

DWIJ 2017

(Caregiver's Form)

1.Name :	
2. age :	vrs.

3. Address :

Date :

- 4. Contact No:
- 5. Name of the patient (hence forth called P) :

(age):

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- 6. Relationship with him/her :
- 7. He / She is under the care of Dr._____

M/F

8. Family members

Name	age	occupation	Relationship with pt. 0 -3
	Name	Name age	Name age occupation

0 : Not at all, 1: somewhat close . 2: quite close . 3: Very close .

9. Since the illness started how long you have been with P.?

All the time / 75 to 50 % of time / 50 to 20 % of time / > 20 %

10.When P's illness started ? Month

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11.. Who notices changes in P? If you, what was your first reaction?

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12. If someone else , what was your reaction after knowing ?

13.Did you have any information about this illness ? How ?

14.Did you make any efforts to collect any information ? What ?

15. What were your thoughts about future of this illness?

16.Now what are your thoughts about future of this illness?

17.For these symptoms who took the initiative to take P to doctor ?

18. When did you come to know this is mental illness ?

Immediately / after few months / after few years.

19. What were different modes of treatments used ?

Psychiatrist / psychologist / homeopathy / Ayurved / some godman, baba, peer / family deity , mannat etc. / other than above . 20.To which treatment out of above did you support ? 21. Who were the people who took efforts to see that P takes medicines ?

22. Who supported you in taking care of your P? How?

23. What were the reactions of the family members when P refused to take medicines ?

24. Apart from mental health professionals & immediate family did you talk to any other person about this illness ? In what context ?

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25.. Did you feel comfortable talking about it ? Not at all / little awkward / very comfortable.

26. Today do you feel comfortable talking about it ?Not at all / little awkward / very comfortable.27.. Did you meet any other patients who had same illness as your P ?

28. Did you talk to that person ? if yes . How did you feel while talking ?

29. Can you share some of your experience when you were very stressed due to your P's behavior ?

30. Can you share some experience when you felt very proud of your P?

31. Did you talk to your P about your stress any time ? If yes , what was the conversation like ?

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32. What has this illness taught you ?

33. When you look back to this journey what do you feel ?

34. Do you feel you have lost something in this journey ?

Name & Signature :

To be endorsed by the Psychiatrist : Signature , Seal . Name of the psychiatrist :

How long do you know this patient ? _____ yrs.

What is the diagnosis ?____

This caregiver is primary / secondary caregiver.

According to you how comfortable is the patient with this caregiver ?

Very much / somewhat / not much / not at all.

Did he regularly accompany patient during follow up ? yes / No.

If yes ,

How frequently ?

Always / at least 50 % of the time / less than that / seldom.

According to you how much of his/her caring has contributed to patient's today's progress ? Significantly / not much / not at all .

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