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#	Question	Acceptable Answer	Attempt 1	Attempt 2
1.	What is expected from you if you participate in this study?	Answer questions about my (or the person for which I am guardian) health and use of health services now and again in two years time.		
2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	The questions will take 45-60 minutes to answer and I might feel uncomfortable talking about my experiences.		
3.	What are the benefits to participating?	Information I provide can help improve the health of people with functional difficulties; I will be offered UGX 15,000/= as compensation for my time spent.		
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1.	What is expected from you if you participate in this study?	Answer questions about members of my household and whether they experience any difficulties in how their body functions, as well as questions about my household and home.		
2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	The questions will take approximately 30 minutes to answer.		
3.	What are the benefits to participating?	Information I provide can help improve the health of people with functional difficulties; I will be offered UGX 15,000/= as compensation for my time spent.		
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**FACILITATOR INTERVIEWS (PROCESS EVALUATION)**  
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1.	What is expected from you if you participate in this study?	Answer questions on my thoughts and experiences of facilitating the PLA-D group.		
2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	The questions will take about 1 hour to answer and I might feel uncomfortable talking about my experiences.		
3.	What are the benefits to participating?	Information I provide can help improve the participatory groups; I will be offered UGX 20,000/= as compensation for my time spent.		
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**PLA-D GROUP PARTICIPANT & NON-PARTICIPANT INTERVIEWS (PROCESS EVALUATION)**  
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#	Question	Acceptable Answer	Attempt 1	Attempt 2
1.	What is expected from you if you participate in this study?	Answer questions on my thoughts and experiences of the participatory groups for people with disabilities in my village.		
2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	The questions will take about 1 hour to answer and I might feel uncomfortable talking about my experiences.		
3.	What are the benefits to participating?	Information I provide can help improve the participatory groups; I will be offered UGX 20,000/= as compensation for my time spent.		
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**PLA-D GROUP PARTICIPANT FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSIONS (PROCESS EVALUATION)**  
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#	Question	Acceptable Answer	Attempt 1	Attempt 2
1.	What is expected from you if you participate in this study?	During a group discussion share my thoughts and experiences of the participatory groups for people with disabilities in my village.		
2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	My identity ( <i>and if applicable: the person for which I am guardian</i> ) will be known to other people participating in the group discussion.		
3.	What are the benefits to participating?	Information I provide can help improve the participatory groups; I will be offered UGX 20,000/= as compensation for my time spent.		
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1.	What is expected from you if you participate in this study?	Answer questions about [your/ or a member of your household/ or your neighbour's ( <i>delete as appropriate</i> )] health and well-being.		
2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	The questions will take approximately 30 minutes to answer.		
3.	What are the benefits to participating?	Information I provide can help improve the health of people with functional difficulties; I will be offered UGX 15,000/= as compensation for my time spent.		
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2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	The questions will take 45-60 minutes to answer and I might feel uncomfortable talking about my experiences.		
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**ENDLINE (VERBAL AUTOPSY - HOSPITALISATION)  
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1.	What is expected from you if you participate in this study?	Answer questions about my hospitalisation.		
2.	What are the disadvantages of participating?	The questions will take 45-60 minutes to answer and I might feel uncomfortable talking about my experiences.		
3.	What are the benefits to participating?	Information I provide can help reduce emergency hospitalisations of people with functional difficulties; I will be offered UGX 15,000/= as compensation for my time spent.		
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