Supplementary file 1. Flow chart of participant recruitment

Patients individually interviewed at t_1 :

Belgium: n=26

The Netherlands: n=23

Sweden: n=31
Total: n=80

Patients invited to participate in a focus group at t_2 :

Belgium: n=25

The Netherlands: n=20

Sweden: n=31
Total: n=76

Patients not invited to participate at t_2 (reasons):

n=1, withdrawal informed consent: n=2)

Belgium: n=1 (treatment discontinuation: n=1)
The Netherlands: n=3 (treatment discontinuation:

Total: n=4

Patients declining to participate in a focus group at t_2 (reasons):

Belgium: n=7 (personal reasons: n=7)

The Netherlands: n=8 (personal reasons n=4, scheduling conflicts n=3, time/distance n=1)

Sweden: n=5 (scheduling conflicts n=4,

Total: n=20

time/distance n=1)

Patients participating in a focus group at

 t_2 :

Belgium: n=14

The Netherlands: n=7

Sweden: n=17
Total: n=38

Patients dropping out at t_2 (reasons):

Belgium: n=4 (time/distance: n=2, personal

reasons: n=2)

The Netherlands: n=5 (personal reasons: n=4,

other: n=1)

Sweden: n=9 (time/distance: n=1, personal

reasons: n=2, other: n=6)

Total: n=18

Patients individually interviewed at t_2 :

Belgium: not applicable The Netherlands: n=8

Sweden: n=5
Total: n=13

Abbreviations: *t*: time point.