

## Appendix A: Drug professional interview pro forma

<b>Respondent organisation:</b>	<b>Respondent name:</b>	<b>Location:</b>	<b>Respondent Type:</b>
<b>Phone Number:</b>	<b>Time of Interview:</b>	<b>Date of interview:</b>	<b>Interviewer:</b>
<b>Recontact for wave 2: YES / NO</b>		<b>Contact details of any other professionals recommended</b>	

### **SUMMARY NOTES ON THE INTERVIEW**

(Give brief summary of interview. Were there any particular issues that were of importance to them? What are the one or two key main findings from this interview? – Overall feelings only – specifics dealt with in following sections)

**1. Local Context**

Notes/observations

Respondent Quotes

Work with drug users ↑

How long working for organisation:

Role of organisation

Individual role

Details of any local pilots & partnerships/relationships between them and other orgs

<b>2. Use Profile</b>	<b>Notes/observations</b>	<b>Respondent quotes</b>
<p><b>General picture of drug use</b></p>	<p>What is the general pattern of drug use in the area? How has it changed over the last 6-12 months?</p>	
<p><b>Specific drug use issues</b></p> <p>DRUG 1: insert below            .....</p>	<p>For Drug 1 mentioned above what is the <u>current</u> situation with regards to poly-drug use? Routes of administration? Demographic composition of users? Seasonal usage? Recreational vs problematic use?</p> <p>How has this changed over last 6-12 months and how will it change in next 6 months? Why?</p>	

**2. Use Profile**

**Notes/observations**

**Respondent quotes**

**Specific drug use issues**  
DRUG 2: insert below  
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For Drug 2 mentioned above what is the current situation with regards to poly-drug use? Routes of administration? Demographic composition of users? Seasonal usage? Recreational vs problematic use?

How has this changed over last 6-12 months and how will it change in next 6 months? Why?

**Specific drug use issues**  
DRUG 3: insert below  
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For Drug 3 mentioned above what is the current situation with regards to poly-drug use? Routes of administration? Demographic composition of users? Seasonal usage? Recreational vs problematic use?

How has this changed over last 6-12 months and how will it change in next 6 months? Why?

**2. Use Profile**

**Notes/observations**

**Respondent quotes**

**Specific drug use issues**

DRUG 4: insert below  
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For Drug 4 mentioned above what is the current situation with regards to poly-drug use? Routes of administration? Demographic composition of users? Seasonal usage? ? Recreational vs problematic use?

How has this changed over last 6-12 months and how will it change in next 6 months? Why?

**Specific drug issues  
TREATMENT  
PROVIDERS ONLY**

Drug issues currently being experienced in their organisation (are they the same or different to rest of area)

FOR EACH ISSUE: Change over last 6-12 months? Anticipated change in next 6 months? Why?

**3. Supply Profile**

Notes/observations

Respondent quotes

**Current Supply**

Is it open (public places) or closed (private places)? Do dealing locations move around a lot? Is there a high turnover of dealers? What are the easiest drugs to get?

**Changes in Supply**

Have there been any changes in the last 6 months- 12 months? (new drug, drug busts, shortages etc) How do respondents think it will change in next 6 months? Why?

<b>4. Treatment</b>	<b>Notes/observations</b>	<b>Respondent quotes</b>
<b>Current treatment profile</b>	Current picture of drug treatment in the <u>area</u> (not their organisation). Gaps in treatment provision	
<b>Change in treatment</b>	<p>GENERAL: Has demand for treatment changed over last six-twelve months IN THE AREA? Why?</p> <p>GENERAL: Has supply of treatment IN THE AREA changed over last 6-12 months? Why?</p>	

**4. Treatment**

**Notes/observations**

**Respondent quotes**

**Specific treatment issues**

**TREATMENT PROVIDERS ONLY**

Have treatment methods in their organisation changed over last 6-12 months? How? Will they change over next 6 month? How?

Relationship between demand for drug treatment and their organisations' ability to supply it. Has this changed in last 6-12 months? Do they anticipate change in next 6 month? What?

Prevalent medical conditions amongst clients

Partnerships with other organisations to deliver treatment. Future partnerships in next 6 months

Factors determining treatment success?

<b>5. Young People</b>	<b>Notes/observations</b>	<b>Respondent quotes</b>
	<p>Difference between youth drug misuse and general population drug misuse? Has this changed over last 6 months- 12 months?</p> <p>Consequences of youth drug misuse</p>	
<b>6. Community</b>	<b>Notes/observations</b>	<b>Respondent quotes</b>
<b>Community responses</b>	<p>How well does respondents' organisation work with other organisations?</p> <p>Community-led/based responses to drug misuse? How has community involvement changed over last 6-12 months/next six months?</p>	
<b>7. Final Comments</b>	<b>Notes/observations</b>	<b>Respondent quotes</b>