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Table 1. Interview guide for GPs, nurses and other health professionals

| Topic | Questions for the GPs | Questions for nurses and assistant nurses |
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| Experience of palliation | What is your experience of treating patients at the end of life? | What is your experience of dying patients who want to spend their last days at home? |
| Advance care planning | How do you address the fact that the patient has a short life expectancy with the patient and the family? How do you address this if the patient does not initiate such a conversation? | How do you establish collaboration cooperation with the patient and the family? (Advance care planning, early meeting in the home with the GP and homecare nurse) |
| Availability | How do you ensure your own availability as a GP (for the patient, the family and the homecare services)? | |
| Procedures when death occurs | What about the final phase – and when death has occurred? | How do you proceed when the patient dies at home? • Death certificate (GP/A&E clinic) • Care for the bereaved family • Care for the deceased person – who does what? • Family gathering/wake • Funeral |
| Use of out-of-hours services | What do you think about transporting the deceased person to the A&E clinic in order to have the death certificate issued when the death is expected? | |

| Suggestions for improvement | Do you have any suggestions or ideas for how | Suggestions for improvements |
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| | such a practice can be changed? | |