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Women and eHealth

WeHealth

Informal Interviews Guide

The 10 Questions

The Women and eHealth International Working Group develops a series of guides¹ for its members in order to facilitate the research process described in the WeHealth Workplan 2011² and prepare the Millennia2015 International Conference at the UNESCO, Paris, 21 – 22 November 2011. The information³ collection is the first step of this process and looks at giving a voice to local communities and silent populations living in difficult conditions.

In complement of the Information Collection Guide, this document provides **a list of 10 questions to conduct informal interviews or conversations with local women**. It aims at collecting their opinions and ideas on the use of ICTs for health that will contribute to establish future Millennia2015 Action Plans for women's empowerment at local level.

Photos and videos of the interviews are welcomed to lively illustrate women using ICTs for health.

Target audiences

- Women

At all ages, if possible in low income settings, urban slums, rural communities

-1. Women as Beneficiaries

Who are they; patients and mothers with young children, girls, adolescents.

Where to find them; in hospitals, health centers, clinics

-2. Women as Users

Who are they; health professionals, nurses, doctors, pharmacists, labs technicians, midwives

Where to find them; in hospitals, health centers, clinics

-3. Women as Builders

Who are they; engineers, technician, telecom specialists, ICT specialists, ICT designers, computers

Where to find them; in universities, professional schools, industry, private sector, telecom companies and providers

-4. Women as Leaders

Who are they; parliamentarian, politics, ministries, presidents, CEO, First ladies, professors

Where to find them; governments, private industry, companies, foundations, universities

¹ Available on Millennia2015 website : millennia2015.org

² See reference above

³ Information covers a large range of different data and materials such as statistics, graphics, maps, articles, publications, projects or stories.

A particular attention will be given to specific contexts in countries:

- 1. Women living in rural communities
 - 2. Girls living in slums in cities
 - 3. Women living in conflicts, wars or disasters
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- Health

- at all levels, community, regional, national, international and related education in health promotion and prevention

- ICTs and Technologies

- from the simpler such as local radios, TV, mobile phones to the most sophisticated such as telemedicine, teleradiology, teleimagery...

Questionnaire

Question 1: Do you have access to a mobile phone?

Yes No Specify cost/month or per call

Question 2: Do you have access to Internet?

Yes No Specify cost/month or per connection

Question 3: Do you have the opportunity to learn how to use internet and mobile phone, or to ask somebody to help you with this?

Yes No Specify what kind of help you get

Question 4: Do you use your mobile or internet to communicate with the health center?

Yes No Specify : what makes you call the health center?, who do you talk to?

Question 5: Do you receive health information on your mobile or internet?

Yes No Specify: Do you pay anything? How much?

Question 6: Would you like to receive health information on your mobile or internet in your local language?

Yes No Specify: What kind of information you would like to receive

Question 7: Are radios and TV informing on issues related to women’s health?

Yes No Specify: What topics do they talk about?

Question 8: Can women get information about pregnancy?

Yes No Specify: Where do they get the information (radio, TV, internet, mobile, other)

Question 9: Do you have problems contacting the health center?

Yes No If the answer is yes, can you tell us why?

Question 10: What are your wishes and ideas to improve the access and use of technologies for health by women?

Additional comments and suggestions

Interviewer profile : Woman/Man - Country – Age - Profession

Are you a WeHealth member? Yes No

Interviewee profile: Woman/Man – Country – Age - Profession

Is he or she a WeHealth member? Yes No

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