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Appendix 1: People in Prison Interview Information Sheet

Introduction

We would like to invite you to take part in the prisons health interview but before you decide, please read the following information.

What is the purpose of this interview?

The purpose of this interview is to understand the health needs of people in prison to support planning for healthcare service delivery and review the standards of care in prisons. We want to hear your views to feed into a report which will also look at prison health leadership and governance, healthcare financing, human resources for prison healthcare, healthcare delivery, as well as the impact of the prison environment and regime on health. We will also be talking to people who work in the prison and with other agencies.

The aim is to provide recommendations to the prison and government departments in the Virgin Islands.

Who is doing the interview?

The interviews will be conducted by **insert interviewers here** from **insert organisation here**.

Who is being asked to participate?

We will be interviewing people held in all units at the **insert prison name here**.

Do I have to take part?

You don't have to take part in this interview – it is your choice. Taking part in this interview is voluntary. If you would prefer not to take part, you do not have to give a reason and no pressure will be put on you to try and change your mind. You can change your mind about taking part at any time.

What will be involved if I take part?

If you agree to be interviewed, you will be asked questions that will cover the different services that are available to people in prison. This will take approximately one hour of your time.

Will the information I give be kept confidential?

Yes. All your responses will be kept confidential within the project team and used for the purposes of the health needs assessment. All information will be used in a way that will not allow you to be identified individually. Only the project team will have access to the information collected. All personal information will be stored securely. All data handling procedures are in accordance with the **insert relevant regulations here*.*

The only exception to this would be if you tell us something that raises concerns about your safety, or the safety of others. If this happens, we would have to inform the appropriate prison staff.

What will happen to the results of the interview?

The team will publish a report of the results with some recommendations. This may include anonymous quotes from the interviews, with any identifying information removed.

If you agree to take part, would like more information or have any questions or concerns about the interview please contact *insert project lead here*, the project lead.

UK Overseas Territories Prison Health Needs Assessment Toolkit – Appendix 2024 Thank you for taking the time to read this information sheet.

Appendix 2: People in Prison Interview Consent Form

Initials 1. I have read and understood the participant information sheet 2. I understand what the participation in the interview will involve, and all my questions have been answered to my satisfaction 3. I understand I can ask any questions at any time before and during the interview 4. I understand what will happen to the information collected from me during the interview 5. I understand that quotes from my interview may be used in the health needs analysis report and other publications, but that my name or any identifying information will not be included 6. I understand that I can choose not to answer any question, without giving a reason 7. I understand that I can decide to stop the interview at any time, without giving a reason 8. I understand that participation is completely voluntary and I agree to take part in the interview **Data Protection** 9. I agree to **insert organisation here** collecting and storing my personal data which I have supplied. I understand that my data will be handled securely in compliance with *insert relevant regulations here*. 10. I understand that everything I say in the interview is completely confidential and that **insert organisation here** will not share my personal data or interview notes with anyone outside of the organisation, including the prison and Virgin Islands aovernment. 11. I understand that the only exception to the above statement is if the interviewer is concerned that I am going to harm myself or someone else Participant name (capitals):.... Signature:.... Date:.... Interviewer (capitals):..... Date:..... Date:

Please read each statement and write your initials in the box to confirm agreement.

Remember - the interview is **completely voluntary** meaning you do not have to take part. If you do not want to be interviewed, you want more time to decide whether you want to be interviewed, or you want to stop the interview at any point, please tell the interviewer.

