

2001 Workshop Evaluation Summary

Total Registration: 54

Total Attendance: 51

Presentations:

	V useful	S useful	NV useful	NAL useful	DNA	NA	Total
BRFSS	18	4	1				23
	78.3	17.4	4.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0
RRFSS Evaluation	14	9					23
	60.9	39.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0

Roundtable Discussions:

	V useful	S useful	NV useful	NAL useful	DNA	NA	Total
LT Planning	14	6	1			2	23
	60.9	26.1	4.3	0.0	0.0	8.7	100.0
Project Coordinator	11	7	3			2	23
	47.8	30.4	13.0	0.0	0.0	8.7	100.0
Working Group	11	7	3			2	23
	47.8	30.4	13.0	0.0	0.0	8.7	100.0
Coping	8	9	3	1		2	23
	34.8	39.1	13.0	4.3	0.0	8.7	100.0

Objectives:

	Met	S met	NAL met	NA	Total
Forum	20	3			23
	87.0	13.0	0.0	0.0	100.0
Opportunities	16	6		1	23
	69.6	26.1	0.0	4.3	100.0

Workshop Satisfaction:

	V satisf.	M satisf.	Indifferent	Q dissatisf.	Total
	13	9	1		23
	56.5	39.1	4.3	0.0	100.0

Representation:

	RRFSS	non RRFSS	External	NA	Total
	18		4	1	23
	78.3	0.0	17.4	4.3	100.0

Liked Most

Provided a venue to openly and face-to-face address many of the RRFSS issues
 Nice to meet people in person
 Results of evaluation very beneficial - provided useful information for roundtable discussions
 BRFSS talk
 Meeting/talking with others
 CDC talk
 Opportunity to discuss issues in small groups
 Value of such surveys as described and demonstrated re BRFSS
 Gary Hogelin's talk
 Chance to discuss issues
 Opportunity for interaction
 The location
 Adequate time to discuss topic
 Relevant topic
 Great cafeteria food
 Opportunity to provide input
 Informal
 Discussing current RRFSS issues
 Meeting others
 Hearing about BRFSS
 Gary Hogelin's talk
 Rotating the same groups through 4 different topics at 4 different stations seemed to work very well, but needed more time for summary statements at end.
 BRFSS presenter
 Getting full overview of system
 Thanks for the Chapters Gift certificate
 Breakout sessions - opportunity to share and hear opinions
 The opportunity to meet people I've only heard on the phone
 To discuss some issues that needed attention
 The evaluation was very informative!!
 The CDC presentation

Liked Least

One too many roundtable discussions... got a little long and likely repetitive
The room/seating in S205 Ross Building
Still lots of work to do on strategic directions
Length of time - went late
Very long day
Long afternoon - earlier break
The classroom
Problems oriented vs. solutions oriented
Have an earlier break in the afternoon
More time to network
Location, difficult to get to York U
8:30 is too early if you come from out of town
Shorter workshop or 2 days if needed
Coordinate brainstorming session
Spec. req. part of session
Not too keen on roundtable discussion method
Too much time devoted to the "plenary" remarks and presentations that preceded the roundtable discussions
It was too long a day
As a moderator, difficult to synthesize 4 sessions in 15 minutes
Location - though understand can't be fussy when space is donated
The sessions didn't really resolve any problems that were brought out. (some sessions - no consensus)
For newer health units - many issues were almost moot (don't know if they are ever doing RRFSS again)

Improve workshop

Rooms with windows
Opportunity to switch within discussion groups (not having same over whole day to see other opinions etc.)
Improved seating
Some technical stuff
Roundtable discussions were useful but maybe have only two
Thought it was a great day
Really enjoyed BRFSS morning speaker
RRFSS success stories from Hus
Not much, great job of organizing by Advisory Committee
Maybe have twice yearly
Better location and time/length
Too long of a day for Hus not "local"
Presentations related to: Analysis, Automated analysis/dissemination, Questionnaire design, Dissemination strategies, etc.
Roundtable discussions were good, but perhaps we didn't all need to do all 4 sessions
Have some topics that are more practical (i.e. weighting, analysis workshops)
Rebalance with more time for summarizing roundtable discussions

Additional Comments

Very valuable workshop and look forward to the 2nd Annual Workshop
Great, thanks
Wonderful
Should evaluate moderators. Some better than others
Residence rooms were not pleasant
Maps to get around (off the York website not good)
Thank you ISR for hosting this event! Great experience
Housekeeping details worked well - precirculated agenda and material, physical set-up involving movement from one room to another for next discussion, lunch & refresh