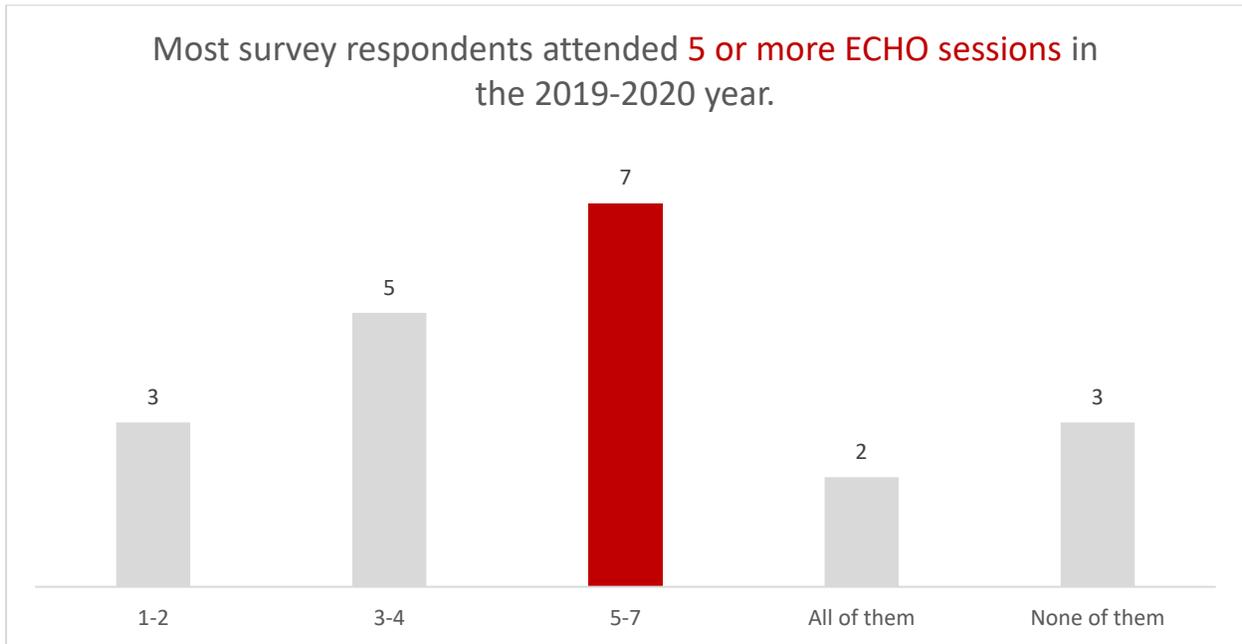


Summary of Survey Responses to the Evaluation of the ECHO Learning Community Sessions for 2019-2020

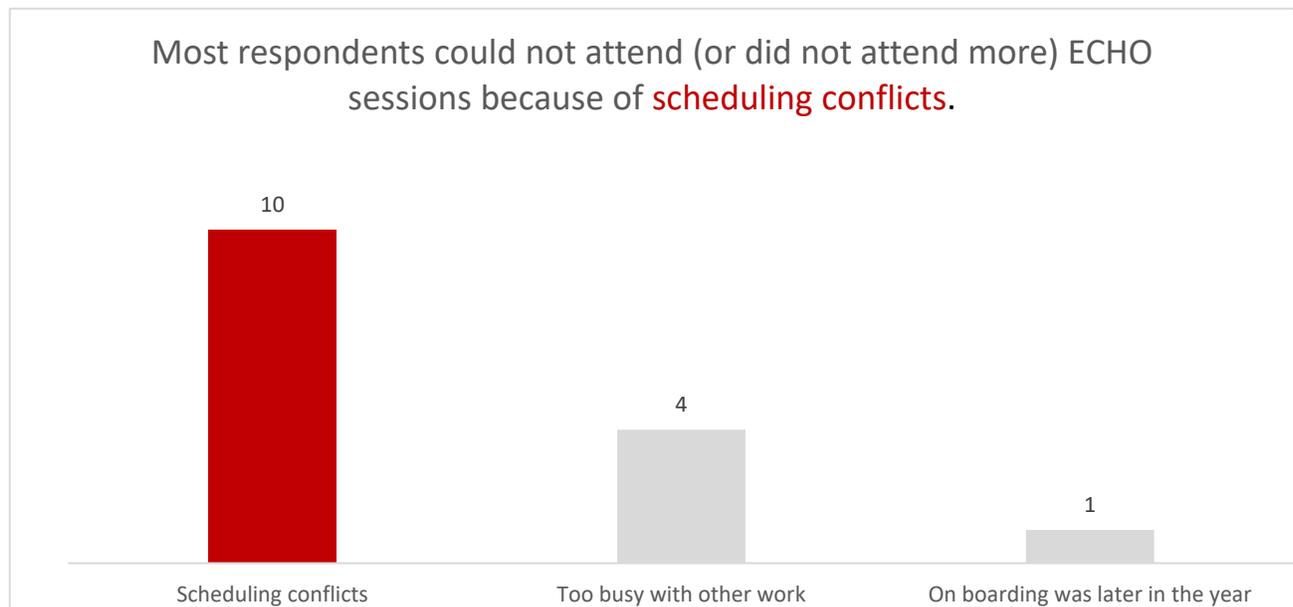
1. How many ECHO sessions did you attend?