Appendix 3: Prison Health Workers Interview Questionnaire

Question number	Question	Answer
	nformation	1
1	Interview date:	
2	Interviewer	
3	Interviewee name:	
4	Interviewee role:	
5	Interviewee organisation:	
6	**Additional context/background:	
Health se	ervice delivery	
2	What are the main health conditions/health complaints you see here in the prison?	
3	What are the strengths of the health service as a whole?	
4	What are the weaknesses of the health service as a whole?	
Reception		
5	Is every new detainee given a medical	
6	examination on his or her arrival? Who performs the medical examination?	 Nurse Doctor Officer
		Other - specify
7	**Additional information related to person performing medical examination:	
8	Is a complete medical history of the patient recorded?	
9	Is a physical examination carried out? If so, what does this involve?	
10	If someone was being treated in the community, is continuity of care ensured in prison? How do prison health services communicate with other healthcare providers?	
11	On reception are people screened for TB?	 Yes, always Yes, sometimes No, never Not sure
12	On reception are people screened for HIV?	 Yes, always Yes, sometimes No, never Not sure
13	On reception are people screened for STIs other than HIV?	 Yes, always Yes, sometimes No, never Not sure
14	On reception are people screened for addiction to drugs and alcohol?	 Yes, always Yes, sometimes No, never Not sure

15	On reception are people screened for mental health conditions?	 Yes, always Yes, sometimes No, never Not sure
16	On reception are women screened for pregnancy and particular kinds of illnesses or disease that might affect them??	 Yes, always Yes, sometimes No, never Not sure
17	**Additional information related to screenings:	
18	Where are the results from screenings and reception health assessments recorded?	
19	Is a medical file opened for each person upon arrival in prison?	 Yes, always Yes, sometimes No, never Not sure
Health	services	·
20	Do you think people in prison have the same access to and quality of services as people in the community?	
21	Do people in prison have access to dental care? If so, what services are available?	
22	Are patients ever referred to mental health services in the community?	
23	What physical facilities are available (OPD/IPD/laboratory, dental clinic, surgery, isolation ward, dressing room, pharmacy, waiting area, etc.)?	
24	Do you face any shortages with regard to running water, electricity, lights, office furniture, etc.?	
25	How do you dispose of medical waste?	
26	What is the procedure for sterilization?	
27	How easy or difficult is it to ensure confidentiality/privacy?	
28	To what extent do you think medical confidentiality is respected in these consultations?	
29	Are detainees told, orally or in writing, how they can get access to medical care?	
30	Who decides which detainees need medical consultations? E.g., nurse, officer, another detainee? Describe the procedure for seeing the doctor/nurse.	
31	Does the health staff tour all the cells every day, once a week, once a month or never? And which staff members do this?	
32	Do members of the security staff ever block detainees' access to health care?	
33	Where do consultations take place?	
34	Who usually carries out the consultations? e.g. nurse, doctor, someone else	
35	How is follow-up usually arranged? Do you give a detainee a second appointment, or do detainees have to contact you again if their problem persists?	
36	How does a detainee get in touch with health staff outside office hours?	
37	How do detainees contact health staff when there is an emergency? How long does it take? Describe the procedure: during the day, at night, and on weekends?	
38	Are there specific guidelines for diagnosing or treating illnesses and disease, or for any medical procedures? How are they used?	

39	Do specialists come to the prison? If so, what specialists and when/how often? <i>E.g. dentists, psychiatrists etc.</i>		
Specific	c services and groups		
40	How is the detection, diagnosis and treatment of TB (within prison and upon release) organized? Is it possible to isolate patients? If so, for how long? Where can they be isolated? Is DOTS used to treat patients?		
41	How is HIV dealt with (VCT, link with community programmes)?		
42	How are HIV-positive detainees treated? Are they isolated?		
43	What treatment and support is available for people with drug and alcohol addiction?		
44	What are the most common kinds of drug addiction in the prison?		
45	What support is available for disabled people in prison?		
Women			
46	Is there a female doctor for women?		
47	How is follow-up carried out for pregnant women?		
48	Are women allowed to keep their babies/infants with them in prison? Up to what age?		
49	Are the babies/infants immunized?		
50	Are sanitary products and other supplies for women provided free of chargeby the prison?		
Second	ary and tertiary care	1	
51	Describe the procedure for making referrals. Are referral facilities readily accessible? Is transport always available? How do you deal with security issues?		
52	Do all categories of detainee have the same degree of access? Are some given preferential treatment?		
53	What is the procedure for referring emergency cases? During the day? At night? During holidays?		
54	How are mass casualties (the ailing or the wounded) managed? What are the procedures?		
55	How is referral for specialized consultation, further investigation (e.g. lab test, scan, X-ray) or hospitalization organized? Who is authorized to make referrals?		
56	How long does it take to get access to external health facilities? Is there a waiting list? If so, how is it managed?		
57	Is specialized consultation/investigation/hospitalization free of charge? If so, is it based on an agreement between the prison and public and/or private health systems?		
58	Is there a special room for detainees in public hospitals? How many beds are available for detainees?		

