

Feedback Report for Working with men's responses to conflict and domestic violence at Canberra 2016

Feedback from the end of course evaluation form

		Course feedback	Percentage
No. of participants		7	
Length in days		1	
No. of completed evaluations		7	100%
Expectation?	Yes	7	100%
	Partly	0	0%
	No	0	0%
Level of training	Too High	0	0%
	Just Right	7	100%
	Too Low	0	0%
Facilitators Attitude - Poor	1	0	0%
	2	0	0%
	Okay	3	0%
	4	1	14%
	Great	5	86%
Facilitators Knowledge - Poor	1	0	0%
	2	0	0%
	Okay	3	0%
	4	0	0%
	Great	5	7
Way the workshop was run - Poor	1	0	0%
	2	0	0%
	Okay	3	0%
	4	1	14%
	Great	5	6
Handouts	Not enough	0	0%
	Ok	1	14%
	very useful	6	86%

Key outcomes

- 100% of participants thought the workshop *achieved what they expected*.
- 100% of the participants thought the workshop was pitched at the right level.
- 100% of participants reported the facilitator's attitude was *very good to great*.
- 100% of participants reported the facilitator's knowledge of the subject was *very good to great*.
- 100% of participants reported the way the course was run was *very good to great*.
- 86% of participants who completed evaluations reported the handouts were very useful.

Qualitative feedback

Has the training program covered what you expected? If partly or no, why?

What topic/issue has been the most important for you?

- Going through the different tools and visually/practically seeing these being applied was really helpful
- Tools to get a male client to the point of realisation (Ah-ha moment)
- Men and points of view on the subject
- Using the concept of generative developmental theory as the framework
- Using tangible practical tools and imagery/metaphoric concepts
- Tools especially how they can be tweaked to use with a younger client group
- The tangible tools, scale, power words and circles of influence
- Tools to start conversation where person does not see their behaviour as abuse

What topic/ issue has been the least important for you?

- N/A
- All relevant
- It was important, I just felt "generativity" was overly focused on, especially around "men with children"- not everyone has children

What impact will this training have on your work?

- Definitely reflects the importance of respect when working with anybody. Liked the focus on empowerment
- I feel more confident in discussing family violence with my male clients
- New tools are always welcome
- Using more imagery (coke bottle) to help externalise choices and consolidate skills learnt in anger management and domestic violence programs
- A lot. Will put the tools into practice straight away during casework, also in family violence groups I am facilitating at the moment.
- More tools, shared knowledge, raised awareness
- Provides a starting conversation

Any other comments about the training course

- Great, thanks! Loved the ice-berg demo-awesome
- Good course, well-paced
- Great resources/concepts/solutions focused on client centred and strengths based- Thank you Andrew
- Good 1 day course on a focused topic, great use of the real work scenarios