Carer Interview Topic Guide

1. **Narrative from the carer**: who are they caring for, where, how long?

2. **Understanding of Palliative Care and End of Life Care**: can give explanations if needed.

3. **Opinion**: GP, Nursing staff, **Specialist teams – palliative care teams**, Home teams, Care home, Hospital

4. **Judge**: Can you tell me what led you to that opinion about the quality of care?

5. How could it be **improved**?

6. What things are **important** to you when you think about the care you would like ‘X’ to receive?

7. What would make you or do you think make others **consider** a care home?

8. **Summary of good quality care**

9. **Information**

10. **Out of hours and emergency services**

11. **Communication**

12. **Place of care**

13. **Person with dementia wishes**

14. **Pain management and treatment**

15. **Comorbidities**

16. **Positive aspects**

17. **Negative aspects**