Motivations Study

Exploring the experience of participating in a Patient Oriented Research Study

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Intro:

Pulled from our experience of recruiting children with medical complexity for research studies, the "Motivations Study" will help us understand the complex barriers to research participation for parents of a child with a serious illness. In this qualitative research study, we are asking parents important questions about what research means to them and why or why not they have chosen to participate in it.



Moving beyond a standard feedback form, simply "positive" or "negative".



Towards hearing the nuances which make up each persons experience.

The study lead on this project is a parent-partner embedded within our research team. Her lived experience as a parent to a medically complex child adds a shared context and lends to creating meaningful conversations with our parent participants.

Aim:

Understand what motivates families to participate in research

Describe common elements of their experience

Evaluate Patient Oriented Research (POR) strategies

Process:

use a parentpartner in the collection & coanalysis of data conduct 15 semistructured interviews

gather a rich collection of stories collect data using qualitative research methods I wanted to help other families like mine.



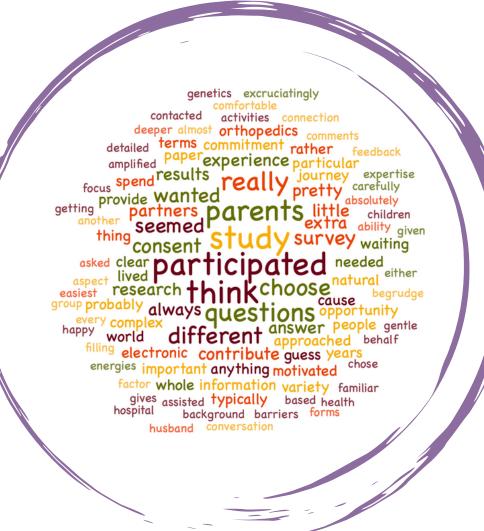
What are the motivators and barriers to research participation







tell me about your experience...



Understand:

- Use Interpretive Phenomenological Analysis to describe and interpret participants lived experiences in research.
- Follow an iterative process while gathering and analyzing data.
- Allow interviewees to reflect and comment on the transcripts of their interviews.
- Form recommendations for future Patient Oriented Research studies.



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