**BTEC Assignment Brief**

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| **Qualification** | BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Health and Social Care (NQF) |
| **Unit number and title** | Unit 17: Caring for Individuals with Dementia  |
| **Learning aim(s)** (For NQF only) | **C:** Investigate the concept of person-centred care for people who have dementia to maintain quality of life and wellbeing.  |
| **Assignment title** | Supporting individuals with dementia. |
| **Assessor** | K.Goodrum  |
| **Issue date** | 02.02.17 |
| **Hand in deadline**  | 01.03.17 |
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| **Vocational Scenario or Context** | In light of the ageing population that Britain now faces, the government wants to raise awareness and provide more provision for specific conditions, such as dementia. You work in a residential care home that has one area specifically designed to house individual’s who have been diagnosed with dementia.  Each floor of the ward houses a different type of dementia. * Floor one: Specialises in Alzheimer’s
* Floor two: Specialises in Vascular dementia
* Floor three: Specialises in Dementia with Lewy Bodies

Floor four: Specialises in Frontotemporal dementiaYour manager wants to review the standard of care that you are providing as apart of quality assurance. You have been asked to create a report detailing how you care for one specific resident.  |
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| **Task 1** | You are to create a report that is specific to one type of dementia. In this you should * Evaluate how current practice in dementia care meets the needs of an individual with dementia, through managing its effects and maintaining health and wellbeing.
* Justify the impact and benefits of holistic person-centred care on one individual who has dementia.
* Assess why the principles of person-centred care are important to maintain the dignity, rights and entitlements of one individual who has dementia.
* Explain why a flexible approach is needed when planning care for one individual who has one type of dementia.
* Explain how person-centred care is applied for one individual who has one type of dementia.
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| **Checklist of evidence required**  | -Report |
| **Criteria covered by this task:** |
| Unit/Criteria reference | To achieve the criteria you must show that you are able to: |
| C.D2 | Justify the impact and benefits of holistic person-centred care on one individual who has dementia. |
| C.D3: | Evaluate how current practice in dementia care meets the needs of an individual with dementia, through managing its effects and maintaining health and wellbeing. |
| C.M3 | Assess why the principles of person-centred care are important to maintain the dignity, rights and entitlements of one individual who has dementia. |
| C.P5: | Explain how person-centred care is applied for one individual who has one type of dementia. |
| C.P6: | Explain why a flexible approach is needed when planning care for one individual who has one type of dementia. |
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| **Sources of information to support you with this Assignment** | **Textbooks**Adams T – Dementia Care Nursing: Promoting Well-being in People with Dementia and their families(Palgrave McMillan, 2007) ISBN 9781403916518Brooker D – Person Dementia Care (Jessica Kingsley, 2007) ISBN 9781843103370Kerr D – Understanding Learning Disability and Dementia (Jessica Kingsley, 2007) ISBN 9781843104421Walsh D – Dementia Care Training Manual for Staff Working in Nursing and Residential Settings (Jessica Kingsley,2006) ISBN 9781843103189**Journals and magazines**Community CareCare and HealthCaring TimesNursing TimesThe Journal of Dementia CareOther publicationsLiving Well with Dementia – the National Dementia Strategy (Department of Health, 2009)Our health, our care, our say (Department of Health, 2006)Putting People First: A shared vision and commitment to the transformation of adult social care (Department ofHealth, 2007)**Websites**www.ageconcern.org.uk Age Concernwww.alzheimers.org.uk Alzheimer’s societywww.carersuk.org Carers’ Voicewww.community-care.co.uk Community Carewww.dh.gov.uk Dignity in Care campaignwww.dh.org.uk Department of Health |
| **Other assessment materials attached to this Assignment Brief** | *N/A* |