



# EVALUATION SUMMARY

Session 11 —A special focus on mothers  
27 January, 2016

An online talk show highlighting the experience of people living with HIV who work as researchers

## About the attendees

**Number of attendees<sup>1</sup>:** 39      **Number of attendees who completed an evaluation:** 19 (or 48% of group)

- **61%** from Ontario, **22%** from B.C., **6%** from Nova Scotia, **11%** from U.S
- **42%** were new to *What's Hot with Peer Researchers*
- **79%** were involved in research as a peer, a researcher/study team member, or research coordinator
- **11%** were staff at an ASO or other HIV-related program

## Feedback on the session

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| <p><b>Overall satisfaction</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>100%</b> of respondents were satisfied with the session</li> <li>• <b>100%</b> of respondents would participate in future sessions of "What's Hot"</li> </ul>   | <p><b>Top reasons for attending session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Respondents wanted to learn from other peer researchers</li> <li>• Respondents wanted to stay connected to other peer researchers across Canada</li> <li>• Respondents wanted to learn more about the experiences of PRAs who are mothers</li> </ul> |
| <p><b>Session content</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>95%</b> agreed the session highlighted the diverse experiences of people who work as Peer Research Associates (PRAs)</li> <li>• <b>95%</b> agreed the session identified key issues related to mothers who work as PRAs</li> <li>• <b>100%</b> agreed the session highlighted examples of working with PRAs who are mothers</li> </ul>                           | <p><b>Session outcomes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>100%</b> agreed the session provided a chance to discuss key issues relevant to <i>working with peer researchers</i></li> <li>• <b>89%</b> agreed the session provided an opportunity to discuss key issues <i>relevant to peer researchers</i></li> </ul>         |
| <p><b>Ideas that stood out for participants during this session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The diverse experiences peer researchers who are also mothers and how this shapes issues around childcare, disclosure, time flexibility, income etc.</li> <li>• Learning mothering skills from other positive mothers</li> <li>• The value of mothers in research due to their unique perspectives/experiences</li> </ul> |   |

## Comments about *Edition 11*

*"Awesome presenters! Lots of great learning! Thank you!"*

*"They are a good thing, especially for those of us from smaller cities"*

*"Thank you, just learning. Very helpful. Great presenters and thanks to the coordinators as well!"*

<sup>1</sup> This number represents number of sites logged in, not number of people per site. The overall number of participants may be higher.