59	What do specialists have to do to ensure follow-up for patient-detainees?	
Medic	al supplies	·
60	What medical equipment is available (in the OPD, the IPD, and the laboratory)?	 Yes Partially/somewhat No
61	Do you think the medical equipment is sufficient for you to carry out your job effectively?	
62	Are prisons equipped on the basis of a standard list?	
63	What body or government agency is in charge of the drug supply?	
64	Is there an essential/standard drug list?	
65	Is there a difference between the drugs available for prisons and those available at public health centres?	
66	What is the budget for medical supplies at this prison?	
67	How is the budget for medical supplies calculated?	
68	What is the procedure for requesting drugs and medical items?	
69	How are needs for drugs and medical items calculated? Are calculations based on consumption?	
70	Drug delivery: How are they delivered and by whom? How long does it take? Are they made uninterruptedly? Do you always get what you request?	
71	Are drugs available adequate to deal with the illness and disease in the prison?	
72	Are the drugs stored in the prisons? How is this managed? Who is in charge? Are expiry dates respected?	
73	Do you get some drugs directly through NGOs? Are these deliveries recorded	
74	How is medication paid for? Are they provided free of charge to people in prison? Do families have to buy medicines for their detained relatives?	
75	Do detainees have access to TB and HIV/AIDS drugs free of charge?	
76	What are the strengths of the system in relation to medical supplies?	
77	What are the weaknesses of the system in relation to medical supplies?	
Health	n promotion and prevention	
78	What preventive services (vaccinations, screening for hepatitis, screening for TB, isoniazid therapy for preventing TB in HIV- positive detainees, mother and child care, etc.) are available? How can detainees get access to them?	
79	Are detainees given routine health advice (on nutrition, exercise, drugs, immunization, VCT, etc.)?	
80	Are there any health promotion/health education activities in the prison? If so, what? Who is involved?	

81	What health promotion and stress management services are available for health and security staff?		
82	Are COVID-19 vaccinations offered to detainees and staff? If so, what has uptake been?		
83	Were/are there COVID-19 protocols in place? If so, who created these and how were they implemented/enforced?		
Physic	al and social determinants of health		
84	What are the most problematic determinants of health in the prison/s? (select all that apply)	🛛 Living	quantity and quality space and occupancy,
		Perso hygier	ation on quantity and quality nal and general ne (hygiene items, ng materials, etc.)
		Outdo duration recreation	or access: Frequency, on, physical exercise, ational activities
85	If answered 'other' above, specify:	Other	- specify
86	Additional information on physical and social determinants of health in the prison:		
Leader	ship and governance		
87	What do you think about the leadership in the prison?		
88	How are health services organized in this prison and what are the health system's links with the ministry of health?		
89	Do you get any support from the health ministry (training, supervision, vertical programmes, etc.)?		
90	Who is responsible/accountable for the health of people in prison?		
91	Do you have specific SOP for providing health care?	 ❑ Yes ❑ No ❑ Not su ❑ Prefer 	ure • not to say
92	Additional information on SOPs, e.g. how are they applied?		,
93	Do you have any agreements or MoUs with partners (the health ministry, the ministry in charge of prisons, NGOs, etc.)?		
94	Are there any health organizations working in partnership with you in the prison?		
95	If not, what do you think the main issues are and what could help improve things?		
Health	information systems: medical records a	d confident	iality
96	Does the prison clinic have and keep records of individual patients (medical files)?	 Yes No Not su Preference 	ure • not to say
97	**Additional information on prison clinic medical records of individual patients:		*
98	How complete are the files (diagnostic, treatment etc)? What is the percentage of complete files e.g. out of a randomly selected sample of 30 patients?		

