

Table 2: How other organisations share lessons and to what audience and where

Medium	What other orgs do	Lessons learned/ best practice	Issues, current thinking	10 'best' lists*	Policy
Face to face					
Lunchtime discussions					
One-to-one meetings	HLW: partners; UK & intl	HLW: partners, own staff & donors; UK & intl AA: other orgs; UK, Intl PopC: other NGOs; UK HU: other orgs; UK, intl	AA, other orgs, UK HU, partners, intl HLW, partners, intl		
Intl conferences	HU: govts, NGOs; Asia/LA				
Workshops		AA: country progs, intl BNMT: local partners, Nepal PopC: NGOs, UK BOND: Member NGOs, UK AMREF: project beneficiaries, intl	BNMT, other NGOs, Nepal; working groups of BOND and trustees, UK BOND, member NGOs, UK		BNMT-govt, natl networks, Nepal
Theatre			BNMT-local communities, Nepal HU, communities, Cambodia		
Electronic					
Website	BOND: NGOs, donors; UK & Intl	BOND: Members and other NGOs, donors, UK & intl AA: country progs, intl (intranet)	HLW: NGOs, policy makers, practitioners, UK & intl BOND: NGOs, donors, UK & intl		DFID: public, bilaterals, multilaterals BOND: NGOs, donors, other, UK & intl
E-mail	AMREF: project offices; intl				
Database					
Telephone	BOND: Member NGOs; UK HLW: project partners; intl	HLW: project partners; intl PopC: other orgs, UK			
Media (TV, Radio)					DFID-public, bilaterals, multilaterals
Video/virtual conference					DFID: other DFID advisers, intl
Print					
4-pagers		AMREF- reporting guidelines- partners		HLW: practitioners, UK, intl	AMREF: donor policy docs to

		AA: consultants, NGOs, academics, UK & intl HLW: practitioners- intl PopC: NGOs, UK			country offices AA: country progs, both ways HLW: partners, intl
Evaluations		HLW: donors, UK, intl AMREF->donors, UK HU: donors- UK & intl			
Reports			BNMT: trustees, donors, UK, Eur, US		
Direct mail					DFID: public, bilaterals, multilaterals
Marketing					DFID: UK public
<i>Magazines and publications</i>					BOND: NGOs, donors, others , UK BNMT: practitioners, UK, Intl, WHO

Items in ***italic*** are elements that were added to the initial framework

*In discussion, it was clear that many participants were unsure what was meant by this category. When the idea of a '10 best list' was explained as a type of signposting resource that identified key materials or web-based resources on a topic and organisations/individuals working on that topic, together with details of how to locate them many participants indicated an interest in getting this type of information, particularly by e-mail.

Key to organisations:

AA= Action Aid
BNMT= Britain Nepal Medical Trust
BOND= British Overseas NGOs in Development
DFID= Department for International Development
HLW= Healthlink Worldwide
HU= Health Unlimited
PopC= Population Concern