INTERVIEW GUIDE

DEMOGRAPHICS

1. Age
2. Marital status
3. Educational status
4. Number of children

PREAMBLE

5. Tell me what you know about Hepatitis B
   a. Mode of transmission
   b. Signs and symptoms
6. How did you get to know about your Hepatitis B status?
   a. What information’s were you given before you went to do the labs?
   b. What was your experience with the diagnosis?

PSYCHOLOGICAL EXPERIENCES

7. Tell me where the result communicated to you?
8. Tell me how the result was communicated to you?
9. How did you react to the diagnosis?
10. How has it affected you till now?
    a. Share with me some of the questions you asked about the infection?
    b. Share with me some of your worries after diagnosis?
    c. How about your general wellbeing after?
11. How has been your experience with the diagnosis till now?
12. Share with me some of your concerns about the infection?
13. Tell me about this disease and its effect on the baby?
    a. What concerns do you have about your baby and the infection?
14. How are you living and dealing with the infection?

INFORMATIONAL NEEDS

15. Share with me what you were told about the infection?
16. How helpful were the information?
17. What were your expectations with the information?
18. Tell me what your expectations were?

SOCIAL EXPERIENCES

19. Have you discussed your diagnosis with anybody? partner/family/friends?
20. How was their reaction after the disclosure?
21. How is your current relationship with your partner or family?
22. Tell me about the support you received after diagnosis (HCP, partner/family)
23. How has the diagnosis affected your social life? (like how you relate to others, to your family, things you do/don’t do?)

FUNCTIONAL NEEDS

1. What kind of assistance do you need in caring for yourself and the baby?
2. How is your financial situation with regards to affording treatments for yourself and baby?
3. Tell me about how the disease has affected your finances?
4. Tell me about the care you received from the healthcare providers
   a. What assistance did you receive?
      i. Care linkage, follow up care, post serology testing for baby, arrangement for vaccination?
4. What could have been done better?
5. What else would you like to share with me