

## Appendix-1

### The questionnaire on glaucoma awareness and knowledge used in the study

1. Have you heard of cataracts?  Yes  No
2. Have you heard of diabetic retinopathy?  Yes  No
3. Have you heard of macular degeneration?  Yes  No
4. Have you heard of glaucoma?  
 Yes, what is the main source of information about glaucoma? (Choose all that apply)  
 TV  Radio  
 Newspaper or Magazines  Computer or Internet  
 Relatives or friends  Eye Doctors  
 Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 No
5. Can glaucoma cause blindness?  Yes  No  Don't know
6. Can early treatment stop glaucoma from getting worse?  
 Yes  No  Don't know
7. Does glaucoma affect:  
 The central vision  The side vision  
 Both the central and the side vision  Don't know
8. Does glaucoma develop slowly over time or strike people suddenly?  
 Slowly  Suddenly  Don't know
9. Can glaucoma be developed by contacting a person with glaucoma?  
 Yes  No  Don't know
10. Does glaucoma always cause eye symptoms such as eye pain?  
 Yes  No  Don't know
11. Is glaucoma caused by reading books, newspapers or using a computer for a long period of time?  
 Yes  No  Don't know
12. Can glaucoma run in families?  
 Yes  No  Don't know
13. Who is most likely to have glaucoma?  
 People younger than 40 years old  
 People aged 40 years old or over

- People of all ages are at the same risk
- Don't know

14. Compared with the majority of (or general) population, blood relatives of a person with glaucoma are at:

- Higher risk of getting glaucoma
- Lower risk of getting glaucoma
- The same risk of getting glaucoma as non-relatives
- Don't know

15. Compared to White people, Black people are at:

- Higher risk of getting glaucoma
- Lower risk of getting glaucoma
- The same risk of getting glaucoma
- Don't know

16. Is an eye doctor's check-up the only way of early identifying glaucoma?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know

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