A pandemic evaluation strategy: Asynchronous and virtual stakeholder focus groups

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Hi, I'm Jason 😊

Before launching in – I should introduce myself...

Short Bio:

- Member-owner of TerraLuna Collaborative
- Reside in New Orleans, LA
- Support the MO SPDG
- Other clients include statewide Early Childhood-12 initiatives
- Faves: Utility, Mixed Methods, Outliers, Dynamic Plans, Dreaming about a post-pandemic world....



Advantages of approach

- 1. Honors stresses to wellness among educators and administrators
- 2. Provides an opportunity for maximal participation (low bar to beginning)
- 3. The conversation is for the most part already transcribed
- 4. Allows for the easy collection of artifacts as supporting evidence
- 5. Provides a workaround for Zoom fatigue
- 6. It's FREE (other than participant stipends)



Disadvantages of approach

- 1. Provides added opportunities to "get up and leave"
- 2. No opportunity to actually meet each other face-to-face (even if over Zoom)
- 3. Requires meticulous moderation you cannot sit back and wait



Let's Check it out



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It's been fun! Enjoy the rest of the conference

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THANK YOU

