

Additional File 4 – Participant characteristics

KIIE1

Table 1
Demographics of Experts

Demographics	D1	D2	D3	P1	P2	P3	R1	R2	S1	S2	M	SD
Gender	Male	Male	Female	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Female	Male		
Age	47	43	66	63	70	36	69	56	45	58	55.3	12.0
Nationality	SY	SY/CH	SY/CH	SY/CH	CH	CH/NL	CH	CH	CH	SY/ CH		
Time living in Switzerland	9	14	35							30	22	12.5
Highest education	BD	BD	BD	D	MD	MD	BD	VT	BD	MD		
Profession	INT and asylum counselor	INT	INT	PT	PT and social worker	PT	Pastor	Muslim asylum minister	Social worker	Social worker		
Professional experience	7	8	11	24	25	12	26	6	19	18	15.6	7.8
Experience in working with Syrian refugees	7	8	11	4	10	1	8	6	10	18	8.3	4.6
Amount of work with Syrian refugees	>50%	95%	80%	2-5%	20-25%	10%	20%	20%	<5%	60%		
Experience in working with Syrian refugees with PGD	100	10	>100	6	>100	4	100	50	N/A	>100		

Note. Age in years; Time living in Switzerland in years; Professional experience in years; Experience in working with Syrian refugees in years; Amount of work with Syrian refugees in percent of total time worked; Experience in working with Syrian refugees with PGD in number of individuals; SY = Syria; CH = Switzerland; BD = bachelor's degree; MD = master's degree; D = doctorate; VT = vocational training; INT = intercultural interpreter; PT = psychotherapist; N/A = not available

KIIUE2

Table 2*Demographics of Experts KIIUE2*

Demographics	D1 ¹	P1	R2	M	SD
Gender	Male	Male	Female		
Age	48	71	57	58.7	11.6
Nationality	SY	CH	CH		
Time living in Switzerland	9	35	55	33.0	23.1
Highest education	UD	D	VT		
Profession	INT/ AC	PT/ SW	PC		
Professional Experience	8	50	7	21.7	24.5
Experience working with Syrian refugees	8	10	7	8.3	1.5
Amount of work with Syrian refugees	approx. 50%	80%	10-20%		
Experience in working with Syrian refugees with PGD	60	10	N/A		

Note. Age in years; Time living in Switzerland in years; Professional experience in years; Experience in working with Syrian refugees in years; Amount of work with Syrian refugees in percent of total time worked; Experience in working with Syrian refugees with PGD in number of individuals; CH = Switzerland; SY = Syria; D = doctorate; UD = university degree; VT = vocational training; PT = psychotherapist; SW = social worker; INT = intercultural interpreter; AC = asylum counsellor; PC = pastoral counsellor; N/A = not available

Table 3*Demographics of potential users KIIUE2*

Demographics	U1	U2	U3	U4	U5	U6	M	SD
Gender	Female	Female	Female	Female	Male	Male		
Age	40	41	34	21	36	37	34.8	6.6
Marital Status	Married	Married	Divorced	Married	Married	Married		
Highest education	Other	CS	CS	VT	CS	CS		
Time living in Switzerland	3	5	3	3	4	5.5	3.9	1.1
Current job situation	U	Other	Other	Other	U	E		
Experience of loss	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES		

Note. Age in years; Time living in Switzerland in years; SY = Syria; CS = compulsory school; VT = vocational training; U = unemployed; E = employed

¹ Since the data was collected over several studies, it is possible that a participant code was used several times without referring to the same study participant.

KIIUE3

Table 4*Demographics of experts KIIUE3*

Demographics	D1	D3	P1	M	SD
Gender	Male	Female	Male		
Age	48	68	71	62.3	12.5
Nationality	SY	SY/CH	CH		
Time living in Switzerland	10	35	45	30.0	18.0
Highest education	UD	UD	D		
Profession	INT/ AC	INT	PT		
Years in profession	8	40	45	26.5	26.2
Years working with Syrian refugees	8	12	12	10.7	2.3
Amount of work with Syrian refugees	>50%	80%	2-5%		
Number of served/ counseled Syrian refugees with PGD	100	>100	6	160.0	155.6

Note. SY = Syria; CH =Switzerland; UD = University Degree; D = Doctorate; INT = Intercultural Interpreter; AC = Asylum Counselor; PT = Psychotherapist

Table 5*Demographics of potential users KIIUE3*

Demographics	U1	U2	U3	U4	U6	U7	M	SD
Gender	Female	Female	Female	Female	Male	Male		
Age	40	41	34	21	38	51	37.5	9.0
Nationality	SY	SY	SY	SY	SY	SY		
Time living in Switzerland	4	4.5	3.5	3.5	4.5	4	4.0	0
Highest education	NFE	NFE	NFE	NFE	NFE	NFE		
Profession	HW	HW	HW	UN	HD	UN		
Years in profession	1.0	N/A	3.5	N/A	15.0	8.0		
Loss of loved one shortly before/during/after fleeing to Switzerland	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES		

Note. SY = Syria; NFE = No Formal Education; HW = Housewife; UN = Unemployed; HD = Hairdresser; N/A = Not Available