

DPSI UNIT 01 ROLE PLAY TOPICS LIST 2017

Please find below the role play topics for the interpreting tasks of the Diploma in Public Service Interpreting examination 2017

Please note that topics for sight and written translation units (Units 02 - 05) are not released in advance.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT PATHWAY

Tuesday 20 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A local authority officer is meeting with the parent of a severely asthmatic child. The parent is concerned about the poor air quality in the borough.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

A local authority social worker is meeting with a resident whose elderly husband/wife is in need of care and who wants to find out more about the potential costs of the different options.

HEALTH PATHWAY

Tuesday 20 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A patient has had an appointment at the endoscopy clinic for recurrent heartburn and has come back to the GP for the results of the endoscopy. The results show that the patient has got reflux oesophagitis and the GP will explain the results.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

Following an eye examination, the optician is explaining to the patient s/he has cataracts. The optician is considering referring the patient for cataract extraction surgery.

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ENGLISH LAW PATHWAY

Wednesday 21 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A victim of blackmail has approached a solicitor for advice on how to handle the threats received which relate to the publication of embarrassing photographs.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

A client is visiting the Citizens Advice Bureau for advice in relation to the adoption process for same-sex couples.

ENGLISH LAW PATHWAY

Thursday 22 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A police officer is interviewing a victim of a racially aggravated crime which took place in public.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

A client charged with possession of firearms has been arrested and is speaking to the duty solicitor at the police station.

SCOTTISH LAW PATHWAY

Thursday 22 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A police officer is interviewing a victim of a racially aggravated crime which took place in public.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

A client charged with possession of firearms has been arrested and is speaking to the duty solicitor at the police station.

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NORTHERN IRISH LAW PATHWAY

Thursday 22 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A police officer is interviewing a victim of a racially aggravated crime which took place in public.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

A client charged with possession of firearms has been arrested and is speaking to the duty solicitor at the police station.

ENGLISH LAW PATHWAY

Friday 23 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A person has witnessed an incident of indecent exposure. The police are interviewing the witness.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

A public defence solicitor is meeting with a client who has been charged with assault. The client is concerned about client confidentiality and legal professional privilege.

SCOTTISH LAW PATHWAY

Friday 23 June 2017:

1st SCENARIO (PART A):

A person has witnessed an incident of sexual exposure. The police are interviewing the witness.

2nd SCENARIO (PART B):

A public defence solicitor is meeting with a client who has been charged with assault. The client is concerned about client confidentiality and legal professional privilege.