

WORKSHEET 2.4: IDENTIFYING FURTHER RESEARCH NEEDS

Purpose: This worksheet will help you identify if and what further research you may require to develop adequate communication interventions to respond to the emergency.

Directions: Complete this worksheet referring to the information that you collected from the desk review. Consider the primary research methodologies described earlier in this unit to determine the most suitable approach for answering further information needs.

Please note that this worksheet is followed by a completed example that you can use as reference if necessary.

	Yes/No	Notes
Is there anything else you would like to know about the behaviors, attitudes, knowledge or	Yes	
perceptions of how the population is responding to the emergency?	∐ No	
Do you need to know more about the barriers and facilitators of behaviors related to the	Yes	
emergency?	□ No	
Do you need to know more about the culture, norms and traditions that govern behaviors related to	Yes	
the emergency?	□ No	
Are there vulnerable and at-risk groups that have been omitted by the secondary research you reviewed?	Yes	
	☐ No	
Do you need to know more about the people of influence in the lives of the affected populations?	☐ Yes	
	☐ No	
Do you need to know more about the programs and organizations operating in the affected areas?	Yes	
	□ No	
Have you identified any contradictory information from your secondary research that	Yes	



requires further investigation?	□ No	
Do you think that the information you collected from the secondary research may be biased in any way?	Yes	
	□ No	
Are there any questions that could help you design your emergency response that remain unanswered from the secondary research?	Yes	
	□ No	