99	How are patient medical records filed and stored? E.g., Paper and/or electronic? Are there backups?	
100	What happens to medical records when patients are referred?	
101	What kinds of recording and reporting tools/forms are used? Who do reports get sent to? How often?	
102	Are there statistics for number of consultations?	 Yes No Partially Not sure Prefer not to say
103	Are there statistics for number of referrals?	 Ye No Partially Not sure Prefer not to say
104	Are there statistics for mortality?	 Yes No Partially Not sure Prefer not to say
105	Are there statistics for morbidity? e.g. registers for people with diabetes, hypertension, HIV etc.	 Yes No Partially Not sure Prefer not to say
106	Additional information related to statistics collected:	
107	Are data compiled in the same way as the health ministry? Are these statistics shared with the health ministry?	
108	Are statistics on notifiable diseases (e.g. TB, acute watery diarrhoea, haemorrhagic fever) recorded separately and shared with the national vertical programme?	 Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say
109	Are statistics on addiction/substance misuse recorded separately and shared with the national vertical programme?	 Yes No Not sure/partially Prefer not to say
110	Additional information on statistics reported/shared:	
111	Strengths of health information systems:	
112 113	Weaknesses of health information systems: Additional information on health information systems:	
Health	care financing	
114	Is there a specific budget for health care in prisons?	 Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say
115	Additional information on specific healthcare budget for prison:	
116	How is the healthcare budget calculated (on the basis of daily expenditure per detainee)?	
117	Is the healthcare budget a yearly one or is it split over the year (or other)?	
118	Are there ever delays in receiving funds?	
119	Strengths of healthcare financing system:	
120	Weaknesses of healthcare financing system:	

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121	Additional information on healthcare financing system:		
Humar	n resources for healthcare		
122	How many health professionals are there in prisons and what are their qualifications?		
123	Are external health professionals involved in the provision of health care in prisons?	-	
124	Are there enough health-care staff in the prison?		Yes - always No - never Not sure - sometimes Prefer not to say
125	How are health staff recruited and assigned responsibilities? Are there any difficulties?		
126	Are prison health staff's salaries and benefits similar to those of their counterparts in the public health system?		
127	Are working conditions for prison health staff similar to those of their counterparts working outside prisons?		
128	Is there a shift system for health staff? Does it include nights and weekends?		
129	Do staff members have regular internal meetings? Who participates?		
130	Do health staff get training?		Yes – often Yes - sometimes No - never Not sure
131	Are health staff supervised? If yes, by whom, and is the supervision systematic?		
132	Do your superiors give you their feedback regularly? Do you meet regularly with your supervisors and with prison authorities and district health managers?		
133	Strengths of human resources:		
134	Weaknesses of human resources:		
135	Additional information related to human resources:		
Specif	ic situations		
136	What are the procedures for segregation/solitary confinement?		
137	What are the procedures for people with terminal illness?		
138	What are the procedures for deaths in custody?		
139	What are the procedures for other specific situations e.g. hunger strikes?		

Appendix 4: People in Prison (PIP) Short Survey

This survey is for **all** people in this prison. We would like to hear your opinions on your own health the healthcare services here at the prison.

What you write will be kept confidential and anonymous - we don't ask for your name on the form. Please try to answer all the questions, but if there are any questions that you don't want to answer you can leave them blank.

If you have any questions or want to speak to someone about this survey, please ask an officer.

Question	Question	Answe	r
number	Question		tick the box next to your answer
1	Which prison unit/wing do you live in?		
2	Tick the box next to the one which one describes you		Male or Man Female or Woman Other - please write:
3	How old are you (in years)?		years
4	How old were you when you left school or education (in years)?		years
5	Where were you living before you came into prison?		
6	What is your nationality?		
7	How would you describe your ethnic group?		Black/African White/Caucasian Hispanic/Latino Other, please write:
8	Are you sentenced or on remand?		Sentenced On remand
9	If sentenced, how long is your total expected sentence in prison?		_ years and months On remand - not applicable
10	Have you been in prison before?		Yes No
11	Have you used healthcare services here at the prison?		Yes No Not sure
12	How would you rate your physical health today ?		Very good Good Ok Bad Very bad
13	How would you rate your mental wellbeing today?		Very good Good Ok Bad Very Bad
14	How would you rate the services for physical health at the prison?		Very good Good Ok Bad

