Appendix: Interview Guide

1. What was the medical procedure you (or your dependant) have undergone (or refused) during the admission in

month x?

2. What did your physician tell you about the procedure? According to your physician, why was the procedure

necessary? What would be the possible consequences of undergoing and refusing the procedure? What do you think

about the information of consequences /risk?

3. Aside from your physician, with whom did you discuss the procedure? Family? Other health professionals? How did

the discussion go? When? Where? What information did you get from these people?

4. How did you eventually decide about the procedure? Which factors did you consider? How did they influence your

decision?

5. How do you feel now about your decision? Please explain. Is there any other information you wish you had gotten

before you made your decision?