Box 3

Useful questions to elicit psychotic symptoms

Delusions

- Have you been concerned about anything unusual recently, or thought strange things were happening around you, or to you?
- Have you been feeling as if something bad is happening to you, or that people have turned against you in some way?

Hallucinations

- Have you experienced any strange or unpleasant experiences recently, for example hearing things that others could not?

Thought insertion/broadcast or withdrawal

- Have you had the experience of someone interfering with your thoughts? Maybe putting thoughts in your mind that are not your own (thought insertion), or others having access to your thoughts (thought broadcast or withdrawal)