CU1575 Engage Young Parents in Supporting their Children's Development

Aims

To enable the learner to gain the understanding and ability to work with young parents to support them to engage in their children's development.

Credit 3

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Learning outcomes		Assessment criteria	
The learner will:		The learner can:	
1.	Understand the context of pregnancy and parenthood for young people	1.1	Explain the implications of the current strategy and guidance relating to pregnancy and parenthood for young people
		1.2	Explain the impact on own practice of the current strategy and guidance relating to pregnancy and parenthood for young people
		1.3	Demonstrate how the strategy and guidance applies to own work with young parents
2.	Understand transition issues for young people and their potential impact on parenthood	2.1	Reflect on own transitional experiences as a young person
		2.2	Describe issues facing young parents in their transition from child to young adult
3.	Understand the impact of stress on a young parent's relationship with their child/children	3.1	Explain how stress experienced by young parents may affect their relationships with their children
		3.2	Explain how a practitioner can support young parents to overcome the negative impact of stress on their parenting

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4.	Understand how to engage young parents with services	4.1	Explain factors which impact on a young parent's engagement with services
		4.2	Reflect on the potential effectiveness of the range of services that can be offered to young parents
		4.3	Demonstrate how young parents engage with services/settings in own practice
5.	Understand the specific needs of young fathers in engaging with their child's needs and development	5.1	Explain the specific needs of young fathers
		5.2	Explain factors that may lead to young fathers engaging with the needs of their children
		5.3	Explain how services/settings can support young fathers to engage with their child's needs and development