20 Responses



2. What was the primary reason you did not attend (more) ECHO sessions?

15 Responses



3. If you did attend, what did you enjoy?

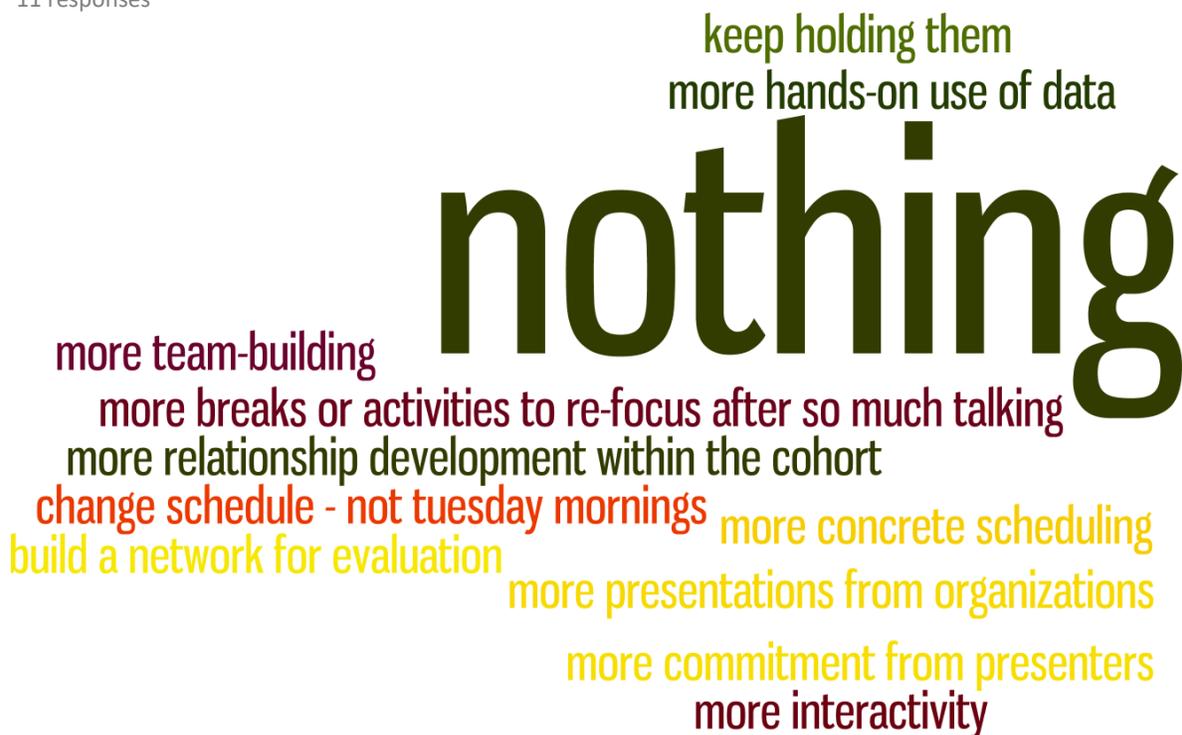
17 responses



Survey respondents most frequently noted enjoying **learning from and about other organizations' evaluations during the Echo sessions**. They also enjoyed the diversity in didactic topics, the learning opportunity, the application of their learning, and the connection with the cohort. Others enjoyed the space to share and hear about evaluation triumphs and struggles and noted appreciation for the ECHO sessions as they kept the evaluation conversation going. One respondent wrote "I learn something every time I attend!"

