

## SUCCEED Operational Research Workshops: July 2017 – March 2018

Topic	Learning Objectives	Delivery	Hrs	Workshop/ Webinar	Location
<b>1. Operational Research and Priority Research Questions for HIV/TB</b>	*Understanding of OR *Defining an OR question *Reviewing priority OR questions	Face to face	4	12 July 2017	East London
<b>2. Conducting and preparing a literature review</b>	*Constructing the literature review *Finding and summarising relevant articles *Theoretical and conceptual frameworks	Blended Learning: Resources online and webinar	1.5	28 July 2017	Webinar
<b>3. Methodology: Quantitative study design, sampling and data analysis</b>	*Overview of quantitative study designs *Understanding sampling strategies *Overview of data analysis procedures	Blended Learning: Resources online and Face to face	1 day	23 August 2017	Mthatha, WSU
<b>4. Methodology: Qualitative study design, sampling and data analysis</b>	*Overview of qualitative study designs *Understanding sampling strategies *Overview of data analysis procedures	Blended Learning: Resources online and Face to face	2 day	2 October 2017 – Webinar 12 October 2017 Face to face	Webinar and Mthatha, WSU
<b>5. Methodology: Mixed methods study design, sampling and data analysis</b>	*Overview of mixed methods study designs *When and how to use mixed methods *Understanding sampling strategies *Overview of data analysis procedures	Blended Learning: Resources online and webinar	1.5	18 October 2017	Webinar
<b>6. Questionnaire/ Interview Design and Construction</b>	*Overview of questionnaire design *Linking questionnaires to research aims and hypotheses *Construction and piloting tools	Blended Learning: Resources online and webinar	1.5	9 November 2017	Webinar
<b>7. Ethics in OR</b>	*Understanding ethical principles in research *Preparing a protocol for ethics submission	Blended Learning: Resources online and webinar	1.5	7 December 2017	Webinar
<b>8. Project Management</b>	*Basics of project planning and process *Criteria for project success *Time Management *Research roles	Blended Learning: Resources online and webinar	1.5	25 January 2018	Webinar
<b>9. Protocol Writing</b>	*Protocol writing and development *Referencing	Blended Learning: Resources online and webinar	2.5	15 February 2018	Webinar
<b>10. Dissemination beyond publication</b>	*Overview of dissemination strategies *Knowledge translation *Presentation skills	Blended Learning: Resources online and webinar	1.5	8 March 2018	Webinar
<b>Protocol Development Writing Retreat</b>	*Delegates who have completed all sessions and working on operational research related to HIV and TB will be invited to a structured writing retreat for protocol development.	Structured writing retreat	2.5 days	14-16 March 2018	TBA in Eastern Cape

\*Please note that the courses offered via blended learning will consist of resources on the SUCCEED website (<http://succeed.sun.ac.za/Activities/Operational-Research/Protocol-Workshops>) followed by a webinar.

\*Delegates will be required to register via the link on the SUCCEED website and details of the webinar will follow.

\*Those completing all 10 sessions will be invited to a writing retreat for protocol development in March 2018.