		□ Very Bad
15	How would you rate the services for mental health at the prison?	 Very good Good Ok Bad Very Bad
16	What are the best things about health and wellbeing services in the prison?	
17	What are the biggest problems with health and wellbeing in the prison?	
18	What do you think would improve the health and wellbeing of people in prison?	

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Question number	Question	Answer
Survey inf	ormation	
1	Interview date:	
2	Interviewer name:	
	Information sheet has been read and written consent has been obtained	 Yes No Yes, but withdrew consent during interview
3	Interviewee number:	
4	First name (optional):	
5	Interview language	 Spanish English Other - please write:
6	Prison unit/wing	 AD (segregation) B (Induction remand) C (remand) C (sentenced) D (segregation) E (sentenced long term) F (Women sentenced + remand) G (work) H (vulnerable) J (vulnerable) Prefer not to say
7	**Additional information/context:	
Demograp	hic information	
8	Sex	 Male Female Other - please write:
9	How old are you (in years)?	
10	How old were you when you left school or education (in years)?	
11	What is the highest level of education you have completed?	 No formal schooling Less than primary school Primary school completed Secondary school completed High school completed College/university completed Post-graduate degree completed
12	What is your cultural/ethnic background?	 Black African Black Caribbean White/Caucasian Hispanic/Latino Mixed East Indian Other - specify Prefer not to say
13	Where were you living before you came into prison?	
14	Where were you born?	
15	What is your nationality?	
16	What is your marital status?	 Single/never married Currently married

		Separated
		Divorced
		Widowed
		Co-habiting
		Prefer not to say
17	Do you have children?	Yes
		No
		Not sure
		Prefer not to say
18	Prison status	Sentenced
10		On remand
		Prefer not to say
19	How long have you been in prison	
15		
	so far during your current	
20	imprisonment? (in months)	Yes
20	Have you been in prison before?	
		No
		Prefer not to say
21	Which of these situations best	Stable accomodation
	describes where you lived before	Homeless or unstable accomodation
	you came into prison?	Other - specify
		Prefer not to say
22	Which of these best describes	Regularly employed
	your employment status before	Occasionally employed
	you came into prison?	Unemployed looking for work/training
		Unemployed not looking for work/training
		Unemployed and looking after home and/or
		family members
		Student (full-time education or traning)
		Other - specify
		Prefer not to say
23	Additional qualitative information	
23	Additional qualitative information related to this section of	
23		
	related to this section of questions:	
	related to this section of	
	related to this section of questions:	
Health ser	related to this section of questions:	Yes
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29	Do you think your health has improved or gotten worse since being in prison?	Yes - improved Yes - worsened No - no change Not sure
30	**Additional information related to any changes in health since being in prison (e.g. physical or mental health, how has health changed):	Prefer not to say
31	Were you given a medical examination when you first arrived at or entered this prison?	Yes - verbal questions and physical examination Yes - verbal questions only Yes - physical examination No - no medical examination Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
32	If you were given a medical examination, who was it carried out by?	Nurse Doctor Prison officer Other - specify Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
33	Upon arrival at the prison, were you told how the prison healthcare system works and how to get access to healthcare?	Yes - verbally Yes - written No - no explanation Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
34	Have you ever tried to access medical care or assistance since you arrived in this prison?	Yes No Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
35	**Additional information related to ease of access to medical care:	
36	Have you ever had a consultation/appointment with a prison doctor/nurse?	Yes No Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
37	Have you ever been prescribed or given any medication in prison?	Yes No Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
38	What happened if your health problem(s) persisted after treatment or after a consultation? What did you do? (Describe the process)	
39	Have you, or anyone in your cell/wing, ever had a health emergency? A health emergency is a serious health concern requiring immediate attention e.g. heart attack, seizure, overdose, suicide attempt	Yes No Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
40	Have you ever had to be referred from prison to a hospital/specialist?	Yes No Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
41	If you needed medicines after being referred to a hospital/specialist, who provided them after the consultation or after they were prescribed?	Hospital Prison clinic Family Other inmates Other - specify Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say

