

Questionnaire

Has the respondent agreed to take part in the survey voluntarily? (“Yes only” box)

Date of survey:

Shehia name:

District:

Age of Respondent:

Sex of Respondent:

S.no	Question	Responses	Skip Pattern
Section A: General observation of vaccinated community dogs			
A.1	Have you seen any dogs wearing collars around their neck in your community?	1 - Yes 2 - No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If “1”, go to Question A.2. • If “2”, go to Question B.1.
A.2	Please describe what the collars looked like that you saw on the dogs in your community? <i>The surveyor will not give the answer and will not provide any guiding information to the respondent.</i>	1 – Any mention of plastic collars that are bright in color (i.e., “rabies vaccination collar”) 2 – Normal dog collars (i.e., NOT “rabies vaccination collar”)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If “1”, go to Question A.3. If “2”, go to Question B.1
A.3	Do you know what it means when a dog wears a plastic collar that is bright in color? <i>The surveyor will not give the answer and will not provide any guiding information to the respondent.</i>	1 – The dog is vaccinated against rabies. 2 – The dog has been given an injection (rabies vaccination not mentioned specifically). 3 – The dog is healthy. 4 - The dog has a specific owner.	

		5 – Other (please specify).	
Section B: General perception of community dogs			
B.1	How do you feel if you encounter a dog <u>with</u> a bright colored collar in the community?	<p>1 - I feel safer around dogs with those collars.</p> <p>2 - No change in perception (neither safer nor more at-risk).</p> <p>3 – I feel less safe around dogs with those collars.</p>	
B.2	If you see a dog <u>with</u> a bright colored collar in the community, how would you typically react?	<p>1 - Try to stay away from it.</p> <p>2 - Try to chase it away (e.g., throwing something at it or trying to hit it with something).</p> <p>3 – Interact with it (e.g., touching, petting, etc.).</p> <p>4 – No reaction (e.g., any indifferent action like ignoring them)</p>	
B.3	How do you feel if you encounter a dog <u>without</u> a bright colored collar in the community?	<p>1 - I feel safer around dogs without collars.</p> <p>2 - No change in perception (neither safer nor more at-risk).</p> <p>3 – I feel less safe around dogs without collars.</p>	
B.4	If you see a dog <u>without</u> a bright colored collar in the community, how would you typically react?	<p>1 - Try to stay away from it.</p> <p>2 - Try to chase it away (e.g., throwing something at it or</p>	

		<p>trying to hit it with something).</p> <p>3 – Interact with it (e.g., touching, petting, etc.).</p> <p>4 – No reaction (e.g., any indifferent action like ignoring them)</p>	
B.5	Do you know of any dogs being killed in your community in the last 6 months?	<p>1 - Yes</p> <p>2 - No</p> <p>3 - Don't know</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If “1”, go to Question B.6. • If “2” or “3”, go to Question C.1.
B.6	Did any of the dogs that were killed have bright colored collars on?	<p>1 - Yes</p> <p>2 - No</p> <p>3 - Don't know</p>	
B.7	<p>Do you know why the dogs were killed?</p> <p><i>The surveyor will not give the answer and will not provide any guiding information to the respondent.</i></p>	<p>1 - They bit people.</p> <p>2 - They were sick.</p> <p>3 - They were being a nuisance in the community (e.g., killing chickens, etc.).</p> <p>4 - Don't know</p> <p>5 - Other (please specify)</p>	
Section C: Health seeking behavior			
C.1	Have you been bitten by a dog with a bright colored collar in the last 4 weeks?	<p>1 - Yes</p> <p>2 - No</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If “1”, go to Question C.2. • If “2”, go to Question D.1.
C.2	Why do you think the dog bit you?	<p>1 - I tried to chase it away (e.g., throwing something at it or trying to hit it with something)</p> <p>2 - I tried to interact with it (e.g., touching, petting, etc.)</p>	

		<p>3 - It just bit me for no reason.</p> <p>4 - Other (please specify).</p>	
C.3	<p>Did you go for treatment at a healthcare facility after the bite?</p> <p><i>If the respondent answers "No" they will be advised to seek primary healthcare as soon as possible.</i></p>	<p>1 - Yes</p> <p>2 - No</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If "1", go to Question C.4. • If "2", go to Question C.5.
C.4	<p>Why did you decide to go for treatment?</p>	<p>1 - It was a severe bite wound and I needed a doctor/nurse to provide treatment.</p> <p>2 - I was afraid of getting sick from the dog bite and wanted treatment.</p> <p>3 - A community member told me to go.</p> <p>4 - Other reason (please specify)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Go to Question D.1.
C.5	<p>Why did you decide <u>not</u> to go for treatment?</p>	<p>1 - Dogs with the bright collars are safe.</p> <p>2 - Dogs with ANY collars are safe.</p> <p>2 - The treatment is too expensive or inaccessible (facility too far away).</p> <p>3 - It was not a severe bite, and I did not think treatment was needed.</p> <p>4 - I used traditional remedies instead.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Go to Question D.1

