**ALL ASPECTS OF HEALTH LITERACY SCALE (AAHLS)**

Please tick one response only for each question by placing a tick in the box

If you prefer, a member of staff or the research team can read out questions to you

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<th>Question</th>
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<td>FQ1</td>
<td>How often do you need someone to help you when you are given information to read by your doctor, nurse or pharmacist?</td>
<td>□ often □ sometimes □ rarely</td>
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<td>FQ2</td>
<td>When you need help, can you easily get hold of someone to assist you?</td>
<td>□ often □ sometimes □ rarely □ not applicable</td>
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<td>FQ3</td>
<td>Do you need help to fill in official documents?</td>
<td>□ often □ sometimes □ rarely</td>
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### Cr1
Are you someone who likes to find out lots of different information about your health?

- [ ] often
- [ ] sometimes
- [ ] rarely

### Cr2
How often do you think carefully about whether health information makes sense in your particular situation?

- [ ] often
- [ ] sometimes
- [ ] rarely

### Cr3
How often do you try to work out whether information about your health can be trusted?

- [ ] often
- [ ] sometimes
- [ ] rarely

### Cr4
Are you the sort of person who might question your doctor or nurse’s advice based on your own research?

- [ ] yes, definitely
- [ ] maybe/sometimes
- [ ] not really

### Emp1
Do you think that there plenty of ways to have a say in what the government does about health?

- [ ] yes, definitely
- [ ] maybe/sometimes
- [ ] not really

### Emp2
Within the last 12 months have you taken action to do something about a health issue that affects your family or community?

- [ ] yes
- [ ] no

### Emp3
What do you think matters most for everyone’s health? (tick one answer only)

- [ ] a) information and encouragement to lead healthy lifestyles
- [ ] b) good housing, education, decent jobs and good local facilities