

Open-Ended Questions

- ❖ Questions are asked in a way that is open, inviting and accepting
- ❖ Can be used to determine the needs, knowledge level, and interests of the group
- ❖ Are asked without the expectation of a set, correct answer
- ❖ Ask about what someone thinks, what their experience is, or what they would do
- ❖ Invite participants to draw on their own life experiences and creativity
- ❖ Invite dialogue and engage participants by requiring reflection and critical thinking

Facilitation Skills



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Some examples:

“What do you think about ..?”

“How do these compare?”

“What would happen if...?”

“What are your questions?”

“What have you heard about...?”

“What experience have you had with...?”

Your open-ended questions:

