Appendix 1. Indicative Topic Guide

Areas for discussion to include:

Acceptability
Tell me a bit about how you have got on with (wearing) the device?

Prompt for comfort, design & functionality issues:

Did you notice it physically?

In what ways, if any, did it change your day to day activities?

Were there any particular positive / negative aspects of the device?

Ease of use, wearablity, comfort, visibility, obtrusiveness, damage, inconvenience, stigma?

Exploration of expectations
What were your expectations of (wearing) the AGP device? (Contrast user and carer views)

Did it the device meet any expectations you had of using the AGP device?

Effectiveness
What was the experience of users/carers of scanning the device?

Was there any immediate or longer term consequences for the user and their diabetes health?

Consequences
Impact on wider health and wellbeing

‘Thinking about other aspects of your health and wellbeing can you tell me a bit about your health in general?’

Prompt for:

Overall impact of the device (positive and negative)

Any specific areas mentioned e.g. did you feel the device made any difference to your symptoms/experiences of living with diabetes, dementia, co-morbidities, anxiety, & self-care etc

Impact on more personal and social aspects of life and wellbeing
Effect on day to day activities, social life, personal implications of wearing and managing the device?

Where any elements of the device reassuring or discouraging and if so – who to (user and / or carers)?

Overall

What would you say to others considering this device?