember to take them named side effect – swelling, digestive issues cost

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2 (a)*	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 8 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question. Level 3 (5-6 marks) Detailed explanation of roles of three structures in respiratory system in inspiration and expiration. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (3-4 marks) Sound explanation of roles of two structures in respiratory system in inspiration and expiration OR Sound explanation of roles of two structures in respiratory system in inspiration or expiration OR Sound explanation of roles of one structure in respiratory system in inspiration and expiration There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is in the most-part relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1-2 marks) Limited explanation of roles of the structures in respiratory system in inspiration or expiration There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. O marks No response worthy of credit.	6	Role of intercostal muscles

Q	Question		Answer					Marks	Guidance		
2	2 (b)		One mark per correct row as shown in the table.					3 (3x1)	For an incorrect answer use the cross .		
						Statement	Tick (✓) each correct box				(3/1)
			Statement	Aerobic only	Anaerobic only	Both					
			Occurs inside cells			✓			If more than one answer is given for one statement:		
			Produces ATP			✓	√		No mark should be awarded.		
			Produces lactic acid		√		✓				
			Uses oxygen	✓			√				
2	(c)	(i)	Any two symptoms	eath ys ays	ciated with lung	gs from:		2 (2x1)	Any two symptoms for two marks, two required. Ignore refs to other organs as lungs are mentioned in the question. For an incorrect answer use the cross . Infections alone is TV Mucus alone is TV		

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
Question 2 (c) (ii)		Marks 2 (1x2)	Guidance The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded. For incorrect answers use the cross. 2 marks: A treatment identified with a description that shows understanding 1 mark: A treatment identified OR a too vague treatment. DO NOT credit a description that is not linked to the treatment.
	 replaces/removes damaged lungs improves gaseous exchange OR physiotherapy / vibrating jacket removes excess mucus in lungs OR mucus thinning medication mucus is easier to remove from the lungs OR bronchodilators open airways, increasing airflow 		Surgery helps remove excess mucus (0 marks) Surgery that replaces damaged lung (1 mark) Antibiotics makes mucus easier to remove from the lungs (1 mark) Do not credit lifestyle changes e.g. exercise / stopping smoking

Q	Question			Answer	Marks	Guidance
2	(d)		One mark per correct a	answer as shown in the table.	5 (5x1)	For an incorrect answer use the cross.
			Structure	Function		No other answers are acceptable.
			anus	Opens to allow removal of faeces ✓		
			Bile duct √	Allows a digestive fluid to flow from gall bladder to the small intestine.		
			Large intestine ✓	Reabsorbs water from digested food and prepares waste products for removal.		
			rectum	Stores faeces until they are removed ✓		
			Small intestine ✓	Completes digestion and is the site of absorption of nutrients.		

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2 (e) (i)*	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 8 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question. Level 3 (7-8 marks) Detailed discussion of similarities and differences between causes and effects of IBS and coeliac disease. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (4-6 marks) Sound discussion of similarities and differences between causes or effects of IBS and coeliac disease. OR Sound discussion of similarities or differences between causes and effects of IBS and coeliac disease. There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1-3 marks) Limited discussion such as a simple list of effects of either IBS or coeliac disease. There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. O marks No response or no response worthy of credit.	8	Not exhaustive: Causes Similarities: Both can be caused by infection Both can be caused by food intolerance Can be unknown in both conditions Differences: food moves too quickly through digestive system (IBS) food moves too slowly through digestive system (IBS) financials food moves too quickly through digestive system (IBS) attention of tibs) financials fi

C	Question		Answer		Guidance
2	(e)	(ii)	 Any two from: tiredness - caused by abdominal pain / bloating impacts on social life - need to visit toilet often or due to food / drink intolerances work affected - caused by need to avoid stress or toilet issues embarrassment - caused by e.g. flatulence / toilet habits dietary changes - avoid triggers. Isolation - avoiding social situations as either embarrassed by symptoms or not wanting to be away from a toilet emotional impacts (self-esteem, depression, anxiety) - due negative impacts of symptoms 	2 (2x1)	Two marks for two impacts on life style The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded. For incorrect answers use the cross or appropriate annotation from the following: Stating an impact alone is not creditable, must offer some description. Descriptions may be interchangable

Q	uesti	on	An	swer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)		Statement	True (T) or False (F)	3 (3x1)	Annotation: The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded.
			Bones provide a framework for the attachment of muscles.	True / T ✓		For an incorrect answer use the cross.
			Ligaments attach muscles to bones.	False / F ✓		No other answers are acceptable.
						If more than one answer is given e.g. T/F: No mark should be awarded.
			Muscles can only pull when they contract.	True / T ✓		
3	(b)	(i)	ball and socket ✓		1	For an incorrect answer use the cross .
						No other answers are acceptable.

