

## WRITING TEST 1

Time allowed:  
Reading Time : 05 Minutes  
Writing : 40 Minutes

**Read the case notes and complete the writing task which follows.**

### Case Notes:

#### Patient History:

**Name:** Mr. Antonite Scott

**Date of Birth:** 18th March 1950

**Height:** 160cm

**Weight:** 74kg

**Allergies:** Shellfish

**Substance Intake:** Nil

**Dentures:** Nil

#### Social History:

Patient lives with his wife. All of their children live away. He is a smoker and an alcoholic. He works as a bar tender.

**Depression:** controlled by medication

#### Family History:

**Mother:** History of Pneumonia

**Father:** Died of CVA (Cerebro Vascular Accident) recently.

**Maternal Grandmother:** Died of COPD

**Maternal Grandfather:** Unknown

**Paternal Grandmother:** Hypertensive

**Paternal Grandfather:** Known patient of depression

**Past Medical History:**

**1990:** Typhoid, followed by a jaundice attack

**1996:** HBsAg Positive

**2006:** Diagnosed with depression and kept on medicine to control it.

**Present Symptoms:**

Diabetic (blood sugar levels increasing continuously)

UTI (burning micturation and incontinence)

Cellulitis (swollen and painful legs)

**Provisional Diagnosis:** Type II diabetes mellitus

**Plan:** Refer to diabetologist/podiatrist for further treatment.

**Writing task:**

Using the information in the case notes, write a letter of referral for further treatment to the diabetologist/podiatrist, Dr. Britto, at City Hospital.

**In your answer:**

- Expand the relevant notes into complete sentences
- Do not use note form
- Use letter format

**The body of the letter should be approximately 180-200 words.**

**END OF WRITING TEST 1**