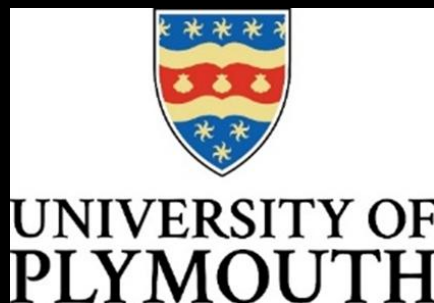




Doing Participatory Data Analysis:
learnings from FoodSEqual Plymouth,
a community-based participatory research project



Louise Hunt and the
FoodSEqual Plymouth Research Team



Today's Presentation

- What is Participatory Data Analysis?
- Practice development timeline
- Group Level Assessment
- Key learnings
- Conclusions



NVIVO
Citizen Engage...3.2)
(2).nvp

Quick Access

IMPORT

- Data
 - Files
 - Additional recom...
 - Excluded
 - Included
 - Barilla
 - CO-CREATE
 - Food and Fitn...
 - ULL Almere
 - File Classifications
 - Externals

ORGANIZE

- Coding
- Cases
- Notes
- Sete

File Home Import Create Explore Share Modules

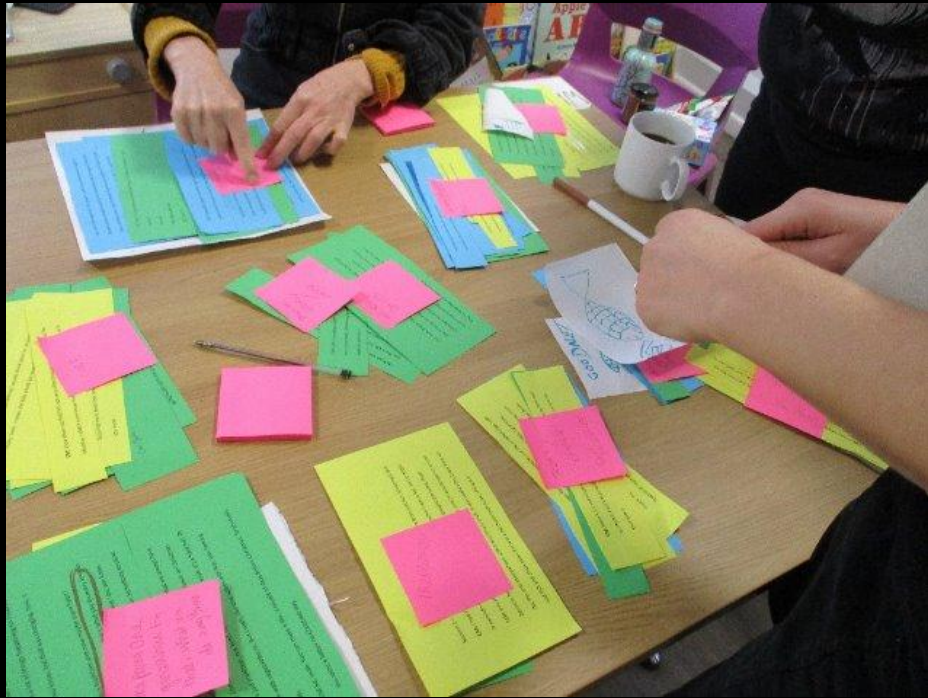
Clipboard Item Organize Query Visualize Code Autocode Range Uncode Case Classification File Classification Workspace