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	Do you know, or have you heard		Yes
	of any people in this prison, who		No
	are/were addicted to drugs or		Not sure
	alcohol?		Prefer not to say
43	Please describe the support		
	available for helping people to quit		
	drugs or alcohol:		
44	What do you think could help		
	reduce addiction to drugs and		
	alcohol in this prison?		
45	Do you know, or have you heard		Yes
	of, any people in this prison, who		No
	have or have had mental health		Not sure
	problems?		Prefer not to say
46	Please describe the support		
40	available for people with mental		
	health problems:		
47	What do you think could help		
47			
	improve the mental health of		
40	people in prison?		N
48	Do you know, or have you heard		Yes
	of, anyone in the prison who is		No
	living with a disability (physical or		Not sure
	mental)?		Prefer not to say
49	Please describe the support		
	available for people living with a		
	disability:	_	
50	Do you know anyone in this		Yes
	prison who is living with TB?		No
			Not sure
			Prefer not to say
51	Do you know anyone in this		Yes
	prison who is living with HIV or		No
	AIDS?		Not sure
			Prefer not to say
52	**Additional information related to		
	TB and/or HIV/AIDS:		
	While at this prison, have you		TD
53	willie at this photin, have you		ТВ
53	been given information about or		HV/AIDS
53			
53	been given information about or		HIV/AIDS
53	been given information about or instruction of any kind with		HIV/AIDS COVID-19
53	been given information about or instruction of any kind with		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify
53	been given information about or instruction of any kind with		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember
53	been given information about or instruction of any kind with		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction
	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to:		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say
	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes
	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No
	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison?		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison?		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison?		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison?		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison?		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family Other (specify)
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison?		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family Other (specify) Not sure
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison? Who provides dentures? **Additional information related to		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family Other (specify) Not sure
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison? Who provides dentures? **Additional information related to dental services (e.g. waiting		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family Other (specify) Not sure
54	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison? Who provides dentures? **Additional information related to dental services (e.g. waiting times, access, quality etc.)		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family Other (specify) Not sure
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54 55 56	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison? Who provides dentures? **Additional information related to dental services (e.g. waiting times, access, quality etc.) Are you asked your opinions about how the healthcare service		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family Other (specify) Not sure Prefer not to say Yes
54 55 56	been given information about or instruction of any kind with regards to: Do you have access to dental care at this prison? Who provides dentures? **Additional information related to dental services (e.g. waiting times, access, quality etc.) Are you asked your opinions		HIV/AIDS COVID-19 Other health issues - specify Not sure/don't remember No information or instruction Prefer not to say Yes No Not sure Prefer not to say Dentist Prison Family Other (specify) Not sure Prefer not to say Yes No

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58	Please describe the systems in place and the process for using them:	
59	How would you rate the services for physical health at the prison?	 Very good Good Ok Bad Very bad Prefer not to say
60	**Additional information related to physical health services:	
61	How would you rate the services for mental health at the prison?	 Very good Good Ok Bad Very bad Prefer not to say
62	**Additional information related to mental health services:	
63	On a scale of 1-10 how satisfied are you overall with healthcare services in the prison? (1- 3= unsatisfied; 4-6 = average; 7-10 = satisfied)	
64	Have you experienced any changes in either access to or quality of health care during the past year?	 Yes - improvements Yes - worsening No - no change Not sure/don't remember Prefer not to say
65	**Additional information related to satisfaction with overall services and changes over past year:	
66	What are the best things about healthcare services in prison? (i.e. what things are working well)	
67	What are the biggest problems or challenges related to health services?	
68	What do you think would improve the prison healthcare services?	
Physical a	and social determinants of he	alth
69	Do you have contact with family or friends outside of prison virtually (e.g. by telepone, Whatsapp, FaceTime)?	 Yes No - no virtual contact Not sure Prefer not to say
70	Do you have contact with family or friends outside of prison in- person (e.g. through visits)?	 Yes No - no virtual contact Not sure Prefer not to say
71	Do you feel that contact with your family or friends is supported by the prison?	 Yes - supported Neither supported nor unsupported No - unsupported Not sure Prefer not to say
72	What would make contact with family or friends better/easier?	
73	How would you rate the prison water supply (e.g. quality and quantity)?	 Very good Good Ok/Average Bad Very bad Prefer not to say

