Fig. 1: Conceptual framework

**Socio-Demographic Factors**
1. Age
2. Gender
3. Occupation
4. Educational status
5. Marital status
6. Place of Residence

**Personal Issues**
1. Health and Lifestyle
2. Personality
3. Education & academic
4. Emotional experiences
5. Suicidality
6. Gender, sex and Sexuality

**Relationship Issues with**
1. Family members
2. Relatives
3. Friends
4. Neighbours

**Tobacco Use**

**LEGENDS:**
Direct pathways: 
Indirect pathways: 

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