Question	Answer		Guidance
3 (b) (ii)*	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 8 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question.	6	Points and explanations (not exhaustive) Points from explanations required for L2 and L3.
	Level 3 (5-6 marks) Detailed explanations of risk factors AND biological causes of arthritis. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (3-4 marks) Detailed explanations of risk factors OR biological causes of arthritis OR Sound explanations of risk factors AND biological causes of arthritis		 Risk factors: injury – damage to joints can cause the development of arthritis. obesity – excessive forces on joints ageing – greater time for damage to cartilage to develop. genetics/family history – specific genes can make development of arthritis more likely. gender – female have higher rates of arthritis. smoking – cause inflammation excessive exercise / physical activity – increases wear and tear on joints Biological causes and explanation: (candidates are not required to identify the type of arthritis)
	There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1–2 marks) Limited explanations of risk factors OR biological causes of arthritis. May be lists.		Osteoarthritis wear and tear of joint loss of cartilage increased friction loss of joint space causing bones to rub friction causes inflammation and pain
	There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. O marks No response or no response worthy of credit.		 bone spurs / growths Rheumatoid autoimmune disease can be triggered by virus immune system attacks synovial membrane causing inflammation and a pannus to form

Q	Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(c)	(i)	bone ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable.
3	(c)	(ii)	Two marks for two methods. Any two from: bone density scans / DEXA ✓ Xray / CT ✓ MRI ✓ blood tests ✓ ultrasound ✓	2 (2x1)	One mark for each correct answer, two required. For an incorrect answer use the cross.

Q	uestion	Answer		Marks	Guidance
4	(a)	One mark for each correct answer, four required.		4 (4x1)	Annotation: The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded.
		Descriptions	Letter on diagram		
		A coiled tube that contains jelly-like fluid.	С		For an incorrect answer use the cross .
		A thin membrane that transmits vibrations to the middle ear.	F√	 	No other answers are acceptable.
		A tube that helps to keep the pressure of the middle ear the same as outside the ear.	D√		If more than one answer letter is given: No mark should be awarded.
		Fluid filled tubes that help with balance.	· A V		
		Small bones that transmit vibrations.	E✓		

C	uesti	on	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(b)	(i)*	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 8 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question. Level 3 (5-6 marks) Detailed explanations of cause AND effects of hearing loss. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (3-4 marks) Sound explanations of cause AND effects of hearing loss. OR Detailed explanations of cause OR effects of hearing loss. There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure.	6	Causes with explanations: ageing – wear and tear on cells and tissues exposure to loud noises- damages cells and tissues ear wax- leads to blockage of ear canal infection- inflammation and fluid build up -can lead to blockages in tubes burst ear drum-sound waves / vibrations can't be transmitted osteoporosis – density of ossicles is reduced, decreasing transmission of vibrations. genetics- problems with structures in the ear damage to hair cells- less sound waves converted
			The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1–2 marks) Limited explanations of cause OR effects of hearing loss. May be lists. There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. O marks No response or no response worthy of credit. Do not credit impact on daily life/lifestyle		 into electrical impulses injury – damage to ear structures Effects: sound waves not transmitted to the cochlear as effectively (conductive hearing loss) less sound waves are converted into electrical impulses therefore less impulses are transmitted to the brain (auditory cortex) difficulty hearing higher pitch sounds inability to hear quiet sounds can result in complete deafness can cause temporary or permanent hearing loss

Q	Question		Answer		Guidance	
4	(b)	(ii)	Any two treatments from: remove ear wax / ear drops / syringing ✓ hearing aids ✓ cochlear implants ✓ antibiotics ✓ grommets ✓	2 (2x1)	Two marks for two treatments The number of ticks must match the number of marks awarded. For incorrect answers use the cross. Implants alone is too vague Don't credit support devices e.g. hearing dog	
4	(c)	(i)	sensory ✓ axon ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross. No other answers are acceptable. For an incorrect answer use the cross. Accept Schwann cell and myelin sheath	

Q	uesti	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5	(a)		medulla ✓	5 (5x1)	One mark for each correct answer, five required.
			renal vein ✓	(5×1)	For an incorrect answer use the cross.
			calyx ✓		Answers must be in order shown here.
			bladder √		No other answers are acceptable.
			urethra ✓		
5	(b)		liver ✓	1	For an incorrect answer use the cross.
					No other answers are acceptable.

Q	uestion	Answer		Marks	Guidance
5	(c)	One mark for each correct answer, to	our required.	4 (4x1)	Annotation: The number of ticks must match the number of marks
		Descriptions	Structure		awarded.
					For an incorrect answer use the cross.
		A small ball of capillaries where blood enters for filtration.	Glomerulus ✓		
		Part of the nephron tubule where glucose is reabsorbed back into the blood.	Convoluted tubule ✓		No other answers are acceptable.
					If more than one answer is given: No mark should be awarded.
		Part of nephron tubule where	Loop of Henle /		
		most of the water is reabsorbed.	Convoluted tubule ✓		
		Part of the nephron tubule where ultrafiltration occurs.	Bowman's capsule ✓		

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
5 (d)*	Please refer to the marking instructions on page 8 of this mark scheme for guidance on how to mark this question. Level 3 (5-6 marks) Detailed explanations of biological causes of nephrotic syndrome. There is a well-developed line of reasoning which is clear and logically structured. The information presented is relevant and substantiated. Level 2 (3-4 marks) Sound explanations of biological causes of nephrotic syndrome. There is a line of reasoning presented with some structure. The information presented is relevant and supported by some evidence. Level 1 (1-2 marks) Limited explanations of biological causes of nephrotic syndrome. May be lists. There is an attempt at a logical structure with a line of reasoning. The information is in the most part relevant. O marks No response or no response worthy of credit.	6	Points not exhaustive: Causes with explanations loss of kidney function due to: • damage to the kidney • infection • other diseases e.g. diabetes • cancer • faulty gene results in: • increase in permeability of filtration membranes • leading to ultrafiltration not occurring properly • high levels of proteins in urine • low levels of protein in blood Don't credit risk factors. Link to symptoms is not required in candidate responses

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