

Survey Results

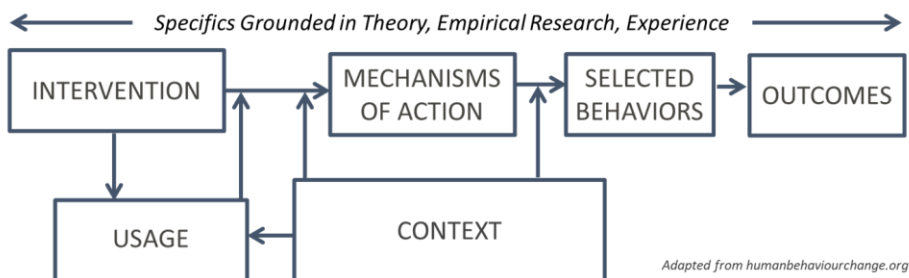
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BACKGROUND

One of HARC’s objectives is to promote collaborative, applied precision home visiting (HV) research and evaluation to help identify what aspects of home visiting are most effective in meeting families’ needs, depending on their circumstances and preferences. The Precision Paradigm provides a useful framework to do just that.

With help from researchers and many others with an interest in HV, we are specifying each part of the Precision Paradigm to build a common framework and language for such research.

Precision Paradigm Framework



HARC is developing materials to improve understanding and increase use of the Precision Paradigm. The purpose of this brief is to share results from a recent survey. The purpose of the survey was to hear from HV researchers, evaluators, and technical assistance (TA) providers who support research, evaluation, and quality improvement, to help guide us to create the most useful materials possible.

THE SURVEY

- We invited members of HARC’s practice-based research network who identify as HV researchers, evaluators, and TA providers to complete a brief online survey. We received **74** completed surveys.
- Respondents rated their familiarity with and interest in learning more about the Precision Paradigm, and their preferred ways to learn more about the Precision Paradigm.

WHAT WE LEARNED

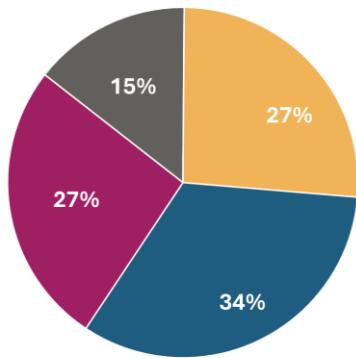
Who completed the survey

- Most respondents were researchers or evaluators (93%), and one-third were early career (current student or up to five years post terminal degree).
- A quarter of respondents were TA providers.

Familiarity with and interest in learning about the Precision Paradigm

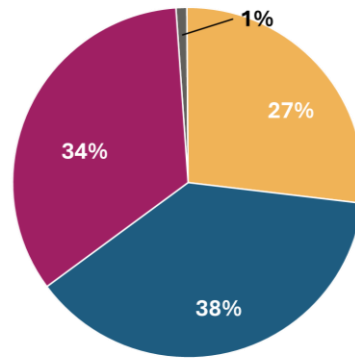
- Most (85%) were familiar with the Precision Paradigm and nearly all (99%) were interested in learning more.

Familiarity with the Precision Paradigm



■ Not at all familiar ■ Slightly familiar
■ Moderately familiar ■ Very familiar

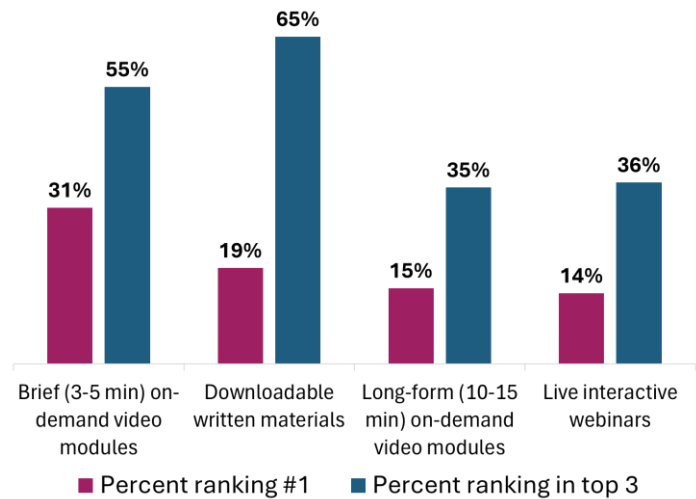
Level of Interest in Learning More about the Precision Paradigm



■ Not at all interested ■ Slightly interested
■ Moderately interested ■ Very interested

Preferences for learning more about the Precision Paradigm and how to use it

- The four most preferred ways to learn more about the Precision Paradigm were:
 - **brief on-demand modules**
 - **downloadable written materials**
 - **long-form on-demand modules**
 - **live interactive webinars**
- Respondents gave helpful suggestions, such as:
 - Illustrate **how to use** the Precision Paradigm using real-world examples from HV
 - Use plain language



NEXT STEPS

- We are actively working through next steps to provide researchers, evaluators, and TA providers with the most useful resources possible to support the use of the Precision Paradigm.
- We would like to hear more from YOU! If you have conducted precision research or used the Precision Paradigm to inform your work, please reach out to us at harc@hvresearch.org so we can learn more.

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