## **New Medicine Service - Interview Schedule**

## Intervention

- 1. Have you had the chance to start taking your new medicine yet?
- 2. How are you getting on with it?
- 3. Are you having any problems with your new medicine, or concerns about taking it?
- 4. Do you think it is working? (Prompt: is this different from what you were expecting?)
- 5. Do you think you are getting any side effects or unexpected effects?
- 6. People often miss taking doses of their medicines, for a wide range of reasons. Have you missed any doses of your new medicine, or changed when you take it? (Prompt: when did you last miss a dose?)
- 7. Do you have anything else you would like to know about your new medicine or is there anything you would like me to go over again?

## Follow up

- 1. How have you been getting on with your new medicine since we last spoke? (Prompt: are you still taking it?)
- 2. Last time we spoke, you mentioned a few issues you'd been having with your new medicine. Shall we go through each of these and see how you're getting on?
- 3. A) The first issue you mentioned was [*refer to specific issue*] is that correct?

B) Did you try [*the advice / solution recommended at the previous contact*] to help with this issue?

- 4. Did you try anything else?
- 5. Did this help? (Prompt: how did it help?)
- 6. Is this still a problem or concern?

Repeat Questions 3-6 for each issue that the patient discussed at the Intervention stage

- 7. Have there been any other problems/concerns with your new medicine since we last spoke?
- 8. People often miss taking doses of their medicines, for a wide range of reasons. Since we last spoke, have you missed any doses of your new medicine, or changed when you take it? (Prompt: when did you last miss a dose?)