



New Zealand Sexual Health Society Conference 2017

Evaluation Report

Dear Committee,

The following report details the feedback from delegates who attended the New Zealand Sexual Health Society 39th Annual Conference 2017 that was held at The Chateau On The Park, A Double Tree by Hilton from 7 to 9 September 2017.

The survey was distributed to 200 delegates on 15 September 2017 after the conference had concluded. Of the 200 delegates, 86 delegates completed the conference evaluation, which equates to a 43% response rate.

The following report details the responses received from the conference evaluation.

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Delegate Role

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Registration Process

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Better Informed about the principles of equality, quality of care, accountability

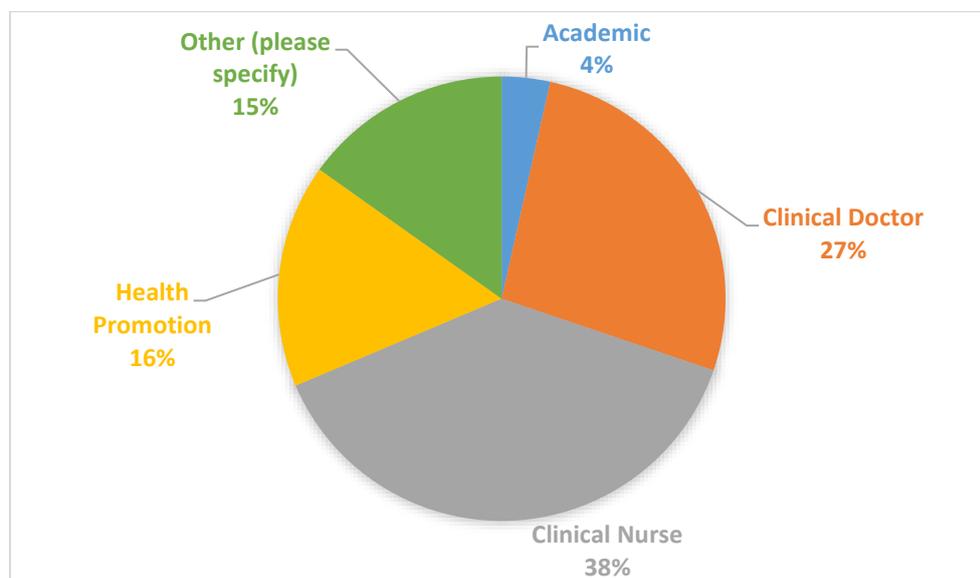
How equality, quality of care and accountability will change practices

Future Speakers

Most Beneficial Aspect

Questions

1. Which category best describes your role?



Answer Choices	Responses	
Academic	3.49%	3
Clinical Doctor	26.74%	23
Clinical Nurse	38.37%	33
Health Promotion	16.28%	14
Teacher	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	15.12%	13
Answered		86

'Other' responses included:

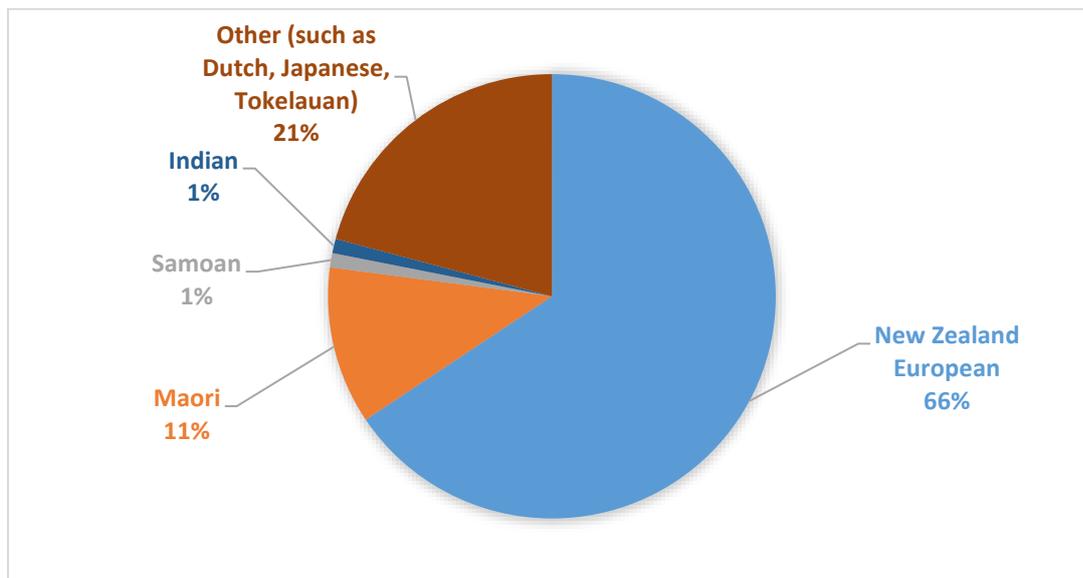
- Sexuality and positive relationships counsellor
- Psychotherapist
- Research nurse
- Lab technician
- registered nurse
- Nurse Practitioner
- Sexual Health Advisor
- Medical scientist - Head of Department in Microbiology
- Researcher
- Project Consultant contractor
- Nursing student
- Manager
- Midwifery Lecturer

