

CHAPTER 10



Managing people and stress

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After studying this chapter and working through the associated Management in Action panels, Employee Perspectives, Discussion Questions and Case Study you should be able to:

- Explain the major models and approaches to the study of people management.
- Understand the distinction and similarities between stress, PTSD, burnout and pressure.
- Describe the physiological effects of stress and the consequent impact on the behaviour of individuals.
- Assess the relative contribution of human resource managers and line managers in relation to the management of people.
- Discuss the nature of the psychological contract within the context of people management practice.

