

Conducting interviews about penile cancer: a patient-conducted-interview study

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schedules

Focus Group Analysis

The interview schedules from each workshop will be compared to identify and organise emergent (i.e. unexpected) themes as well as those that were anticipated, using the method of constant comparison.

Focus Group and Interview Analysis

Two researchers will use the method of thematic analysis to analyse focus group and interview transcripts. This would help identify issues that are important to the patients rather than those that the researchers think are important. Once identified, themes representing the full range of experiences would be written up and organised into overarching categories. Each researcher would prepare half the themes and, with relevant members of the steering group, check the other researchers themes to ensure consistency and quality.