2. Which organisation are you employed by?

- BOP DHB
- 298 Youth Health Centre
- ADHB
- Anamata CAFÉ (2)
- Ara Institute of Canterbury
- Aspiring Medical Centre (2)
- Auckland Sexual Health Services (4)
- BOP DHB (4)
- Canterbury District Health Board (9)
- Canterbury SCL
- Christchurch Womens Hospital
- Community and Public Health
- Compass Health (4)
- DHB (2)
- Family Planning (3)
- He Waka Tapu / Casua Christchurch Sexual Health Clinic
- In Private Practice, Consultant to NZ Prostitutes Collective (NZPC) Sexual Health Clinic Counsellor
- Kapiti Youth Support
- Kokiri Marae Health + Social Services
- Korowai Youth Wellbeing Trust- operating as 298 Youth Health
- Lakes DHB
- Lakes DHB and Compass Health
- Massey University
- MidCentral Health, HBDHB
- Nelson Sexual Health
- New Zealand AIDS Foundation (2)
- NMDHB
- Northland DHB (2)
- Nurse Maude
- NZAF (2)
- NZPC
- Otago Polytech
- Otago university student health , Family planning Dunedin
- Positive Women Inc. (2)
- Public Health Wanganui DHB
- Regional Public Health
- SDHB
- SDHB and Maori Hill Clinic
- self employed
- South Canterbury District Health Board
- Southern DHB (2)
- TDHB (2)
- Te kaha o te rangatahi trust
- Te Whāriki Takapou
- UC health Centre , Canterbury university

- University of Otago (3)
- Waikato DHB (5)
- WCDHB (2)
- Wellington Sexual Health
- Whanganui District Health Board

3. Which ethnic group do you identify with? (Optional, you may choose more than 1)

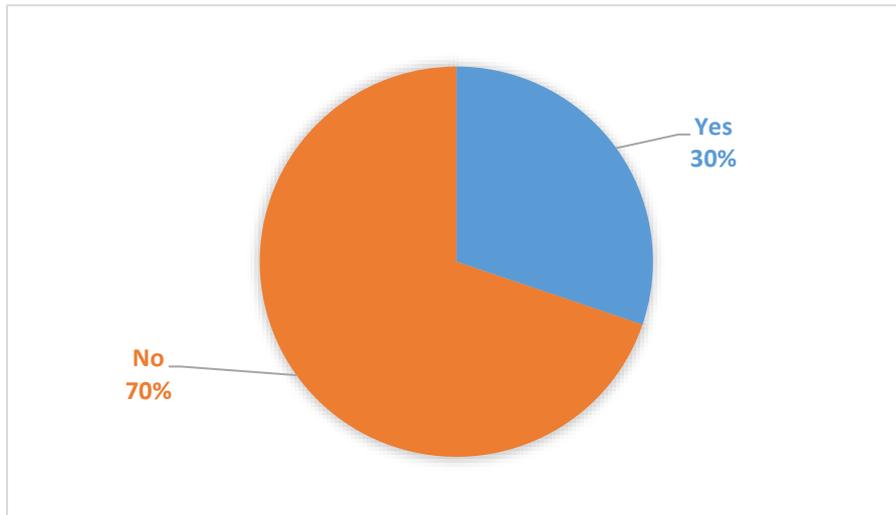


Answer Choices	Responses	
New Zealand European	73.26%	63
Maori	12.79%	11
Samoan	1.16%	1
Cook Island Maori	0.00%	0
Tongan	0.00%	0
Chinese	0.00%	0
Indian	1.16%	1
Other (such as Dutch, Japanese, Tokelauan)	23.26%	20
Answered		86

'Other' single answers

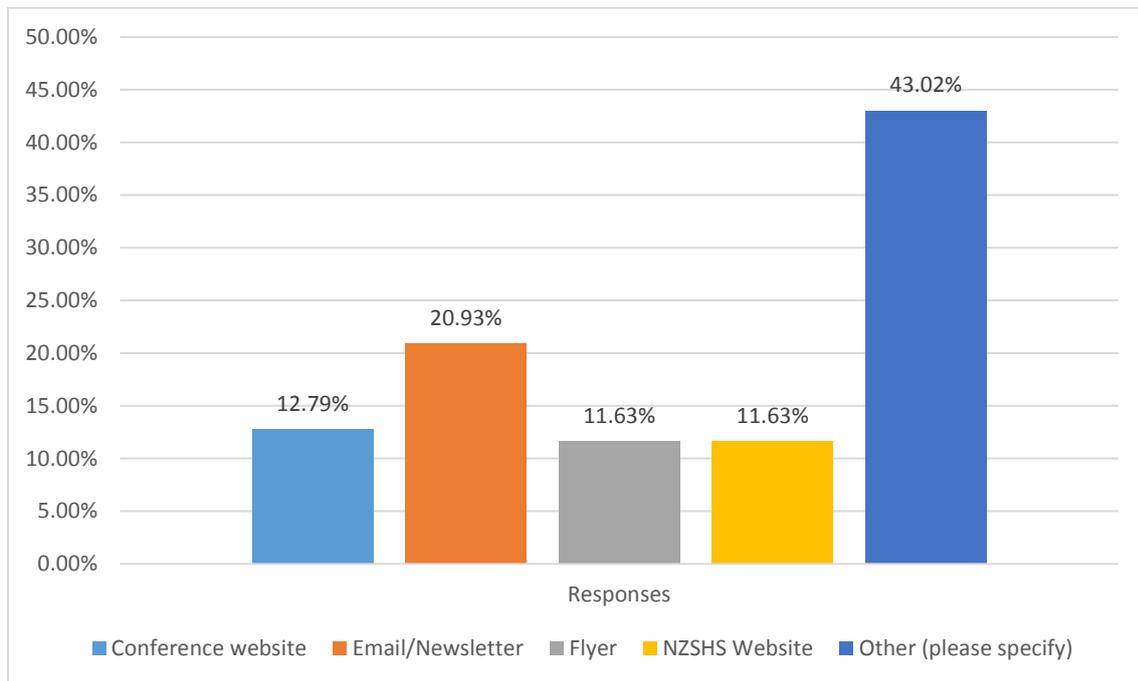
- Australian
- British (5)
- Canadian/ first nations
- Dutch
- English (3)
- European (2)
- Fijian
- German
- Italian
- North American
- Scottish
- Welsh (2)