		5 - A community member told me not to go.	
Section D: Rabies vaccination behavior			
<i>If necessary, the surveyor will inform the respondent that the "rabies vaccination collars" means that the dog has been vaccinated against rabies.</i>			
D.1	Do you own any dogs?	1 - Yes 2 - No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If "1", go to Question D.2. • If "2", go to Question D.18.
D.2	If yes, how many dogs do you own?	Free answer	
D.3	Have your dog(s) been vaccinated against rabies <u>this year</u> ?	1 - Yes, all the dogs. 2 - Yes, but only some of the dogs. 3 - No, none of the dogs. 4 - I don't know	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If "1" or "2", go to Question D.4. • If "3", go to Question D.17. • If "4", go to Question D.18.
D.4	Did you get a free collar for your dog(s) from the vaccinator?	1 - Yes 2 - No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If "1", go to Question D.5. • If "2", go to Question D.15.
D.5	Did getting a free collar for your dog(s) make you more likely to take your dog(s) for rabies vaccination?	1 – Yes 2 – No 3 – Don't know	
D6.	Is it important to you that the collar is a sign that the dog had been vaccinated against rabies specifically?	1 – Yes 2 – No 3 – Don't know	
D.7	How long ago did the dog(s) receive the collars? <i>The surveyor will help the participant determine the timeframe.</i>	1 – Less than a week ago. 2 - 1 week ago 3 – 2 weeks ago 4 – 3 weeks ago 5 – 4 weeks ago 6 – more than a month ago	

D.8	Does your dog(s) still have the collar on?	1 - Yes, all the dogs. 2 - Yes, but only some of the dogs. 3 - No, none of the dogs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If “1”, go to Question D.14. • If “2” or 3, go to Question D.9.
D.9	How long did the dog wear the collar for? <i>The surveyor will help the participant determine the timeframe. If multiple dogs have lost their collars, the average time must be selected.</i>	1 – Less than a week 2 - 1 week 3 – 2 weeks 4 – 3 weeks 5 – 4 weeks 6 – More than a month 7 – Don’t know	
D.10	Who removed the collar? <i>The surveyor will clearly specify that nobody will be identified as there will be no repercussions.</i>	1 - The owner 2 – The dog 3 – Someone in the community 4 - Unknown	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If “1”, go to Question D.11. • If “2”, go to Question D.13. • If “3” or “4”, go to Question D.14.
D.11	Why did you remove the collar(s)?	1 - The dog(s) did not like wearing the collar(s). 2 - To use the collar(s) for other purposes. 3 – I did not want my dog(s) to wear a collar(s), 4 – The collar was hurting my dog. 5 – Other (Please specify)	
D.12	Was it easy to remove the collar?	1 – Yes 2 - No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Go to question D.14
D.13	If possible, please explain how the dog removed the collar.	Free answer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Go to question D.14

D.14	What can be done to improve the collar / make you more likely to keep the collar on the dog?	Free answer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Go to question D.18
D.15	Why did you not get a free collar for the dog?	<p>1 – The vaccinator did not offer me a collar for my dog(s).</p> <p>2 – My dog(s) ran away before the collar could be put on.</p> <p>3 – I did not want to put a collar on my dog(s).</p> <p>4 – Other reason.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If “1” or “2”, go to Question D.18 If “3” or “4”, go to Question D.16
D.16	Why did you not want a free collar for your dog?	<p>1 - The dog(s) will not like wearing the collar(s).</p> <p>2 - I did not want my dog(s) to wear a collar(s).</p> <p>3 – The collar was going to hurt my dog.</p> <p>5 – Other (Please specify)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Go to Question D.18.
D.17	What is the <u>main reason</u> for why you did <u>not</u> take your dog(s) for vaccination?	<p>1 - I want my dog(s) to be healthy and the vaccine makes them sick.</p> <p>2 – The vaccine changes the behavior of dogs (e.g., happy dogs become aggressive).</p> <p>3 - Because I was told not to do it by someone in my community.</p> <p>4 - I don't know</p>	

		5 - Other (please specify)	
D.18	<p>Have you seen anyone removing the bright colored collars from their dogs in the community?</p> <p><i>The surveyor will clearly specify that this is a "Yes/No" answer only. Nobody will be identified as there will be no repercussions.</i></p>	<p>1 - Yes</p> <p>2 - No</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If "1", go to Question D.20. • If "2", Finish survey
D.19	Do you know why the collars were removed?	<p>1 - The dog(s) did not like the collar.</p> <p>2 - To use the collars for other purposes.</p> <p>3 - The people did not want their dogs to wear collars.</p> <p>4 - I don't know.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finish survey