

2017: Making Babies

Final Evaluation & Report

27 Participants

18 Evaluations returned

What did you like most about the **In Her Skin 2017: Making Babies forum?**

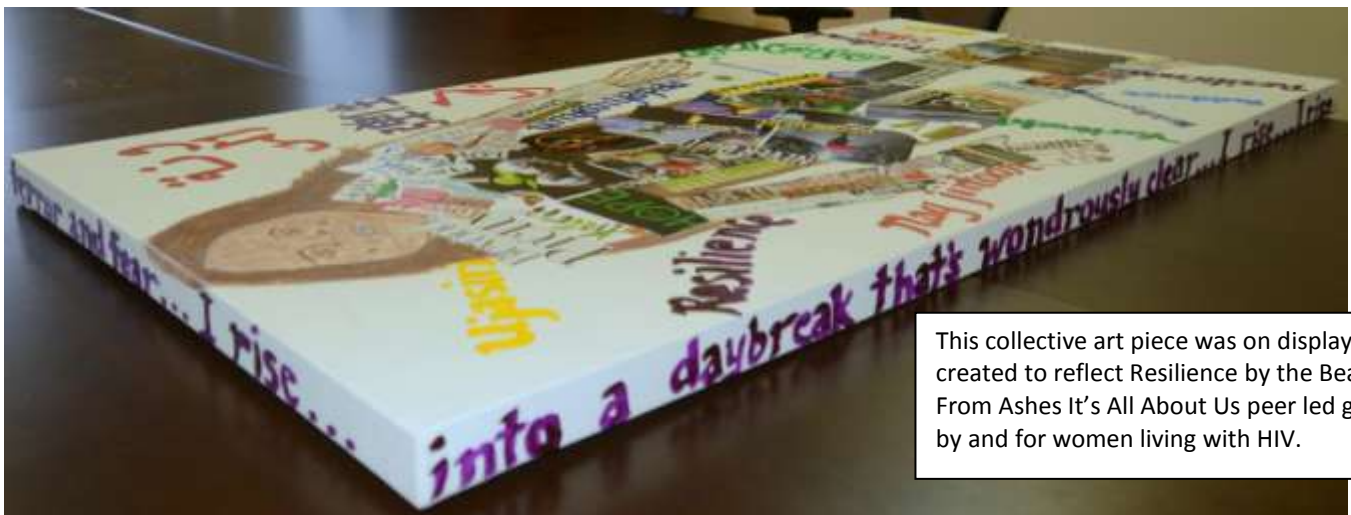
- Hearing the information Jay (midwife) had to say
- Hearing about the different stories
- Confident speakers
- Informative conversation
- Information surrounding family planning
- Speakers with experience
- Excellent presenters
- Open information
- Accurate information
- Information on the social and political factors of living with HIV
- Open, non-judgemental environment
- Thoughtful and critical analysis of the subject discussed
- How candid Marvelous was
- Warmth and expertise of speakers
- Personal expertise and professional expertise is great
- Safe and respectful space
- Diverse culture of speakers
- Empowering shared stories
- Examples given
- Good organization of information and presenters



Above, from left: forum coordinator Devorah Garland, presenter Marvelous Munchenje, presenter Jay McGillivray, public relations coordinator Meina Loutfy.

What would you have liked to see different at future **In Her Skin** forums?

- Positive parents and negative kids (teen, young adult) who are open be a part of the discussion panel
- All attending members stay for all speakers
- Wouldn't change anything
- Up-to-date information
- More real life experience presentations
- Bigger space
- More people
- More visuals
- Earlier lunch break
- Open discussion about home birthing, women living with HIV and culturally informed care
- More clarity on the agenda – when are the breaks?
- More ACB representation
- Different moderator other than the coordinator



This collective art piece was on display. It was created to reflect Resilience by the Beauty From Ashes It's All About Us peer led group by and for women living with HIV.

The forum has improved my understanding of the treatments available to help women who are affected by HIV with pregnancy planning

| | | | | |
|----------------|---------|---------|----------|-------------------|
| Strongly Agree | Agree | Neutral | Disagree | Strongly Disagree |
| 14 (78%) | 4 (22%) | | | |

The forum presented its message in a way that was engaging

| | | | | |
|----------------|---------|---------|----------|-------------------|
| Strongly Agree | Agree | Neutral | Disagree | Strongly Disagree |
| 14 (78%) | 3 (17%) | 1 (5%) | | |

The forum assisted me in understanding the issues around HIV pregnancy planning

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree
15 (83%) 2 (11%)
1 evaluation did not have an answer

The forum assisted me in understanding the next steps for HIV pregnancy planning

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree
13 (72%) 4 (22%)
1 evaluation did not have an answer

Comments, concerns or suggestions about **In Her Skin 2017: Making Babies** not covered in the previous questions.

- Some HIV positive mothers are very open as are their negative kids - we will not hide!
- Loved the medium size of the group - allows for intimacy when discussing the issues
- Information of the forum allowed for greater engagement between speakers and guests
- Amazing panel
- Well done
- Look forward to next year
- More representation from the ACB community
- More balanced meal etc. fruits and veg.



Global News Durham came to document this amazing forum