4. Are you a NZSHS member?



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	30.23%	26
No	69.77%	60
Answered		86

5. How did you hear about this conference?



Answer Choices	Responses	
Conference website	12.79%	11
Email/Newsletter	20.93%	18
Flyer	11.63%	10
NZSHS Website	11.63%	10
Other (please specify)	43.02%	37
Answered		86

6. Having recently attended this year's conference, do you feel better informed about the principles of equality, quality of care and accountability as they relate to sexual health?

1		2		3		4		5		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	2.33%	2	17.44%	15	48.84%	42	31.40%	27	86	4.09
Answered											86

7. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The general organisation of the conference:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	2.33%	2	12.79%	11	24.42%	21	60.47%	52	0.00%	0	86	4.43
Answered													86

Comments:

- Initial issues with website with regards to registration an up-to-date information
- Good but for nurses would be good to have more programme content earlier in order to request funding
- Pre conference administration/registration communication was not very good. Took time to get answers and some instructions were not followed through, requiring further communication to clarify.
- Found 10-15min speakers hard going
- Needed to allocate more time for presenters to introduce themselves and for changeover/questions after their presentation.
- I think it's really important for the Society to understand the significance of partnering with mana whenua (e.g. kaumātua and representatives of local iwi and invited keynotes), and to treat them as partners rather than 'add-ons' to the conference proceedings.'
- It seemed a bit disorganised behind the scene prior but it went ok on the day.
- Reactive to numbers who wanted to attend the clinical session and changed the rooms around

8. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The venue and its facilities:

1		2		3		4		5		X (no opinion)		Total	Weighted Average
1.16%	1	3.49%	3	19.77%	17	26.74%	23	48.84%	42	0.00%	0	86	4.19
Answered												86	

Comments:

- PA sound technicians need a hard word! The owners of the COTP also need a hard word - keeping us all cold on several occasions
- Very cold
- Limited seating for meal breaks
- Chairs too close together and difficult to see often!
- It was very hard to read the power point presentations, even from the front half of the room, as the screen was quite small
- The venue was excellent the only area which was very disappointing (hence the 3 score) was with the technician who seemed to struggle with getting videos and sound working. This happened with a number of presentations which must have been very disappointing for the presenters who put considerable effort into preparing their presentations and meant the attendees also missed out.
- IT things seemed to be an ongoing issue
- The screens were small
- Seats were hard for me not used to 8hrs sitting but org. staff very helpful
- Some sessions were in too small a room
- Air conditioning could be improved
- This would be a 5 except the AV person didn't test a single presentation and failed to play movies and audio which impacted the presentations impact and flow
- Very cold at times and the technical difficulties made things difficult for presenters
- I was a presenter and the IT set up wasn't great, otherwise good venue
- Sometimes felt a little cold- lovely accommodation
- Heating/cooling was interesting at times

9. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The programme booklet:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	1.16%	1	3.49%	3	23.26%	20	72.09%	62	0.00%	0	86	4.66
Answered													86

Comments:

- Liked it very much for ease of use
- I would have liked more room to write notes at each session
- one day registration, no delegate list. Would have been useful
- Do a bio of all the speakers
- Excellent!
- Very informative and a good place to make notes
- Would have been good to have notes for all the speakers
- More information on each presenter would have been good for those of us who don't know them all
- Can the full booklet please be made available online - helpful for academics who need evidence that abstracts are publically available (for PBRF purposes).
- Could be available earlier if possible
- Excellent
- Would have liked speaker biography included
- I loved this booklet as was able to take notes on the sessions attended

10. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The relevance of the themes chosen:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	1.16%	1	11.63%	10	30.23%	26	55.81%	48	1.16%	1	86	4.44
Answered													86

Comments:

- HPV -very much a developing area and relevant to me, esp in my role as Outreach Cx Smear taker
- Henares welcome was good a type of te reo immersion but for non-speakers Maori and pakeha Pacifica included sub title in English should be provided
- Felt like there could have been more content directly linking to health promotion
- Brilliant this year
- I didn't see much connection to the conference theme at all. In fact it wasn't even printed on the banners. Hardly any of the presentations related to the theme either.
- Really enjoyed but generally not enough time for each speaker

11. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The quality of the speakers and their contribution:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	0.00%	0	2.33%	2	26.74%	23	70.93%	61	0.00%	0	86	4.69
Answered													86

Comments:

- Some presenters are naturally talented - then there's just others. Time allocations are always an issue when presenters try to cram too much in and one's brain jams
- impressed with the range of speakers
- Some speakers were absolutely amazing and informative - easy and interesting to listen to. Made up for those who lacked lustre!
- A good variety of speakers
- Mostly of high quality
- A bit mixed - some were very engaging, others not so much.

12. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The time allocated to the presentation:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
6.98%	6	9.30%	8	23.26%	20	36.05%	31	24.42%	21	0.00%	0	86	3.62
Answered													86

13. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The Keynote Speakers:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	1.16%	1	2.33%	2	22.09%	19	70.93%	61	3.49%	3	86	4.73
Answered												86	

Comments:

- A little longer for some sessions please
- I would have like some speakers for longer, but generally the short time kept me interested!
- good overview for the audience - a less clinical opening speech may suit the mixed audience better
- Hana O'Regan was particularly good.
- Hana O'Regan was outstanding
- Inspirational people
- Fifteen minutes sessions to rushed
- Hana was awesome and really gave me some things to think about.
- Hana O'Regan - excellent.
- more time for questions
- Particularly enjoyed Hana O'Regan, she brought the conference to life! Her keynote spoke to the conference theme, provided context for the presentations that followed and provoked us to evaluate our practice.
- Particularly Hana O'Regan
- I understand why short presentations were used but some of them were too fast and hard to take notes...
- Hana was brilliant and set the tone for the whole conference. I really enjoyed her challenge! Also it was timely to have David Templeton present particularly with what's happening in NSW in reducing HIV transmissions
- I think that some of the sessions could have easily been extended to 30 minutes.

14. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

The balance between health promotion and clinical sessions:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
3.57%	3	2.38%	2	9.52%	8	44.05%	37	36.90%	31	3.57%	3	84	4.19
Answered													84
Skipped													2

Comments:

- Difficult to answer as a clinician/researcher always going to attend clinical sessions
- I only attended clinical sessions
- Although I wanted to attend both!
- Breakout sessions forced a choice between the two.
- great but would've liked to attend both streams at once
- It is always hard to pick which sessions to attend, however this time I choose more the clinical sessions
- More clinical sessions please
- Would like to have been at both in some sessions!
- comparing to other recent conferences there was good content for clinicians rather than at nurse level
- Would have been nice to have some at separate times as there were several that I would have liked to attend both!!
- Health promotion sessions were not very good
- Can't comment as only one attendance
- I personally prefer more clinical
- I think there would be a lot of benefit in clinicians attending health promotion presentations and vice versa. I'd like to see less streaming of sessions.
- Suggest fewer sessions with separate streams - quality speakers/topics that I didn't get to hear because in separate streams
- Not enough time allocated.
- Much better this year, good balance
- Too much health promotion, not enough clinical and basic science.

15. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

Relevance of this conference to your current work:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	5.81%	5	5.81%	5	25.58%	22	61.63%	53	1.16%	1	86	4.47
Answered												86	

16. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

Relevance of this conference to your institution's needs:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	2.33%	2	15.12%	13	29.07%	25	51.16%	44	2.33%	2	86	4.36
Answered												86	

17. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

Extent to which you have acquired information that is new to you:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	3.49%	3	16.28%	14	47.67%	41	32.56%	28	0.00%	0	86	4.09
Answered												86	

18. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

Usefulness for you of the information that you have acquired:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	2.33%	2	10.47%	9	39.53%	34	47.67%	41	0.00%	0	86	4.33
Answered												86	

19. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

Extent to which the content of this conference matched the announced objectives:
Always Advancing, Building Bridges and Creating Change

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
1.16%	1	3.49%	3	13.95%	12	43.02%	37	33.72%	29	4.65%	4	86	4.19
Answered												86	

20. Using the scale 1 to 5 (where 1 is unsatisfactory and 5 is very good, and X is no opinion) how would you rate: Unsatisfactory --> Very Good

Overall usefulness of this conference:

1		2		3		4		5		X		Total	Weighted Average
0.00%	0	1.16%	1	11.63%	10	30.23%	26	56.98%	49	0.00%	0	86	4.43
Answered												86	

21. What did you find most useful/least useful in the conference?

Please indicate any comments and suggestions you may have

Comments:

1. I really enjoyed the key note speakers and their findings. more innovations/ideas that we can take back to our own practise - personally I am not the most imaginative so would have liked to have taken more things that I could implement straight away.
2. Useful update on HPV emphasis on Te Reo
3. I found the presence of NZPC awesome. I also found the introduction to pornography a useful topic to consider.
4. Finding out about other organisations and their courageous work around NZ plus I enjoyed the collegiate networking very much and the particular brand of English breakfast teabags supplied was outstanding - least useful was the Sound delivery - and I did like the company at the Dinner evening however the room set up and the overall party fun impact management was particularly weak
5. The clinical sessions - HPV talks, Biopsy demo, mycoplasma sessions, also keynote by Hana
6. Networking
7. Networking, meeting other health promoters.
8. All the talks I attended were of a very high standard, informative and engaging.
9. HPV, Gonorrhoea/MenzB, Hana O'Regan, Mycoplasma genitalium, Gonorrhoea, What crisis?, Provision of ECP in SHC, Partner notification/contact tracing all very interesting, relevant and useful to me
10. I enjoyed 90% of the talks. For me in my role I would like more basic, practical sex health info. RE: overview of different diseases but with updates as to current treatments/ lab specimens etc.
11. Overall I thought it was really well run, great information, I learnt a lot. I liked the large presence of Maori health providers and there being Maori input through the conference. I felt like there was a bit of repetition on mycoplasma genitalium and PrEP -more practical sessions on both of these would have been good though. Overall an excellent conference and I left feeling excited and informed!
12. The Maori perspectives component.
13. Clinical updates
14. All useful
15. Most useful: MSM,Porn, SWers., Maori identity
16. Being able to move between concurrent sessions
17. excellent to hear the updates and to see the dynamics play out between different members and of the society
18. The sessions on PrEP
19. A few presentations were rather rushed but being able to view some of them later on the website is good.
20. Having the booklet with the abstracts very useful, and the stalls