4. If you did attend, what would you do differently?

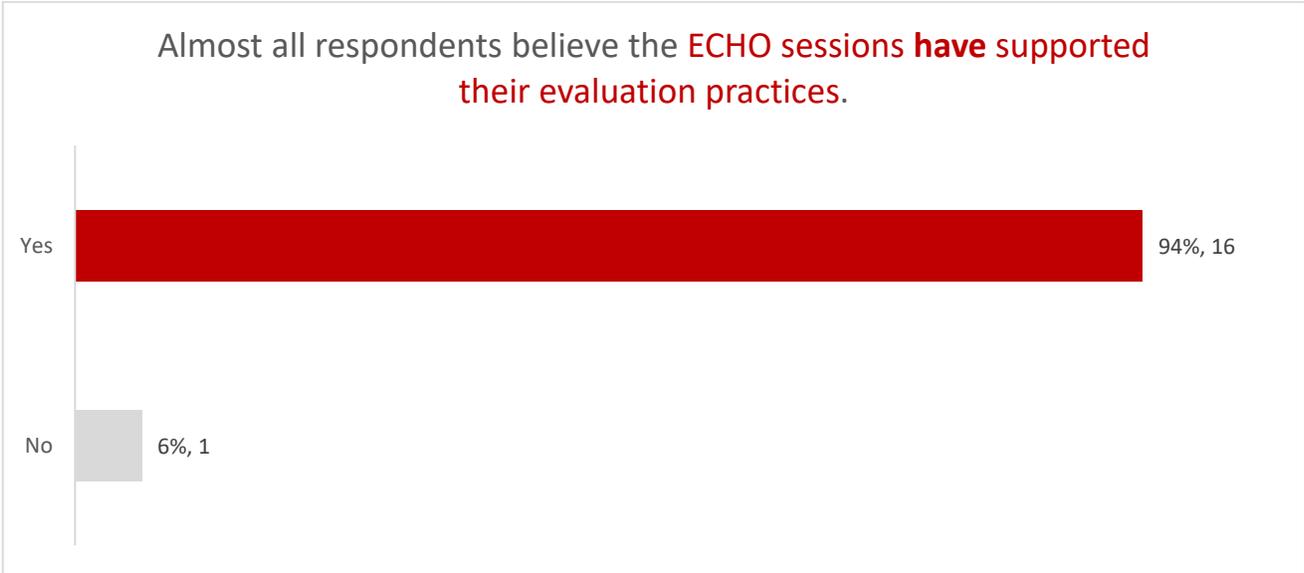
11 responses



While several respondents noted that the ECHO sessions **should remain as they are**, some suggestions for change were to improve interactivity during the didactics and add more hands-on use of data. Others suggested more intentional incorporation of teambuilding and relationship-development activities to improve the sense of community among the ECHO cohort. Lastly, some respondents would like to see greater commitment from presenters and more presentations from organizations.

5. Have the ECHO sessions supported your evaluation practice?

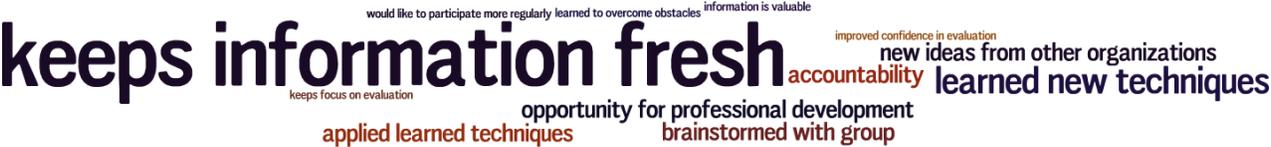
17 Responses



6. If yes, how? And if no, why not?

16 responses

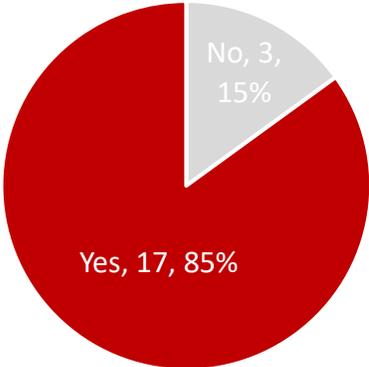
All 16 responses came from participants who responded in the affirmative, that the ECHO sessions had supported their evaluation practices. Most mentioned the ECHO sessions help to **“keep the information fresh”** and keep their focus on evaluation. Some mentioned the ECHO sessions give them a sense of accountability and provide them with new techniques to take back and apply within their own organizations. Some also mentioned they benefited from hearing ideas from other organizations, brainstorming with the group, and discussing how best to overcome their obstacles. Finally, some mentioned improved confidence in evaluation and that they would “like to participate more regularly in the upcoming year.”



7. Would you like to continue attending ECHO sessions in the 2020-2021 year?

20 Responses

85% of Survey Respondents would like to keep attending ECHO Sessions in the 2020-2021 year.



If yes, what are some didactic topics you would be interested in?



8. Anything else you would like us to know?

11 responses

- Thank you for all the hard work!
- This has been a great experience and I am so excited to be able to continue with it!
- It was amazing and I am looking forward to resuming!!
- Thank you for the support you all are a great team.
- We are interested in building out a research apprenticeship among our current health apprentice program (supporting young folks primarily of color, who are interested in health professions) and would love to adapt some teachings from the learning community into training for them (or build a training for apprentices specifically with UNM eval lab!) Again, pipe dreaming :->
- Great experience. We are signing two additional people from our organization for the two-day training this year. We intend to have them participate in a face-to-face when we get there.
- Thank you, you do great work!
- Thanks for your work!
- Great experience. I really enjoyed it and was saddened that I could not send my staff this year.
- Thank you for the opportunity - if you are able to hold it on a different day/time I might get to participate more this next round! But we also have shifted some of our regular Tuesday staff meetings so I'm hopeful scheduling will work better going forward!
- It is a great vehicle for organizations to continue learning and it provides motivation to continue doing evaluation