Questionnaire for structured interviews (SI)

Instruction: use one questionnaire for each vulnerable group agreed upon by respondents in the semi-structured interview phase.

Vulnerable group and problematic substance(s)
V1:

(Enter the vulnerable group and the substance(s) they have problems with, as mentioned in the semi-structured interviews)

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<th>Community</th>
<th>Respondent ID no.</th>
<th>Interviewer</th>
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M1. Background information on respondent from the target community:

Gender  
☐ male  ☐ female

What is your age?  □ □ years

What is your ethnicity/what region in your homeland are you from?  …………………

What is your religion?  …………………

How long are you staying in the host country?  …………………

How long are you staying in this centre / camp / neighbourhood?  …………………

What is your social position in your community?  …………………

How did you make your living in your homeland?  …………………

How do you make your living now?  …………………

M2. Background information on respondent involved with the target community:

Profession:  …………………

Gender:  ☐ male  ☐ female

Age:  □ □ years

Setting:  ☐ inside closed setting  ☐ outside closed setting

Years of involvement with target community:  □ □ years

N. Vulnerable groups and substances

1. According to key informants substance use is problematic in vulnerable group V1, do you agree?

Vulnerable group V1  …………………  Yes ☐  No ☐

Is there any other problematic substance use within this vulnerable group?

Remarks
2. Are most of the problematic users male or female?
- [ ] male
- [ ] female
- [ ] both male and female
- [ ] don’t know

3. In what age category will we find the majority of problematic users? I mention four categories:
- younger than 18 years
- between 18 and 30 years
- between 30 and 45 years
- older than 45 years
- don’t know

4. Are most of the problematic users here alone, or with their families?
- [ ] alone
- [ ] family
- [ ] both
- [ ] don’t know

O. Definitions

5. Problematic substance use expresses itself in different ways. Can you estimate, on a scale from 1 -5, to what extent these problems express themselves in the following areas?
Instruction: fill in the three main problems mentioned in the semi structured questionnaires.

Target problem 1………………………………… Little  Much
Target problem 2………………………………… Little  Much
Target problem 3………………………………… Little  Much

P. Factors

6. There may be several causes for problematic substance use. Can you estimate, on a scale from 1 - 5, the significance of these causes for your community?

 Differences in substance use
- Between homeland and host country Not important Important
- Situation in the homeland Not important Important
- Situation in the host country Not important Important
- Function/benefit of current drug use Not important Important
instruction: fill in the other causes mentioned in the semi-structured questionnaires.

Other cause: ........................................ Not important [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] Important
Other cause: ........................................ Not important [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] Important

Remarks

Q. Prevention

7. Key respondents in the semi-structured interviews mentioned several intervention methods that might be useful to prevent problematic substance use among asylum seekers and refugees. Can you estimate, on a scale from 1 - 5, how useful you think these methods are?

Instruction: fill in the prevention methods mentioned in the semi-structured interviews.

Method 1 ........................................ Not useful [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] Useful
Method 2 ........................................ Not useful [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] Useful
Method 3 ........................................ Not useful [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] Useful
Method 4 ........................................ Not useful [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] Useful

Remarks

8. Can you estimate, on a scale from 1 - 5, the knowledge of the target group about the risks of the substance(s) used?
Not informed [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] Well-informed

Remarks

Source of information

What is the main source of the information you have given me during the interview; do you obtain your information from refugees or asylum seekers, from colleagues working with refugees and asylum seekers, or from written material?

refugees, asylum seekers
colleagues
written material
other source, namely ...............................

Snowball professionals
We have almost come to the end of the interview. Thank you very much for all the information. All information will be dealt with confidentially. Before I leave, I would like to ask you some last questions:
Do you know any colleagues, working with refugees and asylum seekers, who also have knowledge of the issue we talked about?
Would you be willing to introduce members of the RAR team to these colleagues?
Do you know people in a central position in community 1, 2, 3 of refugees and asylum seekers, who also have knowledge of the issue and are willing to talk to members of the RAR team?
Would you be willing to introduce members of the RAR team to these individuals?