



Appendix

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Appendix 1. Demographic details of participants in interviews and focus groups

Characteristics		Nurses, n=40	GPs, n=15	Pharmacists, n=6
Gender	Male	3	8	2
	Female	37	7	4
Age (years)	≤40	11	0	2
	>40	29	15	4
Mean number of years of work experience in RACFs (range)		13 (0.75-43)	22 (4-40)	8.5 (4-12)
Locations*	Metropolitan	32	10	5
	Regional	8	5	1

Note: GPs, general practitioners; RACFs, residential aged care facilities

* RACFs were stand alone (n = 6) or located within a hospital compound (n = 6)