



LINKS



Qualitative Methods of Evaluation

Resource List

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Youth Research and Evaluation eXchange [YouthREX] (undated): "Qualitative Tools" – an inventory that provides qualitative tools such as various arts-based methods and sample interview guides that can be used to conduct interviews or focus groups. YouthREX, School of Social Work at York University, Ontario, Canada. Available at: <https://youthrex.com/qualitative-tools/>

The National Lottery Community Fund has also produced several resources on gathering evidence from beneficiaries – see these links:

Evidence Principles:

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/managing-your-grant/over-10k/our-evidence-principles>

Guidance on generating evidence:

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/managing-your-grant/over-10k/generating-evidence>

Engaging children and young people meaningfully in evaluation and research Learning from HeadStart:

https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/media/insights/documents/engaging_cyp_in_meaningful_research_learning_from_headstart.pdf?mtime=20200814181543&focal=none