21. Topics on HPV were very informative
22. The presentations on Maori sexual health. Hana O Regan's presentation and Te Whariki Takapou's. I work predominantly with Maori so this information was very useful
23. Found NZPC talks, Nana O'Regan's talks particularly helpful. Although a lot of the conference content was familiar to me always good to hear material presented from different slant
24. Most useful - Maori input and issues, pornography issue being included, networking opportunities, having input into the SRH Action Plan, Voices from the Community session.
Least useful - can't think of anything!
25. Most useful was the clinical session on the last day - management of M genitalium, syphilis cases, guidelines, HPV
26. Happy with all of it . some things very relevant - others may not be but can be interesting
27. Most - as I approach a project with sex workers I found the presentations around this very informative and useful. And backed by the accessibility of NZPC stall for more discussion and questions.
Least - nothing really. I got something out of everything.
28. PREP, biopsy and Mycoplasma sessions most useful. Hana O'Regan and Tawhanga Nopera most inspiring.
29. Too much time spent on PREP
30. Information about MG - most useful
Information re. porn and prostitution
Key note speakers were amazing!
Found too much about HIV and PREP etc - would have been good to have some other options during these topics as there is other areas more relevant to use in our geographical area
31. Up to date statistics
Hearing about what else is going on in NZ
32. Presentations, networking were valuable
Information on PrEP was great as I have several patients inquiring about this
33. Prep roll out - useful and syphilis / mycoplasma info .
Least useful - street based sexworkers in chch
34. Too much Prep presentation for me as we actually doing it, nothing new to me.
35. Statistics, updated information on the NZSHS guidelines, thinking outside the square, research on vaccine
36. Most useful - Presentations relevant to clinical practice / take home messages eg Mycoplasma / PreP / Biopsy tutorial and genital tract cancers / impact of pornography.
Some repetition / hard to make the 'drier' academic / lab presentations more interesting.
Lots of 15 minute presentations were challenging.
37. M.G. information on was very useful but rushed; PrEp info was greatly needed.
Pornography presentations were appropriately horrifying and would have benefited from much more time for the presentations. the biopsy tutorial was excellent
38. Being a nurse I found the medical side of the conference very informative. great to see lots of new data, research etc

39. I enjoyed all the presentations/events during the conference.
40. The lived experience of some speakers was powerful.
41. *Mycoplasma genitalium* and Hana O'Regan's talk.
42. General update in the area of Sexual Health
43. The mix of health promotion and clinical
44. In summary good content for clinicians. Please provide translation of Maori powhiri particularly if lengthy as with this one. Consider a marae venue. Surgical presentation was poorly judged for time an interesting concept with meal /tea breaks is to allow some extra time in lecture area with some food provided so extra time for shared questions. I have experienced this at American meetings where the exhibit areas are limited.
45. Hana's presentation. ESR update, Lightbox presentation. NZAF prep talk & MSM App usage
46. New to this field so gaining an overall understanding of the different services available and making links with other attendees was worthwhile.
The 15 min allocations for speakers often was not enough plus no time for questions - think it needs to be programmed in as a lot of learning happens from the questions generated. Would have liked more time on porn and its impact, the changes to the guidelines and syphilis
47. Most useful - Information about antibiotic resistance/ *Mycoplasma genitalium*.
Least useful - very packed schedule over 1.5 days. Almost too much to take in and several concurrent talks that would have liked to attend both to give better personal balance for Clinical/ health promotion
Clinical session on punch biopsy
48. Presentation slots for key speakers too short. Felt they should have been allowed more time, especially for time to ask questions.
49. Most Useful:
NZAF presentation re: social apps
David Templeton's presentations
Hana O'Regan
Jill Sherwood
Heather Young
Nikki Jo & Claire re: Porn
Least Useful:
Richard Tankersley
Jo Elvidge
50. I found Hanna's talk useful and also how other providers are doing
51. I enjoyed the presentations around PrEP, HIV etc. However the sessions on Neurosyphilis and *Mycoplasma genitalium* felt like they need to be in the clinical sessions as they were very technical.
52. Information on porn
53. Talks on *Mycoplasma genitalium* was most helpful.
I think that some of the talks were a bit rushed due to time
54. Networking - a raised awareness of the struggle health providers have time, resources, finances etc.

Gave me a renewed resolve to try and get relevant and better sexual testing within the community lab in Canterbury.

