

**Barriers to formal healthcare utilisation among poor older people under the livelihood empowerment against poverty programme in the Atwima Nwabiagya District of Ghana**

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**FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE ON BARRIERS TO FORMAL HEALTHCARE  
USE AMONG POOR OLDER PEOPLE**

1. Do you face any barrier(s) in using formal healthcare services? If yes, kindly share with me, the barriers you encounter in your quest to use formal healthcare services? [Probing is allowed]
  
2. Would you say these barriers have interfered with your use of formal healthcare services? If yes, how have these barriers interfered with your use of health care?[ Probing is allowed]
  
3. In general, what would you suggest must be done to improve formal healthcare use?[ Probing is allowed]

