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# **BASICS HEALTHY TIMING AND SPACING OF PREGNANCY TOOLKIT**

## **INTERVIEW WITH RELIGIOUS LEADERS AND COMMUNITY WORKERS**



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## Assessment Guide

### Rapid Assessment of Family Planning Services for the integration of Health Timing and Spacing of Pregnancy within Child Health Programs

#### For interviews with a Religious Leader or Worker in the community

Date of Assessment:

Facility Name:.....

Name of sub District:..... Name of District:.....

Type of Facility:  Hospital  Community Health Center  Health Post  Others

Assessment Team (Name of Interviewers):

Name of Interviewee(s)

Facility Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: .....

#### General

Ask to speak with the District Health Program Officer, Midwife or person in charge health facility who is present today.

Introduce yourself, briefly explain the purpose of your visit and ask if she/he would be willing to answer few questions about healthy timing and spacing of pregnancy and family planning services in the facility.

Hello. My name is \_\_\_\_\_. My colleagues and I are here on behalf of the Ministry of Health and TAIS project to conduct a joint rapid assessment to learn more about your services in birth healthy timing and spacing of pregnancy and family planning. The information you provide is very important and valuable to us and will be used for the purpose of improving standard of care for family planning services in health facilities. The information will be kept anonymous and will not be used as an assessment relating to your career. If you agree to participate we will need about \_\_\_\_\_ minutes to complete our questionnaire. We do appreciate your time and responses.

THANK YOU

## Key Questions for Religious Leader or Worker within the community

1. Have you heard of child spacing messages from a health care provider before?  Yes  No
2. What do you like most about the child spacing message and why?
3. What do you like least about the child spacing message and why?
4. How do you feel about child spacing information being provided for the members of your congregation? Please explain:
5. Would you like to receive information on child spacing to pass it on to your congregation members?  Yes  No
6. Would you like to receive training on how to provide child spacing counseling for members of your congregation and why?  Yes  No
7. Would you like provide child spacing messages to your congregation during Sunday mass or worship?  Yes  No
8. Would you be willing to mobilize the members of your congregation to receive child spacing message to improve the health of mothers and children?  Yes  No
9. Are there any incentives or disciplinary actions for or against members of the Church known to be on modern child spacing methods?  Yes  No  
Please specify:
5. Do you have other opinion or comments on child spacing to share with us?

Thank You Very Much for Your Time