

Methods for involving consumers in systematic reviews

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Consumer involvement

- **A lot of different experts have important knowledge relevant to a systematic review:**

Research experts



Consumer involvement

- A lot of different experts have important knowledge relevant to a systematic review:

Professional experts



Consumer involvement

- A lot of different experts have important knowledge relevant to a systematic review:

**Experience-based
experts**



Methods for consumer involvement



Methods for sharing
information

Discussions
Workshops
Interviews
Questionnaires
Research (systematic
reviews)

Methods for making
decisions

Show of hands
Secret voting
Nominal group
technique
Delphi technique

What to consider

- **Language**
- **Recruitment**
- **Time and place**
- **Reimbursements**
- **Meeting agenda and form**

Language

How would you explain 'systematic review'...

To a group of young people...

Who have dropped out of school...

Will they understand
me?

Will they get bored?

Will I understand
them?

Will they be
interested?

Will I be able to
explain myself
clearly?

Today:

- 1. Try out one of four methods for involving consumers in systematic reviews**

Reflect and make notes as you go along!