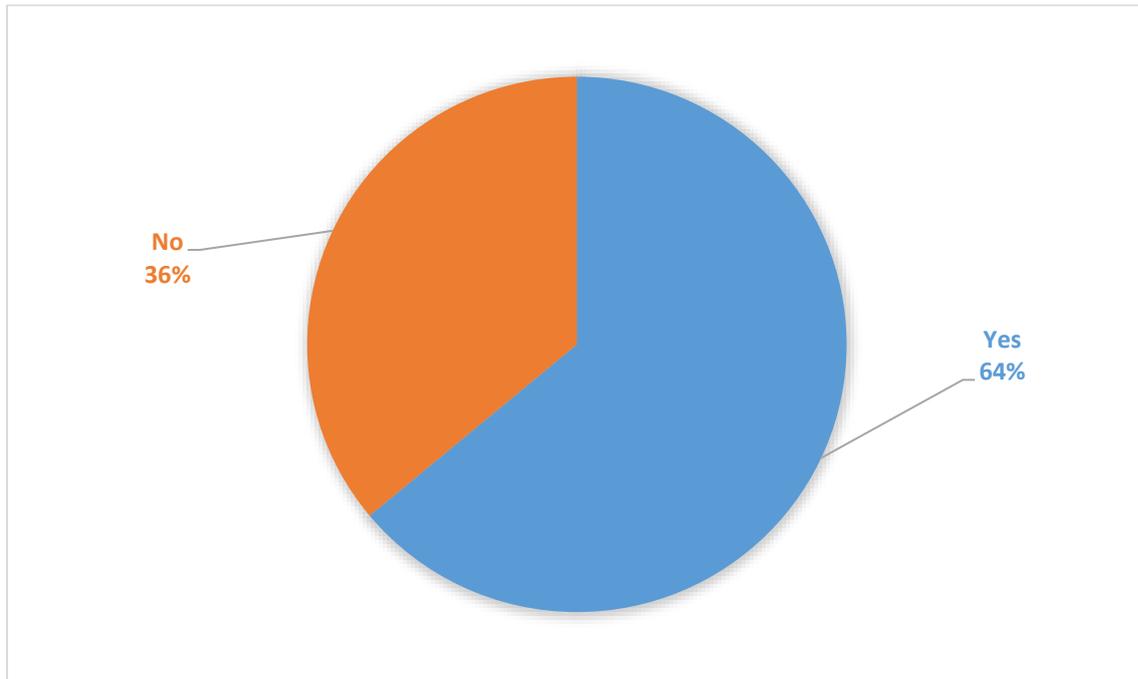
55. Sessions on HIV prophylaxis / ECP/ porn/ Mycoplasma gen, biopsies- great and more time for questions please.
56. Partner notification/prep/mycoplasma- most nothing least
57. Keynote speaker
58. Nothing to add
59. All of it was useful and added depth of understanding on many levels
60. Networking was good. Great to connect with colleagues from around New Zealand
61. PrEP information relating to the NZ setting
62. PREP, Mycoplasma, Transgender
63. Mycoplasma ,biopsies
64. Great plenaries
65. Pornification.
Hana's talk
66. The sessions on MG and also on doing biopsies
67. Prep info was great. Session by Richard Tankersley was not great
68. No comment
69. Useful - Hanna Reagan, David Templeton's update, Biopsy tutorial, NZPC update, scientific re mycoplasma. I think you did a great job with the program, spot on.
70. It's a challenge to present in 15min slots though - but I like the concept of thinking about what you need to present in a short time - but maybe 20 minutes more realistic to give time for a Mihi and breathing between presentations as a presenter I found the IT set up a bit tricky - would have been great to be able to see the notes fields on the presenters view, have a pointer that worked reliably to flick between slides
71. Great opportunity to meet with others working in the field, good to get updates on recent developments - e.g. the HPV vaccine, new guidelines, PrEP.
72. Heather Young's update on guidelines etc. at the end was excellent.
Least useful: Jo Elvidge's update - the apparent lack of progress was really frustrating!!
Conference dinner was also a bit disappointing - the seated table arrangement meant that no one really mingled.
73. Hana O'Reagan for the insight into Maori sexual health. Mycoplasma genitalium.
74. Spent most time at clinical sessions all useful, would have been good to see more health promotion sessions as well.
75. All presentations on HPV, audits from other clinics on contact tracing, Prep were informative and well presented.
76. The Clinical stream was great but sadly I would have also liked to have attended some of the Health Promotion stream.
77. MG infection update
Biopsy practise Prep
78. Clinical information as my staff member is a health promoter but if I was attending annually I would like to see the conference be more balanced in the speakers and topics. I would like to see those presenting about Maori/Pacific aspects be on both day 1 and day 2, that it be seen as valued and needed especially when the priority population outlined

by all clinical people that highest numbers are from Maori and Pacific peoples. It does make me think that there is an aspect of 'we know better', being done to rather than with perspective.

79. Hana O'Regan- Just amazing and informative
Richard Tankersly- sorry, to me waffled on about nothing.
80. Good range of topics. A lot was got through in a short period of time. I would have liked to see more panel discussions around issues. For example the panel discussion following the PrEP presentations could have been expanded and given other questions.
81. Disappointed at the Sexual & Reproductive Health Action Plan workshop.
82. New information about Prep and mycoplasma
83. It would have been nice to be able to sit at lunch especially with the style of food provided.
Enjoyed the networking and finding out what others had to offer
84. Networking, acquiring knowledge about HPV, Prep and Transgender all very interesting
85. Most useful: networking; PrEP session
Least useful: some plenary speakers were not up to the task.
86. Networking

22. Have you ever attended a sexual health conference before?

Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	63.95%	55
No	36.05%	31
Answered		86



