

75 out of the 125 (60%) professionals who attended the conference completed the evaluation questionnaire. Of them 47% were men and 52% were members of INEBRIA.

38% were health professionals and 19% were public health officers.

The participants who completed the survey were from 19 countries.

The two most important logistical factors that influenced the decision to attend this conference networking opportunities (50%) and location (40%)

The overall impression of the conference was excellent in 35% of cases and good in 54%.

The potential impact of the conference (see fig. 1):

- 97% were satisfied with the opportunity for interaction with colleagues
- 83% were satisfied with the opportunity for interaction with trainees.
- 97% were satisfied with the increase in personal competence.
- 95% were satisfied with the value for daily work activities
- 82% thought this conference contributed to improving regional policies.

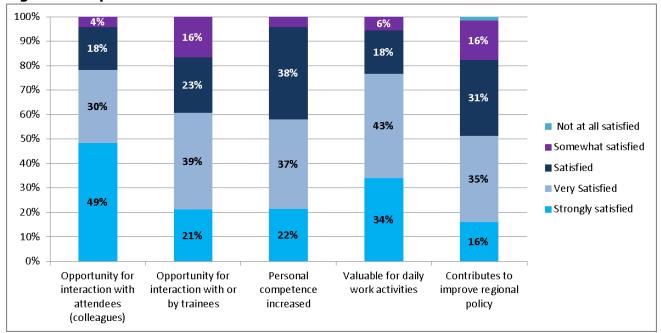


Figure 1: Impact of the conference



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Benefits of the conference (see fig. 2):

- 83% agreed that the conference had helped to developed a new • collaboration
- 86% agreed that the conference had helped to strengthen an existing • collaboration
- 96% agreed that the conference had helped to develop their SBI • research ideas
- 91% of participants agreed that the conference had inspired them to • implement new SBI studies.

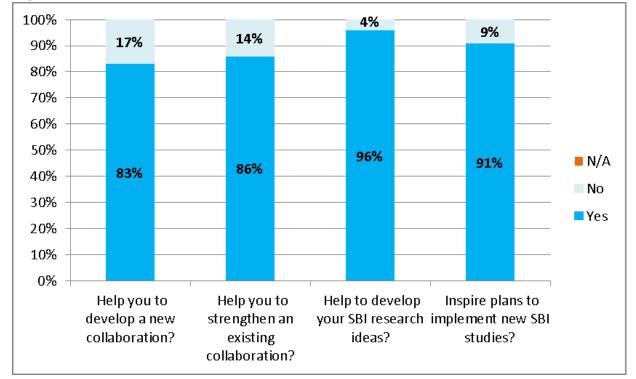


Figure 2: Benefits of the conference

The overall impression of administrative feedback was (see fig. 3)

- 59% received sufficient information on the conference in advance
- 55% thought that the information via Email was effective
- 62% thought that the information provided on the website was useful. •



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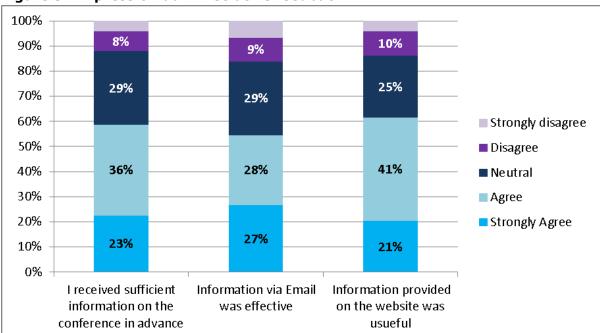
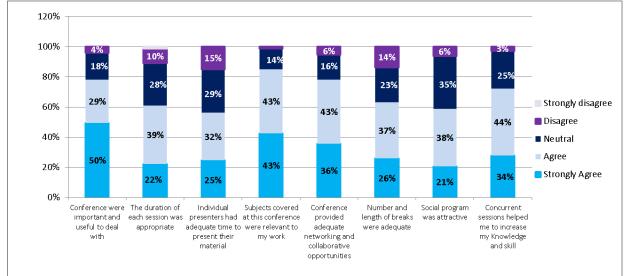


Figure 3: Impression administrative feedback

General Conference feedback (see fig 4):

- 79% found the conference important and useful.
- 61% agreed with the duration of each session
- 64% agreed that the time for the individual presenters was adequate
- 86% thought that this conference was relevant to their work
- 79% opined that the conference provided adequate networking and collaborative opportunities.
- 63% agreed with the number and length of breaks
- 59% agreed with the social program
- 78% opined that the conference help their to increase knowledge and skill.







- 85% opined that the conference ran for just the right number of days
- 1% opined that it was too long

Particular aspects of the conference (see fig. 5):

- 75% agreed with plenary/large group sessions
- 71% agreed with concurrent oral abstract presentations
- 72% agreed with concurrent symposia
- 56% agreed with concurrent workshop presentations
- 62% agreed with small group sessions
- 67% agreed with conference dinner
- 63% agreed with reception
- 83% were satisfied with lunch, while 16 % of participants disagreed
- 67% agreed with the conference space or hotel.

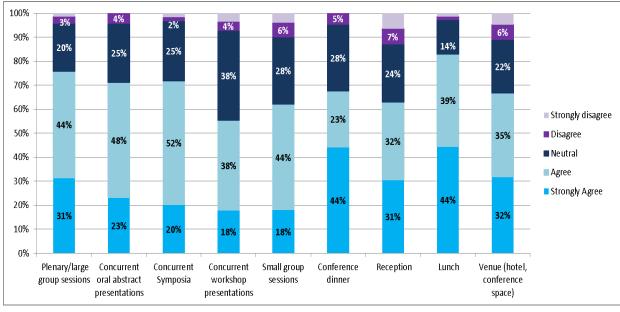


Figure 5: Particular aspects of the conference