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74	**Additional information related to prison water supply:		
75	How would you rate the prison		Very good
_	living conditions (e.g. occupancy		Good
	and ventilation)?		Ok/Average
	, ,		Bad
			Very bad
			Prefer not to say
76	**Additional information related to prison living conditions:		
77	How would you rate the prison		Very good
	food and nutrition (e.g. quantity,		Good
	quality etc.)		Ok/Average
			Bad
			Very bad
			Prefer not to say
78	**Additional information related to prison food and nutrition:		
79	How would you rate the prison		Very good
	personal and general hygiene		Good
	(e.g. supply of hygiene items,		Ok/Average
	cleaning materials, etc.)		Bad
			Very bad
80	**Additional information related to		Prefer not to say
80	prison hygiene:		
81	How would you rate the prison		Very good
	access to outdoor and		Good
	recreational activities (e.g.,		Ok/Average
	frequency, duration, physical		Bad
	exercise, equipment etc.)		Very bad
			Prefer not to say
82	**Additional information related to prison outdoor and recreational		
	activities:		
83	How would you rate the prison		Very good
	access to and quality of		Good
	educational and work		Ok/Average
	programmes?		Bad
			Very bad
			Prefer not to say
84	**Additional information related to		
	prison educational and work programmes:		
85	How would you rate the support		Very good
	from the prison around		Good
	rehabilitation and re-integration		Ok/Average
	back into the community after		Bad
	prison?		Very bad
	E.g. emotional/social support,		Prefer not to say
	employment, housing, drug/alcohol dependence support etc.		
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Lifestyle-r	elated health behaviours		
86	In a typical week, on how many		
	days do you eat fruit?		
87	How many servings of fruit do you		
	eat on one of those days?		
88	In a typical week, on how many		
	days do you eat vegetables?		
89	How many servings of vegetables		
1	do you eat on one of those days?	1	

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90	Have you ever been given any advice or support to eat at least five servings of fruit and		Yes No Not sure/don't remember
	vegetables by the prison?		Prefer not to say
91	How often do you add salt or a		Always
	salty sauce such as soya sauce to		Often
	your food?		Sometimes
			Rarely
			Never
			Not sure
			Prefer not to say
92	Have you ever been given any		Yes
52			No
	advice or support to reduce salt in	_	
	your diet by the prison?		Not sure/don't remember
			Prefer not to say
93	Have you ever been given any		Yes
	advice or support to reduce fat in		No
	your diet by the prison?		Not sure/don't remember
			Prefer not to say
94	**Additional information related to diet:		
95	In a typical week, on how many		
	days do you do physical activity or		
	exercise?		
96	How much time do you spend		
	doing physical activity or exercise		
	on a typical day (in minutes)?		
97	What type of exercise(s) do you		
97	usually do?		
98	Have you ever been given any		Yes
90			
	advice or support on how to start		No
	or do more physical activity or		Not sure
	exercise by the prison?		Prefer not to say
99	Have you ever been given any		Yes
	advice or support on how to		No
	maintain a healthy body weight or		Not sure
	lose weight by the prison?		Prefer not to say
100	Do you currently smoke any		Yes
	tobacco products, such as		No
	cigarettes, cigars or pipes?		Prefer not to say
101	If you smoke another kind of		
	tobacco product, specify which		
	and how much consumed each		
	week:		
102	**Additional information related to		
102	smoking:		
103	Have you ever consumed any		Yes
105			
	alcohol such as beer, wine,		No
	spirits, hooch/home brewed		Not sure
	alcohol or [add other local		Prefer not to say
	examples]?	_	
104	Have you consumed any alcohol		Yes
	while in prison?		No
			Not sure
			Prefer not to say
105	**Additional information related to		
	alcohol consumption or alcohol		
	services in the prison:		
	•		
Non-com	nunicable disease history		
	-		
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106	Have you had your blood		Yes
1	pressure measured by a doctor or		No

