

## Appendix1 (Questionnaire)

1. What is your contribution in the process concerning the healthcare about the auricle?
2. How many patients do you see with an absent auricle within a year?
3. What is the main etiology of the patient? (congenital or acquired)
4. Through which referral pathway do the patients reach you as a doctor? Outside or inside the hospital?
5. Who redirects the patients to you?
6. Are there any patients you need to redirect to someone else due to an absent auricle?
7. If yes, how many patients do you redirect?
8. To which type of medical specialist or other caretaker do you redirect those patients?
9. What reasons do you have to redirect those patients?
10. Do you redirect those patients because they want an auricle reconstruction or an epithesis?
11. Do you perform operations in which the patient acquires an auricle reconstruction or an epithesis? Or both?
12. What are your/ the patients reasons to do so or to do not so?
13. How many patients have received an auricle reconstruction or prosthesis over the past years/ since you have been working within this field?
14. Are you informed about/ aware of the 'Auricle consultation' in Nijmegen?
15. What is your opinion on the way the healthcare about the auricle is arranged within your country?
16. Which improvements might be possible in your opinion?
17. Do you know someone who is involved in this chain of healthcare, but isn't included in the list of names?

## Appendix2 (List with names and functions)

- Pascal van de pol, *maxillofacial prothetist*
- Luc Verhamme, *employee 3D lab*
- Gert Meijer, *oral maxillofacial-surgeon*
- Robert Takes, *otorhinopharyngology; head and neck oncologist*
- Dirk Kunst, *otorhinopharyngology; (oncologic) otologist*
- Godelieve Damen/ Koen Ingels, *facial plastic and reconstructive surgeon*
- Marchien Hoffer, *psychologist*
- Wilma van de Ven, *nurse oncology*
- Tamar Munnix, *nurse auricle consultation*
- Emmanuel Mylanus, *otologist*
- Wilma Coppens-Schellekens, *speech language pathologist AC*
- Helma van Schaik, *manager dental medicine*
- Thijs Merckx, *(oncologic) maxillofacial surgeon*
- Willem Weijs, *(oncologic) maxillofacial surgeon*
- Arjan Bosman, *audiologist*
- Myrthe Hol, *otologist*
- Ronald Admiraal, *otologist*

## Appendix3 (Generic questionnaire)

1. How do you rate the auricle consultation in general on a scale of one (very bad) to ten (very good)?
2. What did you think was good?
3. What can we do better?
4. Did you receive enough information?