

APPENDIX

Interview Guide

Introduction

Thank you for agreeing to participate in this interview. The aim of this interview is to find out more about your friendships. There are no right or wrong answers. I just want to understand how you develop and keep friendships going.

Interview questions

1. Can you tell me about your best friend?
2. What are the types of activities that you do together?
3. How did you become friends?
4. How do you keep in touch?

Probing Questions:

- a) Do you use social media to keep in touch?
 - b) Which social media do you use?
 - c) How do you feel about social media?
5. Is there anything else you would like to tell me about your friend or your friendships?

Wrap up/ closing statement:

Thank you for your time and willingness to share your experience. This has been an insightful and helpful discussion. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions at a later stage.