	other health worker while in	Not sure/don't remember
	prison?	Prefer not to say
107	Have you ever been told by a doctor or other health worker that	Yes No
	you have raised blood pressure or	Not sure/don't remember
	hypertension (in prison or outside	Prefer not to say
	of prison)?	
108	Have you had your blood sugar	Yes
	measured by a doctor or other	No
	health worker while in prison?	Not sure/don't remember
		Prefer not to say
109	Have you ever been told by a	Yes
	doctor or other health worker that	No
	you have raised blood sugar or	Not sure/don't remember
	diabetes?	Prefer not to say
110	**Additional information related to diabetes:	
111	Have you ever had your	Yes
	cholesterol (fat levels in your	No
	blood) measured by a doctor or	Not sure/don't remember
	other health worker while in prison?	Prefer not to say
112	Have you ever had a heart attack	Yes
	or chest pain from heart disease	No
	(angina) or a stroke	Not sure/don't remember
	(cerebrovascular accident or	Prefer not to say
	incident)?	
113	Are you currently taking aspirin	Yes
	regularly to prevent or treat heart	No
	disease?	Not sure/don't remember
		Prefer not to say
114	Are you currently taking statins	Yes
	(Lovastatin/Simvastatin/Atorvastat	No
	in or any other statin) regularly to	Not sure/don't remember
	prevent or treat heart disease?	Prefer not to say
115	Final comments:	

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Question number	Question	Answer					
Survey and interviewee information							
1	Interview date:						
2	Interviewer/s:						
3	Interviewee name:						
4	Interviewee role:						
5	Interviewee organisation:						
Health se	rvices						
6	What is your perception of people in prison's overall health and wellbeing?						
7	How well do you think services for physical healthcare are working?						
8	How well do you think services for mental healthcare are working?						
9	Do you think detainees have as much access to health services as people in the community?	 Yes No Not sure/somewhat Prefer not to say 					
10	To what extent are medical ethics respected?						
11	What are the most challenging aspects of healthcare in the prison and how do you think they could be improved?						
12	What aspects of healthcare work well in the prison?						
13	**Additional information related to detainees' access to health services?						
Physical	and social determinants						
14	What is the most problematic determinant of health in this prison?	 Water quality and quantity Living space and occupancy, ventilation Nutrition quality and quantity Personal and general hygiene (hygiene items, cleaning materials, etc.) Outdoor access: frequency, duration, physical exercise, recreational activities Educational, work and vocational activities Other - specify 					
15	**Additional information related to water:						
16	**Additional information related to living space:						
17	**Additional information related to nutrition:						
18	**Additional information related to hygiene:						
19	**Additional information related to physical activity and recreation						

20	**Additional information related to education, work and vocational activities:	
21	Do you think detainees are supported in maintaining contact with families and social networks outside of prison?	Yes No Not sure/somewhat Prefer not to say
22	Additional information related to contact with family and social network outside prison:	
23	Do you think there is good integration back into community life when people leave prison?	Yes No Not sure/somewhat Prefer not to say
24	Additional information related to integration back into community life when people leave prison	
25	Do you think prisoners can complain? Is it easy to file a complaint if they are not happy with their healthcare?	
26	Where do you see other gaps, challenges, or areas of concern?	
27	What can be done to improve the overall wellbeing of people in prison?	
Staff cond	cerns and wellbeing	
28	What are the relationships like between officers and health staff	
29	What are the relationships like between officers and health staff	
30	What are the main issues facing staff (health and non-health)?	
31	What do you think could help improve staff wellbeing and working conditions?	