**ESW0024261 Covid Intimacies Interview and Transcript Information**

**Interview scheme**

The interviews were semi-structured. Topics generally followed a similar order, however in some cases the order was adjusted to the flow of the participants responses. Where a topic had already been addressed in response to an earlier question, specific questions were not asked to avoid repetition.

**Interview Mode**

The interviews were online, on or off camera according to preference of interviewee.

**Interviewers**

Interviews were mostly undertaken by the same female interviewer, with the exception of those interviewed by Interviewer 2 (as indicated) who was male.

**Recording**

Interview talk was automatically recorded and generated downloadable transcripts, which were checked and corrected against the recording for accuracy.

**Transcripts**

Transcripts were fully anonymised, with the use of pseudonyms and any potentially identifying personal details or characteristics redacted.

[…] indicates redaction or substitution of a more general description for anonymisation purposes, or at the interviewee’s request.

**Self-identity information**

Ethnicity – black/white/Asian or Other identified

Nationality -British is inclusive of English, Welsh, Scottish, Northen Irish;

[Mainland] European is used instead of specific countries; and Other

**Interview Codes**

FH – Female Heterosexual identified

FQ – Female, LGBQ+ identified

F(T)- Female trans identified

F(T)Q – Female, trans, queer identified.

MH – Male Heterosexual identified

MQ – Male, GBQ+ identified

M(T)-Male trans identified

M(T)Q – Male, tans, queer identified

Two digit number following sex and sexuality identifiers indicates the order in F/M took place

**Storage and management**

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