

Supplementary File. COREQ Checklist

No.	Item	Comment
Domain 1: Research team and reflexivity		
1	Interview/facilitator	RW (Domain 1 – refer <i>Page 5</i>)
2	Credentials	RW (PhD candidate, NP, MN, RN, BN) <i>Page 5</i>
3	Occupation	RW (Nurse Practitioner); KH/RM (Health Economists); AT (Qualitative Researcher); SP (Nephrologists) SW (Indigenous Policy) <i>Page 5</i>
4	Gender	RW (Female) <i>Page 5</i>
5	Experience and training	RW has conducted and published qualitative research. <i>Page 5</i>
6	Relationship established	Some participants were known to RW. <i>Page 5</i>
7	Participant knowledge of the interviewer	RW is a Nephrology Nurse Practitioner currently undertaking her PhD. <i>Page 5</i>
8	Interviewer characteristics	RW is a Nephrology Nurse Practitioner with a special interest in pre-dialysis education, patient education and home dialysis. <i>Page 5</i>
Study design		
9	Theoretical framework	Adapted grounded theory and inductive approach (Study Design Refer <i>Page 5 & 6</i>)
10	Sampling	Purposive <i>Page 8</i>
11	Method of approach	Face to face <i>Page 5</i>
12	Sample size	Self-identified as New Zealand Māori and had received education about treatment modalities <i>Page 5</i>
13	Non-participation	N = 0 <i>Page 5</i>
14	Setting of data collection	Patient home or renal clinic <i>Page 5</i>
15	Presence of non-participants	No interpreter required
16	Description of sample	Participants from pre-dialysis and all dialysis modalities <i>Page 5 & Table 1</i>
17	Interview guide	Attached (See Appendix 1)
18	Repeat interviews	Member checking with some participants <i>Page 6</i>
19	Audio/visual recording	Interviews were audio recorded <i>Page 6</i>
20	Field notes	RW recorded field notes <i>Page 6</i>
21	Duration	35 minutes to 120 minutes <i>Page 6</i>
22	Data saturation	Yes <i>Page 6</i>
23	Transcripts returned	No
Analysis and findings		
24	Number of data coders	RW/SP/SW – (Analysis and Findings – See <i>Page 6 - 10</i>)
25	Description of the coding tree	No
26	Derivation of themes	Adapted grounded theory and thematic analysis <i>Page 6</i>
27	Software	HyperRESEARCH <i>Page 6</i>
28	Participant checking	Yes (Member Checking – <i>Page 6</i>)
29	Quotations presented	Yes (See <i>Table 2</i>)
30	Data and findings consistent	Quotations provided to illustrate each theme. (See <i>Table 2</i>)
31	Clarity of major themes	Yes <i>Page 7 & Figure 1</i>
32	Clarity of minor themes	Yes <i>Page 7 & Figure 1</i>