**Information about Witness Statements**

A witness statement is used to provide a written record of your performance as a learner against the grading criteria.

Someone other than the assessor (teacher) of the BTEC in Health and Social Care may complete it, in this case it will be a work placement supervisor. The statement is confirmation that you have completed the task and this can then be used as evidence to meet a grading criteria within the unit in this case unit 1 P5.

**Instruction’s to the student**

Before you undertake this interaction you should have agreed the timing with your supervisor and filled in your details on the witness statement.

**Instruction’s for the person observing the interaction**

This document is key evidence for the student’s completion of assessment criteria in order to gain a pass grade in the Communication unit.

We would be grateful if you could complete all sections and provide your **signature** and **job title** to confirm that this interaction has occurred.

If under the heading **Details of the group interaction,** you could provide the date and a brief description of the interaction, where this took place and the people involved whilst maintaining anonymity of the people eg elderly residents rather than a name.

If you could then, just give some brief comments on the students use of verbal and non-verbal communication skills under the heading **Assessment.**

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| **Witness statement – Group Interaction** | |
| Learner name |  |
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| Qualification | BTEC National Diploma in Health & Social Care |
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| Unit number and title | Unit 1: Developing Effective Communication in Health & social Care |
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| Details of the group interaction, | |
| Date;  Brief description: | |
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| Assessment | |
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Witness Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Job Title\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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