

Doing Dialogue

To design a participative process for a consortium of UK science centres aimed at young people aged between 14-19 years old to feed into a national public consultation.

Section D: Implementation of the Procedure No. 12: Different Aspects of Implementation

Group 2 Justifying the Process

Look at the record of the discussion on 'choosing a participative process'. Use the checklist to justify the chosen participative process and then answer the questions below.

Checklist

Can your chosen process:

Provide the Nuffield Council on Bioethics with the views of 14-19 year olds

Answer some of Nuffield's key questions

Be carried out in Science Centres or Museums

Involve scientists and ethicists

Target 14-19 year olds in schools

Target the teachers of 14-19 year olds

Allow pupils to attend the science centre or museum for at least 5 hours

Questions

Give 3 reasons why this process is better than the other processes you had to choose from.

What is the weakest thing about the process you have chosen?

How will you measure the success of the process you have chosen?

What are the barriers your process will have to overcome in order to be successful?

Summarise your answers for the rest of the participants.