[ASK CONSENT BEFORE COMING TO THIS GUIDE]

Thank you very much for coming to participate in this conversation. We are interested in learning about the Mtukula Pakhomo program. During our conversation today we would like to ask only one person speak at a time so that we can capture everything that is said. Let us agree as a group that we will not tell others about things we share here as a group today.

Please also be respectful of everyone’s opinions; we can disagree but there are no right or wrong answers and everyone should feel free to express their opinions. Are there any questions before we begin?


Pali mafunso tisanayambe?

1. Describing the community

To begin, imagine that I just arrived to this community and I know nothing about life here. How would you describe this community to me?

Tangoganizirani, kuti ine ndi mlendo mdera lino, mungandiu ze chani za mdera lino?
Fotokozani za dera lino? Mumakhala bwanji dera lino?

2. Understanding of Mtukula Pakhomo Programme

2.1 Have you heard of the Mtukula Pakhomo program? What do you know about it?

Munanvapo za Mtukula Pakhomo? Mukudziwapo chani?

(If they haven’t heard of it, explain briefly about SCT and see if they have any awareness of it: a government program that provides cash to poor households every 2 months).

2.2 Who do you think the Mtukula Pakhomo program is supposed to be reaching?

Kodi mukuwona ngati Mtukula Pakhomo akuyenera kufikira anthu otani?

- How successful do you think the program is at reaching these households?

Kodi mukuwona ngati Mtukula Pakhomo akutha kufikila anthu oyenelera?

3. SCTP Programme impacts

3.1 In general, how is the Mtukula Pakhomo program affecting this community?

Kodi dera lino lakhudzidwa (kuthandizidwa) bwanji ndi Mtukula Pakhomo?

3.2 How has life changed for the households that are receiving the money over the last 2 years? Can you give me some examples?

Kodi Mtukula Pankhomo wasintha bwanji miyoyo ya anthu omwe akulandila mu zaka ziwire zapitazi? Mungandipatseko zitsanzo?
3.3 What is the impact of Mtukula Pakhomo on children and young people in this community?
   Kodi Mtukula Pakhomo wakhudza umoyo wa ana ndi achinyamata m’dera lino? (probe on education and health for both young children and young people)
   - What about marriage and pregnancy for young people?
     Nanga za kukwatira ndi kutenga panthupi kwa achinyamata?

3.4 How is the program achieving the above impact/s?
   Kodi Mtukula Pakhomo ikukwaniritsa bwanji zimene mwanenazi?

   (If no impacts noted, probe on what they think the reasons are for why the programme has not had an impact on these themes.)

3.5 What are the challenges with the Mtukula Pakhomo program in achieving impacts?
   Kodi zikurepheretsa/kupinga Mtukula Pakhomo kukwaniritsa zolinga zake ndi chani?
   - Has the programme caused any problems in the community?
     Kodi pologalamuyi yabweretseko mavuto ena ali onse mdera mwanu?

3.6 How do you think the Mtukula Pakhomo could be improved to have greater impact?
   Mukuwona ngati pachitike chiyani kuti Mtukula Pakhomo apite patsogolo?

4. Service Linkages
4.1 Are there other services in the community linked to the SCTP? Tell me about these?
   Kodi pali mapologalamu/ndondomeko zimmene zimalumikizana ndi Mtukula Pakhomo? Fotokozani

   (Probe on VSLs, microfinance, social services (for adults/children), etc.)
   - Who provides these services? (make a listing for possible KII)
     Amayendetsa mapologalamu amenewa ndani?
   - Does being in the SCTP give you access to any other programmes or services? Tell me about this....
     Kodi kukhala mu Mtukula Pakhomo kumapereka mwayi okhala/kutenga nawo mbali mu mapologalamu ena? (Probe for examples)
   - Does being in the SCTP keep you out of any other programmes or services? Tell me about this.... (probe for examples)
     Kodi kukhala mu Mtukula Pakhomo kumakulepheretsani kukhala/kutenga nawo mbali mu mapologalamu ena? (Probe for examples)

4.2 Can you think of any additional services that would help to make the Mtukula Pakhomo have a greater impact?
   Mukuganiza kwanu ndi mapologalamu/ndondomeko zina zanji zimene zitati zalumikizidwa ndi Mtukula Pakhomo itha kupita pa tsogolo?
5. Wrap up and questions.

Do you have any other comments or suggestions about the Mtukula Pakhomo?
Muli ndi mafuso, kapena zowonjezera pa nkhani ya Mtukula Pakhomo?

Do you have any questions for me?
Muli ndimafunso?

Thank you very much for speaking with me.

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