**Supplemental Material 1. Semi structured interview guide**

What is your understanding pediatric Physiotherapy?

Do you think physiotherapy is an integral/essential part of pediatric rehabilitation?

 Why do you think so?

 What the areas you think that pediatric physiotherapy has a role to play?

How often do you refer cases to physiotherapy?

 What are the cases or what type of conditions, do you refer to physiotherapy?

 Do you think these conditions require physiotherapy?

 If yes, in what aspects?

Do you think parents reaching out to physiotherapists is a challenging task?

 What makes you think so?

 If it is challenging, what would you suggest, to make it easier?

What are your understandings about the treatment approaches in pediatric physiotherapy?

 Do you think evidence-based practice is incorporated in treatment?

 High skills and innovations/ evidence-based practice? Which one do you prefer for pediatric patients and why?

 Are you satisfied with outcomes that you get to see with the patients?

 Would like to add about emotional stability/adaptation among physiotherapist in pediatric practice?

What would you say, if the question is about rapport between a pediatric physician and pediatric physiotherapist?

 What role does this rapport have to play in patient care?

 In your opinion, what measure would likely to improve the rapport?

Do you advocate physiotherapy management to parents of children with motor or developmental problems?

 If yes, whom do you prefer? (Eg. Experienced one /skilled/ innovative)

 Why so?

As we have reached the last part of the questionnaire, do you wish add anything or suggest anything that you feel important but have left out in interview?

Thank you for your co operation