Excluded Search Project

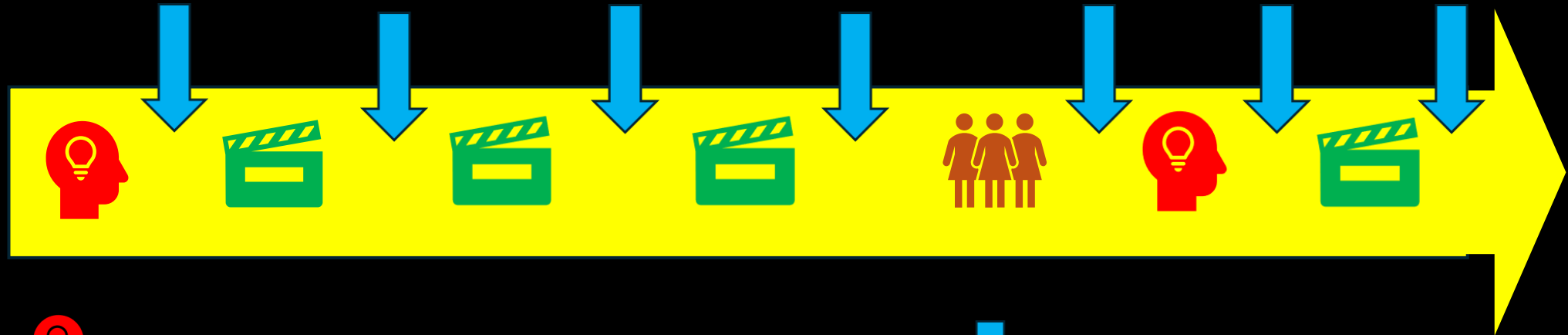
Name	Code	Refer	Modi	Modi	Class
~Picture me healthy~ a pilot study using photovoice to explore health perceptions among migrant youth i	4	4	27/0	HG	Refe
'Communication sovereignty' as resistance~ strategies adopted by women farmers amid the agrarian crisis	1	1	27/0	HG	Refe
'Walking along with development'~ Climate resilient pathways for political resource curses	2	2	27/0	HG	Refe
"There is food we deserve, and there is food we do not deserve" Food injustice, place and power in urban a	3	3	27/0	HG	Refe
A CASE STUDY ON THE INTERVENTION FOR CHANGE~ THE GSHCL'S INITIATIVE.	2	2	27/0	HG	Refe
A citizen science approach to identifying trace metal contamination risks in urban gardens	2	2	27/0	HG	Refe
A Community-Based, Environmental Chronic Disease Prevention Intervention to Improve Healthy Eating Ps	4	4	27/0	HG	Refe
A Comprehensive Process for Stakeholder Identification and Engagement in Addressing Wicked Water Res	3	4	27/0	HG	Refe
A coordinated school health approach to obesity prevention among Appalachian youth~ The winning with	2	2	27/0	HG	Refe
A Model to Promote Sustainable Social Change Based on the Scaling up of a High-Impact Technical Innova	4	5	27/0	HG	Refe
A rural community moves closer to sustainable obesity prevention - an exploration of community readines	1	1	27/0	HG	Refe
A smoke-free kitchen~ initiating community based co-production for cleaner cooking and cuts in carbon e	5	6	27/0	HG	Refe
A social perennial vision~ Transdisciplinary inquiry for the future of diverse, perennial grain agriculture	4	4	27/0	HG	Refe
A socially responsive university ~ teaching, research, community engagement and a community blog-site c	4	6	27/0	HG	Refe
A Theory of Change for Community-Based Systems Interventions to Prevent Obesity.	2	2	27/0	HG	Refe

L 181 Items

13:00
17/09/2025



Practice Development Timeline



Training



Participatory data Analysis Session



Group Level Assessment
Session



Critical
Reflection

Group Level Assessment

- What is Group Level Assessment?
- Four themes generated



Time



‘Many voices’



My influence

***'But you
have to decide'.***



Literacy



**Cake is
essential!**

***'It's a lot,
but...'***







Conclusions

- Facilitators
- Inclusion
- Voice
- Power
- Community dissemination
- Acceptable
- BUT...



Refs

- Best, P. et al. (2021) 'Participatory theme elicitation: open card sorting for user led qualitative data analysis', *International Journal of Social Research Methodology*, 0(0), pp. 1–19. doi:10.1080/13645579.2021.1876616.
- Jackson, S.F. (2008) A Participatory Group Process to Analyse Qualitative Data. *Progress in Community Health Partnerships: Research, Education, and Action* 2(2), 161-170. doi:10.1353/cpr.0.0010.
- Nind, M. et al. (2011) Participatory data analysis: a step too far? *Qualitative Research*, 11, 4. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1468794111404310>
- Yap, J. et al. (2020) 'An exercise intervention for people with serious mental illness: Findings from a qualitative data analysis using participatory theme elicitation', *Health Expectations*, 23(6), pp. 1579–1593. doi:10.1111/hex.13141.