Lung Volume reduction: patient pathway questionnaire

Thankyou for taking part today. We are keen to find out about your experience of having a lung volume procedure to help us to improve the way we care for people with COPD.

Initials: ___________________________   Age: _____________

Please circle one:   Male/Female

1) What lung volume procedure did you have? (Please circle):   Lung volume reduction surgery
                                                Bronchoscopic valves

Date: _____________________________

2) How long were you in hospital for when you had the procedure?   ________________ Days

3) Overall all how well do you think it worked? (Please mark with a cross on the line)

Made me much better   no real effect   much worse

4) How old were you when you were first diagnosed with chest trouble?   ___________ Years

5) At what age did it first started to limit what you could do on a day to day basis?   ____ Years
The Pathway

6) What had happened or what was it about your condition that led to you being referred here?

7) How long was it between referral and your first appointment at RBH?

8) What if any difficulties were there when attending your initial appointment at RBH?
9) How well were the investigations explained to you at your initial appointment?

10) How well was the procedure explained to you?

11) What was good about the referral process?
12) What was bad about the referral process?
The procedure

13) Roughly how long did it take from your initial appointment with us to having the procedure?

14) Roughly how long did it take from the decision to have the procedure and the procedure being done?

15) What do you remember was good about having the procedure?
16) What do you remember was bad about the procedure?

17) Were there any unexpected things you encountered during/after the procedure?
18) Tell me about your experience of the care you received at this time? How could it be improved?

19) How do you feel different as a result of the procedure?
The follow up

20) What happened after you went home from hospital? What was good or bad?

[Blank box for response]

21) Looking back on your experience what are the most important things that are positive/negative about your treatment and care?

[Blank box for response]
22) In what way has it changed the way you view and/or manage your COPD?

23) How do you feel your condition is as a result of the procedure now?
- Much better
- Somewhat better
- About the same
- Somewhat worse
- Much worse

24) If it was up to you how would you change the process?
25) What would you tell other people who have COPD about your experience of the procedure?

26) Looking back now would you have the procedure again?

Yes [ ] No [ ]