

## Appendix 1. [Questionnaire]

This questionnaire was developed by the researcher and the clinical supervisor.

### Questionnaire (Medical team)

**Title of Project:** Understanding the reasons for accident and emergency department attendance by people with COPD or heart failure: patient, carer and hospital acute medicine team perspectives.

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**Date:**

Patient code:

Rec No: 13/NE/0364

Please answer the below questions.

1. Would you agree that ..... 's admission is due to exacerbation of ..... condition?

Yes / No/Don't know

2. Do you think ..... 's attendance at A&E was appropriate?

Yes/ No/Don't know

If no, why not.....?

3. In your view could the ..... symptoms have been managed at home by the primary or community teams?

Yes/ No/ Don't know

4. Do you have any suggestions as to how ..... could have avoided hospital admission?