

# ***Using qualitative methods for intervention research on violence against women***

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## Objectives of the session

- To assess knowledge gaps and training needs in qualitative methods with specific reference to HERA2
- To introduce / refresh knowledge on qualitative methodology, methods and research tools
- To be able to apply appropriate methods according to HERA2 research questions
- To use an Adult Learning approach, enabling participants to contribute to the process, content and relevance of the session and form a Community of Practice (Wenger)

## Learning Outcomes

- Develop semi-structured topic guides for initial phase of HERA2 work
- Demonstrate competence in performing semi-structured interviews
- Demonstrate awareness of reflexivity
- Itemise country-specific further training and support needs, to be addressed via individual mentors

## Brainstorm and discussion

- Individual expectations? Training needs?
- Particular methods? Preferred focus?
- Individual roles within teams?
- Previous positive/negative experiences using qualitative methods in HERA1?