

PLEASE RECORD THE RESPONSES VERBATIM

1. What is **your** (respondent's) **name**?
(Do not write. Just use it for addressing him/her during the interview)
2. Who all live in your house? (Record only the type of family)
 - a) **Nuclear** (if the client is living with spouse and unmarried children only)
 - b) **Joint / Extended** (All others)
3. Your (respondent's) **age**?
4. Your **education**?
5. If respondent is a woman,
Do you go out to **work**?
- If respondent is a man,
Your **occupation**?
- If applicable,**
6. What does your **spouse** do?
7. Your **spouse's education**?

8. How many **children** do you have?

9. **Index child:**

Name:

Age:

Sex:

10. Who all are **providing treatment** to sick people in your area?

11. What are the **differences in** their **treatment**? (**Probe:** use of injections)

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12. What do you do, when some one in the family has **fever**?

13. In general, **who** in the family **decides** on the **type and place of treatment**?

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14. What are the **factors** that influence the **preference** to take treatment from a particular **health care provider**? (**Probe**: Qualification, popularity, convenience, competence, fees)

15. In case of severe illness, which **health facility/health provider** will you **prefer** to go and **why**?

16. Last time when you / your child was **sick** and received injection, what were the **symptoms / illness**?

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17. Where did you/your child take **treatment** and why?

Health Facility (Govt./Private)	Type of Prescriber/Injection giver	Reason

18. Who suggested the **injection**?

- (a) Self (b) Prescriber (doctor) (c) Injection giver
(Compounder/nurse/ANM)
(d) Not sure

Why?

19. What was the **discussion** between you and the prescriber / injection giver **regarding injection**?

20. What was the **effect of** this **injection**?

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21. What **kind of syringe and needle** were used?

22. Were you **asked to bring** the **syringe and needle** with you for injection?

23. What was done with the **syringe after** giving you / your child the **injection**?

24. What was done with the **needle after** giving you / your child the **injection**?

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25. Having **received injection(s)** for your / your child's illness, **how do you feel?**

26. If your prescriber had **not given** you / your child the **injection**, what **differences** would it have made on the **course of illness** and **cost** of treatment?

27. In your opinion, **how do injections act** in the body?

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28. What are the **advantages** and **disadvantages** of taking **injections**?

a. Advantages
b. Disadvantages

29. If for a particular disease, **oral drugs and injections** are **equally effective** and available, what will you **prefer** and why?

30. Could you please describe different **types** of **syringes and needles** you know about?

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31. Which one do you think is **better** and **why**?

32. In your opinion, **who gives** the **injections**?

Place	Who Prescribes	Who gives injections
a. At Government health facility		
b. At Private health facility		
c. At other places (including home, chemist shops, camps)		

33. What are the **differences** in the injections given by different **injection givers**?

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34. In your opinion, what **precautions** should be observed in **using** the **syringes and needles**?

35. Some people develop **complications** after **injection**. **Why** do they occur?

36. What **diseases** can be spread due to **unsafe injection** practices?

37. Do people in your area take their **own syringes and needles** when they go to a doctor/health provider? If yes, what are the **reasons** for their doing so?

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38. How do the health care providers in your area **dispose** the **used syringes and needles**?

a. PHC / Sub center / Govt. dispensary
b. Immunization Clinic (Outreach clinics)
c. Private clinics / hospitals
d. At home

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39. In your opinion, what are the **risks** associated with **used syringes and needles**?

a. To waste handlers
b. To community

40. Are **syringes and needles** easily **available** near your residence?

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41. In your opinion, for which **illnesses / diseases injections** are more **effective**?
(**Probe:** Stage / severity of illness)

a. For children
b. For men
c. For women

42. People **prefer** to take **injection** in spite of the **pain**, what is the **reason** for their preference?

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43. Sometimes **injections** are given even when these are **unnecessary**.
What are the **reasons** for this?

44. What are the **beliefs / rumors / customs / rituals** in the community
regarding injection?

a. Curative

b. Immunization

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45. What is the **influence** of the following on the current injection practices in the community / area? (Spontaneous answers to be recorded thereafter probing to be done)

a. Doctors
b. Injection givers
c. Family members /Elders
d. Neighbors /Friends
e. Teachers
f. Leaders
g. NGOs / CBOs
h. Chemists

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46. Currently how is the **community made aware** about:

a. Appropriate use of injectable drugs
b. Safe injection procedure -Sterilization -Giving injections
c. Complications of injections
d. Disposal of used syringes and needles

47. In your opinion how can **community participation** be increased to promote safe and appropriate use of injections?

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48. Of late, there is lot of talk about increasing number of **HIV/AIDS and Jaundice cases** in the communities. What **impact** did this have on injection practices in your community?

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