Table S1: Interview protocol to identify themes of DfSS for DF4D Projects.

Subjects		Questions
Designers, project	1.	Introducing the research, clarifying definitions and answering
managers and technical		queries.
staff.	1.1	"My research is exploring how to Design for Social Sustainability.
Project manager (CS1-01),		Sustainability is often described as a way to meet people's needs
Designer (CS1-02), Designer		now without compromising the ability of future generations to
(CS1-03), Junior designer		meet their needs. Normally people talk about sustainability in
(CS1-04), Junior designer		terms of economic, environmental and social sustainability.
(CS1-05), Project lead and		My research focuses on <i>social</i> sustainability. Social sustainability is
engineer at IIT-B (CS2-01),		needed to sustain positive change to address social needs like
Physiotherapist at IIT-B		wellbeing, health and education. From now on, when I talk about
(CS2-02), Designer at IIT-B		sustainability I will be referring to social sustainability.
(CS2-03), Junior designer at		Do you have any questions?"
IIT-B (CS2-04), MakerSpace	2.	Exploring DfSS for DF4D. During the interview, the
manager and designer (CS3-		interviewee's responses are cross-checked against the themes
01), Lead designer at		found in literature.
MakerSpace (CS3-02),	2.1	What is a sustainable product?
Designer at MakerSpace	2.2	What is not a sustainable product?
(CS3-03)	2.3	How do you make sure that the product you are designing is sustainable?
	2.4	What are some of the potential barriers to sustainability? Why do these exist?
	25	Do you think [DF4D product case study] will be sustainable in the
	2.0	future? Why?
	2.6	What are some of the potential risks to the sustainability of [DF4D
		product case study]? Why do these exist? How could you
		overcome these?
	3.	Further discussion on DfSS for DF4D. Prompt interviewees to
		speak about themes found in literature which have not been
		mentioned already.
	3.1	How important is [e.g. "a systemic approach", "empowerment"
		etc.] to the sustainability of [DF4D product case study]?

Table S2: Interview	protocol to	gather actual	data on DF4D	Projects
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Subjects		Questions	
Designers, project	1.	General information	
managers and technical	1.1	1 Can you tell me about your role at [organisation]?	
staff.	1.2	When did you start working at [organisation]?	
Project manager (CS1-01),	1.3	What is your experience/ background working in this sector?	
Designer (CS1-02), Designer	2.	DF4D product case studies	
(CS1-03), Junior designer	2.1	Can you describe the problem you are trying to solve?	
(CS1-04), Junior designer	2.2	What is the problem with the existing product?	
(CS1-05), Project lead and	2.3	How does the digitally fabricated product solve this problem?	
engineer at IIT-B (CS2-01),	2.4	If at all, what would you like to change about the digitally	
Physiotherapist at IIT-B (CS2-		fabricated product?	
02), Designer at IIT-B (CS2-	3.	Design process	
03), Junior designer at IIT-B	3.1	What is different about the design process in a DF4D project	
(CS2-04), MakerSpace		compared with a conventional humanitarian/ development	
manager and designer (CS3-		project?	
01), Lead designer at	3.2	Can you describe the design process?	
MakerSpace (CS3-02),		Prompts:	
Designer at MakerSpace	٠	How did the project start?	
(CS3-03)	٠	How do you select and prioritise projects?	
	٠	How do you gather data and conduct user research?	
	٠	What sort of interaction do you have with users and stakeholders	
		during the design process? When do you interact with them?	
	•	During the concept development, what type of information do	
		you use to inform the process?	
	•	How do you measure impact? What criteria do you use to	
		evaluate the product is satisfactory? How do you collect this data?	
	4.	Perceptions of digital fabrication	
	4.1	How does digital fabrication affect your work?	
	4.2	What are the advantages of using digital fabrication tools in the	
		humanitarian/ development sector?	
	4.3	What are the disadvantages of using digital fabrication tools in the	
		humanitarian/ development sector?	
Partners.	1.	General information	
CEO at RNCT (CS2-05),	1.1	Can you tell me about your role at [organisation]?	
Prosthetist and Orthotist at	1.2	When did you start working at [organisation]?	
RNCT (CS2-06), Production	1.3	What is your experience/ background working in this sector?	
technician at RNCT (CS2-07),	2.	DF4D product case studies	
Production technicians at	2.1	What is the problem with the existing product?	
RNCT (CS2-08), Technical	2.2	How does [DF4D product case study] solve this problem?	
consultant at BMVSS (CS2-	2.3	Do you think [DF4D product case study] will be sustainable in the	
12), Prosthetist and Orthotist		future? Why?	
at BMVSS (CS2-13),	2.4	What are some of the potential risks to the sustainability of [DF4D	
Technician at Jaipur Foot		product case study]?	
(CS2-14), Project manager at	2.5	If at all, what would you like to change about [DF4D product case	
BMVSS (CS2-15), Secretary		study]?	
at BMVSS (CS2-16), Project	3.	Design process	
manager at KNH (CS3-04),	3.1	Can you describe how you have participated in the design	
Project administrator at KNH		process?	
(CS3-05), Project data		Prompt:	

manager at KNH (CS3-06),	• How has your participation influenced the product?
Biomedical engineer at KNH	4. Perceptions of digital fabrication
(CS3-08)	4.1 How does digital fabrication affect your work? (if applicable)
	4.2 What are the advantages of using digital fabrication tools in the
	humanitarian/ development sector?
	4.3 What are the disadvantages of using digital fabrication tools in the
	humanitarian/ development sector?
Users of DF4D products.	1. General information
Beneficiary 1 at RNCT (CS2-	1.1. For practitioners, questions on role/ experience.
09), Beneficiary 2 at RNCT	1.2. For beneficiaries questions on age/ employment.
(CS2-10), Deputy head nurse	2. DF4D product case studies
at KNH (CS3-07)	2.1 How long have you been using the existing (non-DF4D) product
	for?
	2.2 What is the problem with the existing product?
	2.3 How does the digitally fabricated product solve this problem?
	2.4 If at all, what would you like to change about the digitally
	fabricated product?
	3. Design process
	3.1 Can you describe how you have participated in the design
	process?
	Prompt:
	How has your participation influenced the product?
Users of alternative (non-	1. General information
DF4D) products.	1.1. For beneficiaries questions on age/ employment.
Beneficiary 1 at BMVSS	2. Alternatives to DF4D product case studies
(CS2-17), Beneficiary 2 at	2.1. How long have you been using [the non-DF4D product] for?
BMVSS (CS2-18), Beneficiary	2.2. How does using this product affect your daily life?
3 at BMVSS (CS2-19),	2.3. If at all, what problems do you find with the existing product?
Beneficiary 4 at BMVSS	2.4. If at all, what would you like to change about this product?
(CS2-20), Beneficiary 5 at	
BMVSS (CS2-21), Beneficiary	
6 at BMVSS (CS2-22)	