

## **ASYLUM INTERVIEW PREP: SAMPLE QUESTIONS RELATED TO FGM**

Where did you undergo circumcision?

How old were you when circumcised?

Who was there when it happened?

Have you been in attendance when FGM happened other than when happened to you?

Did they tell when it would happen?

Can you describe who was there

What did they look like?

What was the color of their clothes?

Have you had long term effects from procedure?

Can you describe them?

Have you had other physical effects?

Apologize for asking these Q's, but I have to.

Have you had any other emotional effects from it? Do you think about what happened?

Can you describe anything else?

In your mind, do you remember all over again?

Do you think about it even when someone doesn't talk about it?

Have you ever gone to talk to anyone about these feelings?

Do you think you will ever be okay about what happened to you?

Are there any other aspects of life besides childbirth that remind you of it?

Has it kept you from being able to have sex comfortably?

Do you think in future will you keep having problems in mind about it?

Do you believe it will affect you rest of your life?

In future, do you think this will affect you?