

[Download] Public Health Research Methods

Public Health Research Methods

From SAGE Publications, Inc
*ebooks | Download PDF | *ePub | DOC | audiobook*



 Download

 Read Online

#879791 in Books 2014-03-03Original language:EnglishPDF # 1 10.00 x 7.00 x 1.50l, 4.59 #File Name:
1452241333832 pages | File size: 74.Mb

From SAGE Publications, Inc : Public Health Research Methods before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Public Health Research Methods:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Thank youBy CustomerI am satisfied with earlier delivery than what I expected to. Thank you.0 of 3 people found the following review helpful. another great publicationsBy Rene L.Love all of the books by Guest and this is another great find! It is a must have for your library.1 of 2 people found the following review helpful. This book is soooo terribly dull. I know that research methods is not ...By M. SmithThis book is soooo terribly dull. I know that research methods is not the most exciting of topics, but come on! The chapters are somehow extremely lengthy, dense, and vague all at the same time.

Public Health Research Methods, edited by Greg Guest and Emily Namey, provides a comprehensive foundation for planning, executing, and monitoring public health research of all types. The book goes beyond traditional epidemiologic research designs to cover state-of-the-art, technology-based approaches emerging in the new public health landscape. Written by experts in the field, each chapter includes a description of the research method covered, examples of its application in public health, clear instructions on how to execute the method, and a discussion of emerging issues and future directions. In addition, each chapter addresses the topic in the context of global health and health disparities. Such breadth provides readers with practical tools they can use in the field, as well as a current understanding of conceptual discussions. Illustrated with engaging case studies that enhance understanding of the concepts presented, Public Health Research Methods is a comprehensive, must-have reference ideal for researchers in all sectors—government, academia, and non-profit.

"For students like mine, who are training in Community Health Practice, a textbook like this would be very useful as it has key research methods concepts from across the Public Health field."--Linda Highfield
"The content of this text is excellent and very current. I am impressed by the emphasis on community-based approaches, the effort to integrate examples from the current academic literature, and efforts to inform students of future directions in public health research."--Sandra Bulmer
"An excellent book for anyone who wants to conduct research in public health. It is very informative and it flows very well."--Roya Ghiaseddin
"..a well-conceived overview of the key themes in health research methods and a straightforward approach and focus."--Peter Benson
"It is an excellent public health textbook--well-written and covers all aspects of public health, especially modern public health."--Dhitinut Ratnapradipa
"The book makes research methods 'come alive' by providing information on the historical use of various methods and research findings."--Beverly Cigler
"It facilitates a 'big picture' view for students."--Karen Rich
"I actually really like the way the text is laid out. It seems like there is a good distinction between technical matters and theoretical perspectives."--Josh Packard
"It makes sense the way it goes from preparing research to designing and implementing research, and finishes with applications."--Michele Morrone
"The content is comprehensive, informative and valuable."--Tracey Barnfather
"The fact that the book extends beyond the general study designs covered in traditional research methods texts as well as provides specifics on planning and implementing research gives the reader a better understanding of how research operates."--Leslie Hinyard
"It is a good reference for any health care professional, especially for doctoral students in any health care field, including those pursuing a doctorate in education."--Linda Simunek
"Good overview all in one place."--Willie Oglesby
"Provides an overview of research methods and applications across the major public health disciplines."--Frederick Kviz
"..a well-conceived overview of the key themes in health research methods and a straightforward approach and focus."--Peter Benson
"For students like mine, who are training in Community Health Practice, a textbook like this would be very useful as it has key research methods concepts from across the Public Health field." (Linda Highfield)
"The content of this text is excellent and very current. I am impressed by the emphasis on community-based approaches, the effort to integrate examples from the current academic literature, and efforts to inform students of future directions in public health research." (Sandra Bulmer)
"An excellent book for anyone who wants to conduct research in public health. It is very informative and it flows very well." (Roya Ghiaseddin)
"a well-conceived overview of the key themes in health research methods and a straightforward approach and focus." (Peter Benson)
"It is an excellent public health textbook well-written and covers all aspects of public health, especially modern public health." (Dhitinut Ratnapradipa)
"The book makes research methods come alive by providing information on the historical use of various methods and research findings." (Beverly Cigler)
"It facilitates a big picture view for students." (Karen Rich)
"I actually really like the way the text is laid out. It seems like there is a good distinction between technical matters and theoretical perspectives." (Josh Packard)
"It makes sense the way it goes from preparing research to designing and implementing research, and finishes with applications." (Michele Morrone)
"The content is comprehensive, informative and valuable." (Tracey Barnfather)
"The fact that the book extends beyond the general study designs covered in traditional research methods texts as well as provides specifics on planning and implementing research gives the reader a better understanding of how research operates." (Leslie Hinyard)
"It is a good reference for any health care professional, especially for doctoral students in any health care field, including those pursuing a doctorate in education." (Linda Simunek)
"Good overview all in one place." (Willie Oglesby)
"Provides an overview of research methods and applications across the major public health disciplines." (Frederick Kviz)
About the Author
Greg Guest received his Ph.D. in anthropology from the University of Georgia. Over the past 15 years, he has designed and managed public health research studies in more than 15 countries. Greg is currently the Director of Research and Evaluation in the Economic Development and Livelihoods department at FHI 360. In this capacity he oversees multisite, mixed methods, research and evaluation activities across multiple fields of public health. Guests other books include two edited volumes Globalization, Health and the Environment: An Integrated Perspective (AltaMira, 2005) and Handbook for Team- Based Qualitative Research (AltaMira 2008) and two co-authored monographs Applied Thematic Analysis (Sage 2012) and Collecting Qualitative Data: A Field Manual for Applied Research (Sage 2013). Hes published articles in journals such as Field Methods, Journal of Mixed Methods Research, American Journal of Public Health, JAIDS, AIDS Care, AIDS

Education and Prevention, African Journal of AIDS Research, AIDS and Behavior, Journal of Family Planning and Reproductive Health Care and Journal of Health Communication. Guest is also owner of the research consulting firm Social Research Solutions, which specializes in methodological training and consultation (www.socialresearchsolutions.com). Emily E. Namey, MA, has over 10 years experience applying her skills in project management and knowledge of research methods to the design, implementation, conduct, monitoring, and dissemination of public health research. Emily recently rejoined FHI 360, where she manages domestic and international qualitative and mixed methods projects related to health disparities and HIV prevention. Prior to her work at FHI 360, she spent over 5 years at Duke University, splitting time among the Institute for Genome Sciences and Policy, the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and the Trent Center for Bioethics. At Duke, Emily implemented qualitative research on subjects ranging from maternity care to vaccine trial participation to ethical approaches to genomic research recruitment to the use and understanding of Certificates of Confidentiality. She has experience in the private sector as well, having completed projects at Intel Corporation and Nike, Inc. Emily has designed and led qualitative research training courses in more than a dozen countries and has co-authored several methodological publications, including *Collecting Qualitative Data* (Sage 2012), *Applied Thematic Analysis* (Sage 2012), *Qualitative Research Methods: A Data Collectors Field Guide* (Family Health International, 2005) and *Data reduction techniques for large qualitative datasets in Handbook for Team-based Qualitative Research* (AltaMira 2008). Her publications also include articles in *Social Science Medicine*, *Fertility and Sterility*, *AIDS Care*, *IRB*, and the *Journal of Empirical Research on Human Research Ethics*. Emily received her MA in applied anthropology from Northern Arizona University.