23. Which other topics would you like the NZ Sexual Health Society Conference to cover at future conferences?

1. Legal issues - e.g. under aged sex
2. abortion/ forensic sexual assault medicine
3. Continue with pornography.
4. Implications of clinical impacts on patient Mental health and emotional well-being - finding progressive strategies
5. More clinical for doctors - more time allocated
6. More Community input. Health Promotion and clinical is still segregated. A change needs to happen
7. All covered
8. Just a session perhaps on the basics, for those that say work with youth but are not at sex health clinic so skills can be low.
9. Continuing to keep us updated on new and topical sexual health issues.
10. More time to work with MOH on policy moving forward - the workshop was good but too short
11. More psychological/psychotherapeutic in clinical stream to add to medical model for holistic sexual health care options
12. Sexual addiction. PE. ED.
A speaker who is giving their personal story on a sexual matter - as has been presented at previous conferences e.g. detective in Auckland HIV case.
13. topics exceeded my expectations, they were broad
14. Vulval pain sexual dysfunction
15. Genital dermatology
16. Unsure
17. Equitable treatment for gender and sexual diverse patients
18. Best practice on Indigenous sexual health promotion.
19. Ministry facilitated session on service delivery - the workshop was too short
20. More in the area of sexual violence/violence against women, consent issues etc.
Sexuality and people with disabilities.
21. We always used to have a Sexual Assault satellite symposium in conjunction with DSAC/MEDSAC. This needs to return. Also men's erectile function
22. Open to anything to broaden my knowledge
23. A colleague asked me what was available around sex, sexuality and the disabled. I think this is an area that is still quite invisible and needs addressed.
24. Practical strategies to improve access and equity
25. More transgender content
26. More about MG
More about contraception
27. follow up on the research on MeNZB and gono
28. Topics were well covered
29. nothing I can think about right now
30. Continue to have a variety of components that relate to sexual health
31. Continue management updates in the clinical setting / changing world of antibiotics etc.

32. Genital dermatology
33. I would like an opportunity to talk with my nursing peers and discuss how our services are delivered, share information so we can make changes if necessary.
I find the conferences very relevant with our changing society and excellent topics are covered
34. I think the conference always has a good variety of topics and relevant content. Keep up the good work...
35. More time allocated to the presentation around porn.
36. Nursing content
37. More around the issues related to young people and porn
38. Brief interventions for behaviour change
39. this year was a well-balanced programme consider marae based meeting with appropriate funding to hosts more Maori health talks about taboos etc. in health promotion and treatments etc. engage someone at top level akin the late rangi walker or pacific expert
40. Opportunities to create regional/national responses to address SH
41. More on Syphilis please
42. Workshops around Maori responsiveness to build capacity to complement the focus on Maori health.
43. More about syphilis - all stages.
Vulval disorders
Sexual dysfunction
44. more clinical, dermatology especially
45. I thought there was a wide variety of topics covered/
46. contact tracing,
Sexual Hx taking in a LGBTI world
47. No idea at the moment
48. LGBTQIA+ topic specifically not just in passing like was covered in this conference.
49. I'm not sure
50. Herpes
51. As a laboratory person I feel I am not qualified to comment - for me the content was very relevant on the Saturday
52. More of the same !!
53. Discussion around software packages used in nz sh clinics
54. Public and clinical updates are quite well balanced; seems to be too much time spent on health promotion (it's fairly basic) also more trans and porn issues.
55. Nothing to add
56. Unsure at this stage
57. None
58. Impact of syphilis increase in NZ.
59. Syphilis and practical management
60. BV
61. Transgender
62. More on interpreting syphilis serology
63. Whatever is new and emerging like the prep stuff was
64. There were no topics missing from this conference. I liked that it was all topical and relevant. Maybe some psychosexual aspects would be helpful though
65. I'd like to have a more in-depth look at Porn - I'd like to know more about the breadth of the porn landscape and have presented an understand of why it's so popular -

66. Range of topics was good in this year's conference,
I have no particular suggestions for future conferences
67. Sexual dysfunction
68. More on Transgender care helpful for me, but realise not everyone does this.
69. Any current topic as HPV Vaccination is at the moment and Prep.
70. Was pleased re the session on ECP from Clinical Stream would like a Contraceptive update included as a lot of nurses work in Sexual & reproductive health.
71. Transgender care more time required, PEP
72. Health promotion case studies. A lot of clinical case studies but no health promotion. Want to see more of the people factor but appreciate the majority of attendees are clinical.
73. There is a large Asian/Pacific population who are also New Zealanders- I would like to see topics which also cover them in future conferences.
Having a meeting for Sexual Health Nurses/Health Advisors from Sexual Health Clinics incorporated into the program would be very useful.
74. Perhaps a session on advocacy?
75. Would like to see some relevant topics around pregnancy
76. Pretty much covered everything, perhaps more about other cultures and their perception about sexual health
77. Antibiotic stewardship and sexual health
78. Interface with govt policy. Given the crucial timing around the new action plan it would have been good to give this more time when the whole sector was together.

