

PROmotion of COvid-19 VA(X)ccination in the Emergency Department (PROCOVAXED) study: NIH (NIAID) RO1 AI166967-01 Patient Interview Guides

The first session will focus on content development and understanding potential contextual influences related to barriers to potential uptake of Covid-19 (and influenza) vaccines that were elicited at sites during the REVVED UP study, especially vaccine hesitancy and health care access.

FIRST SESSION – Start the recording at this point

This is an interview by _____ on (date) with participant # _____ (precede # by site letter: S = SFGH, D = Duke, J = Jefferson, W = Washington)

Part 1 - COVID Vaccine

1. What have you heard about COVID-19?
2. Have you ever heard about vaccinations for COVID-19?
If no – There are vaccines available in the US that have been recommended by the CDC for prevention of COVID.

If yes

- a) When did you first hear about them?
- b) Who told you about them?
- c) What have you heard about the COVID vaccines?
 - i. What good things have you heard about the vaccines?
 - ii. What bad things have you heard about the vaccines?
- d) *What have you heard about side effects or safety of the vaccine?*

3. Have you ever been offered a COVID vaccine?

If yes

- a) I know you haven't received the vaccine and I'm wondering what are the reasons you decided not to get it?
- b) What specific concerns or worries do you have about the vaccine? (eg. side effects)
- c) How effective do you think the vaccine would be if you received it?
- d) Do you know of a place to get it?

If no - Have you wanted to get a COVID vaccine?

If yes - Do you know of a place to get it?

If no

- a) What are the reasons you have you not wanted to get it?

- b) What specific concerns or worries do you have about the vaccine? (eg. side effects)
 - c) How effective do you think the vaccine would be if you got it?
4. Do you know of anyone who is hesitant to get the COVID-19 vaccine?
- If yes**
- a) What are the reasons they are hesitant?
 - b) What specific concerns or worries do they have about the vaccine? (eg. side effects)
- If no** – go to Q4
5. Do you know people who have wanted to get the COVID vaccine but have not been able to get it?
- a. What are the reasons they have not been able to get it?
6. Have you thought about the risks of the vaccine versus the risk of catching COVID-19?
7. How have you used your religion/spirituality/faith to cope during the pandemic?
8. How has your religion/spirituality/faith influenced your decision-making in being vaccinated?
9. What have you heard about the Delta variant?
10. How does the news about the Delta variant change your views on getting vaccinated?

Part 2 - Influenza vaccines

11. Have you ever heard of flu vaccines?
- a. **If yes** - What have you heard?
12. Have you ever had a flu vaccine?
- If yes**
- a) When was the last time you got it?
 - b) Where did you get it?
- If no** - Have you ever been offered a flu vaccine?
- a) **If yes** - What are the reasons that you did not get it when you were offered?
 - b) **If no** - Would you want to get a flu vaccine?
 - i. If yes – what has made it hard for you to get?
 - ii. If no – why would you not want to get a flu vaccine?
13. If you were offered a flu vaccine this year, would you accept it?
- If yes**
- a) Do you know of any barriers to getting a flu vaccine?

b) Have you had a place to get it?

If no

a) What are the reasons you would not accept it?

b) What specific concerns or worries have you had about the vaccine? (eg. side effects)