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Dr meshkah meeting 4

Semi-structured interview sections (provided by the doctor):

- **Warm-up:**

Consent should be written. Use online forms for both participation and recording. Interviews can be conducted online or on campus, and participants should be anonymized using codes.

You can send the online form along with the invitation message and participation information sheet.

- **Core section:**

Includes main questions, sub-questions, and probes (flexible and can start from any theme). You may add probes during the conversation even if they are not pre-written. These can be noted as side notes so others can use them later (minor edits are allowed).

- **Closing section:** Ask for clarification if needed.

Choosing participants:

- **Technique:** Purposive sampling technique (mention in methods).
- **Sample size:** Depends on data saturation. For example, if similar information is obtained from 12 participants and no new themes emerge, data collection can be stopped.

Pilot study:

Conduct with 2–3 students to test the interview guide and train yourself. Check for ambiguity, clarity, and understanding. It also helps estimate the duration of the study.

Recording:

Recording can start from the beginning after the introduction. Avoid mentioning names; instead, use coded identifiers for participants.

Language:

Use either Arabic or English, depending on your preference.