24. Please indicate any other comments / suggestions for follow-:

1. I have not attended a sexual health conference for some years and I found the Te Reo and quality of Te Roe spoken and understood to be most wonderful
2. I found the talks too limited by time; often cut short.
3. I was proud to be associated to NZPC when they won one of the Conference presentation prizes. As a close on looker - I think your panel made a really wise call - the quality of NZPC's work is exceptional and I feel that this fact was well demonstrated via our two presenters Tracy and Bridie.
4. Better website management
5. For Sexual Health Services to survive long term. Community clinics/ education with in the community.
6. Translation of Maori components.
Less or no religious/spiritual rituals
7. The AV and the time given to speakers were the main issues with the conference. Videos took so long to load for people that it ate into their very short allotted time, which meant they would rush the rest of the talk which was a shame. There was rarely a chance for questions in any of the break-out sessions because speakers did not have time. Maybe 15 minutes for the talk and another 5 for questions might work better? There also seemed to be an issue with the slide-mover/pointer not working for a lot of presenters. The time allotted for the NZSHS AGM was not long enough. Advanced warning needed about the time the conference starts up on the website. Several people arrived into Christchurch early Thursday because they had booked their flights not realising the conference didn't start until 5pm.
8. Thank you very much. I found it a very inspiring conference, increased knowledge and enthusiasm!
9. Seats to sit on inside for lunch time please.
10. A bit of movement (30 second dance party! or something!) between speakers! I found it difficult to sit still for so long!!!
11. Fantastic, loved it, lovely team you have in Chch, very helpful and kind
12. The teenagers watching Porn on internet was too short.
Extended session on Porn at next conference would be welcomed.
13. Ability to attend half day rather than loose a day of conference
Thank you for the work with this conference
14. Overall, well run and great catering
15. Beautiful hui. Nga mihi nui
16. continue topics on targeted interventions and resource utilisation
17. Re people with disabilities - a very good speaker would be Annette Milligan from Health Click. She produces resources re sexuality/sexual health for young people and people with learning disabilities and is a great advocate. Contact: info@healthclick.co.nz or 027 434 6506.
18. Make the conference cheaper and get Family Planning involved. They have completely separated out from NZSHS (sad)
19. Maybe 20 mins for short pieces better than 15 just so questions can be accommodated
20. I applaud the organisers for the Te Ao Maori input. This conference had more te reo Maori, tikanga practiced and a continuous, joyous presence of things Maori than any other conference I have ever attended. And I've attended a fair few. Tumeke!
21. Great conference!
22. Great food, great venue
23. The food and venue was amazing!!!!
Good chance to network

24. Thank you for all organising such a great event!
25. great venue, plenty of parking
26. Overall excellent but would love to have seen Maori translation on screen at welcome function.
27. overall it was a good conference
28. Always take away learnings / great networking and re-energising in this often challenging field.
29. The conference felt very rushed. I would have preferred to spend all day Saturday at the conference to allow more time for the presentations and questions. That would still have left Saturday night and Sunday for everyone to make their way home.
30. Thank you very much and special thank you to the NZSHS for the gift of my fees and formal dinner. Kind regards Karen
31. 15 minutes is too short and disrespectful to presenters and their topic. I would prefer to have fewer, good quality, presentations. Appropriate time would be about 30 mins. Overall however, it was a very good conference. The areas marked low, are done so in the spirit of providing constructive feedback to assist in preparation of future conferences... not as grumpy complaints...:-) Thank you every one for all the hard work in putting the event together....
32. I enjoyed the conference
33. Thank you for a great conference
34. I would of preferred some of the sessions having more time
35. What is the NZSH membership annual sub process as the web site was not working
36. Thank you for your energy and effort in regard to putting the NZSHS conference together.
37. Disappointed with the diner, late change of venue plus didn't think the food was worth the price
38. Fantastic conference with inspiring key speakers. Went home mentally exhausted but buzzing!
39. The posters weren't in a good place they would have been best set up where we ate. When presenters introduce themselves is it possible that they either translate into English themselves or the translation be up on the screen and vice versa
40. No questions
41. I felt like the conference was always stretched for time. I feel that often the most valuable takeaways come from question/answers after the presentation and a lot of the time there wasn't that opportunity and so I feel that there was a huge missed opportunity to learn the most from the presenters.
42. Thanks
43. I thought this was a well-run conference - relaxed atmosphere - I love being in the company of people with passions and this was apparent in the speakers - keep doing what you are doing
44. Great conference.
45. Upload the slides asap please
46. More practical work-shops
47. The conference hall was too cold
48. Sound very poor in the large conference room, especially when sitting near the back.
49. Well done. An excellent, inspiring conference.
I didn't attend the social evening but I wish I had, by all accounts!
50. Consider fewer split sessions to allow more collaboration/learning across multidisciplinary groups-will likely still need some separate time but it's a shame that most clinicians missed out on some fabulous non-clinical presentations
51. More on MG

52. Consider making a student rate for attendance. It is important to have succession planning in health care and students do not get exposure to this field without opportunities like this.
53. I was surprised that there seemed to have been an arrangement made re the conference and the set charge of \$25 for breakfast that I was blissfully unaware of until I went to pay. So even though I ordered a \$13 omelette, I paid \$25. The venue staff told me that this was part of the conference negotiated prices. I wish I'd known this beforehand.
54. Please thank the organisers - I felt it was one of the best Sexual Health conferences I've been to for great useful relevant information and topics
55. Please make full conference booklet available online.
Access to slide presentations online (where presenters have agreed) will be useful.
Add date of next conference to NZSHS website sooner rather than later
56. Great to have short sharp information session- bet to have had more time for questions though where speakers spoke for all their allocated time.
57. Was an enjoyable informative conference with something for everyone? Great networking opportunity to see what everyone else is doing.
58. Please can I have a Certificate of attendance?
59. Thanks was a well organised conference
60. Overall all a good conference but if you want to see shifts in numbers for Maori and Pacific you need to have higher numbers of Maori and Pacific attending which means they need to see themselves up front, presenting.
61. Thank you to our Christchurch team who had to put up with a lot of challenges to arrange this conference. Their professionalism in arranging the conference was appreciated and noted.
62. Heather's final presentation nicely wrapped up the conference and with such enthusiasm and passion.
63. I enjoyed going to this conference and will attend again next year
64. Well facilitated, good displays, and venue.
65. Less wishy-washy psychosocial stuff and more hard science please.