

(A) changes that a woman may experience after having her own first child in the early 1970s would be that there may not be a great deal of socialising as the main focus now would be for the caring of the child, a woman would have to compromise any social activities and may perhaps have to give this up ~~partly~~ in order to care for the child. The woman may have to find an income or get a job if she does not have one already and also as the woman may also be discriminated against and people may find it unusual to have a child at that age and may believe she is not physically able to care for the child. which may affect the woman's social life.

(B) culture and religion affect influence parenting and caring relationships as ~~certain~~ individuals who have have different beliefs and values as others and may use different parenting styles and approaches in raising a child or caring for someone. Parents or carers may not be able to successfully raise the child properly due to restraints of culture and religious beliefs. A child or person in care may not be able



to access to services and help needed due to certain beliefs and values. The parent or carer may not be able to fully support and care and raise the child in which they desired to do so due to these cultural and religious restrictions. The child or person in care may not agree with the parent or carers religious beliefs or values and this will lead to breakdown in communication and bad relationships between the two.

(C) Parents have many responsibilities and duties when bringing up a child.

Many different individuals have different styles of parenting due to reasons such as the way they may have been raised or what they were influenced by as they were growing as a child.

There are many different styles of parenting to suit different individuals in raising their child or children.

There is Authoritarian parents, Authoritative, Permissive (indulgent), Negligent, Democratic and Demission there are all the different styles of parenting that exist.



When choosing to become a parent many factors must be looked at such as whether the child can be supported financially, whether the individual is psychologically and physically and also emotionally ready to raise a child. Socialising may have to be reduced and more focus would be put on the nurturing of the child. Parents have to think about who works and who does the household domestic work, parents must negotiate and compromise in order to gain and sustain a home healthy environment for the child. Nutrition and health must be vital in bringing up a child and also the right to an education of these things must be provided for the child.

Once a child is brought into the world, it is up to the parents how they would like their child to be raised.

Authoritarian parents are those who make all the decisions and have the last say in all decision making. The parents are in control.

Authoritative parents are those who make the final



decisions but are willing to be open to any discussion or input by other members in the family

Democratic parents are those who allow discussion to occur and the family as a whole make a decision together.

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~~Permissive (indulgent)~~ parents are those who do not set any rules and restrictions for their child and allow them to do as they please. The belief being that the 'freedom to choose creates character'

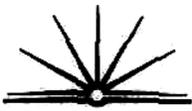
Permissive (indulgent) parents give their child everything they desire to the point of being spoilt. This occurs mainly with families who have only one child.

Neglectful parents are those who do not provide needs for the child in any way and the child suffers and lacks and needs may have a right to.

These are all the different styles of parenting that exist.

Each individual has a different idea and style of raising children of their own. Each style suits different individuals and their families. Whatever

style parents may choose the main goal is parents



is to focus all their attention on the child and their needs
and this is where all parents share the same goal.