

Access to Higher Education Unit

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Unit Title: Interpersonal Relationships

Graded Unit Reference Number: GA33PSY20

Ungraded Unit Reference Number: UA33PSY20

Module: Psychology

Level: Three (3)

Credit Value: Three (3)

Minimum Guided Learning Hours: 30

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):		Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):	
1.	Understand theories of attribution and attribution biases	1.1	Describe and evaluate theories and research studies relating to the attribution of causality
		1.2	Analyse explanations of attributional biases
2.	Understand strategies of self- presentation	2.1	Describe and evaluate strategies used in social encounters, including self-monitoring, disclosure and self-presentation
3.	Understand factors involved in the formation, maintenance and breakdown of relationships	3.1	Describe the major factors associated with the formation of relationships
		3.2	Evaluate the major theories associated with the maintenance of friendships, including balance, equity and social exchange theories
		3.3	Outline the reasons why relationships break down
		3.4	Describe and evaluate the model of relationship dissolution
		3.5	Describe a model for relational repair