eLearning Prenatal Program

Learning about pregnancy and birth just got easier!



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Region of Peel Working for you

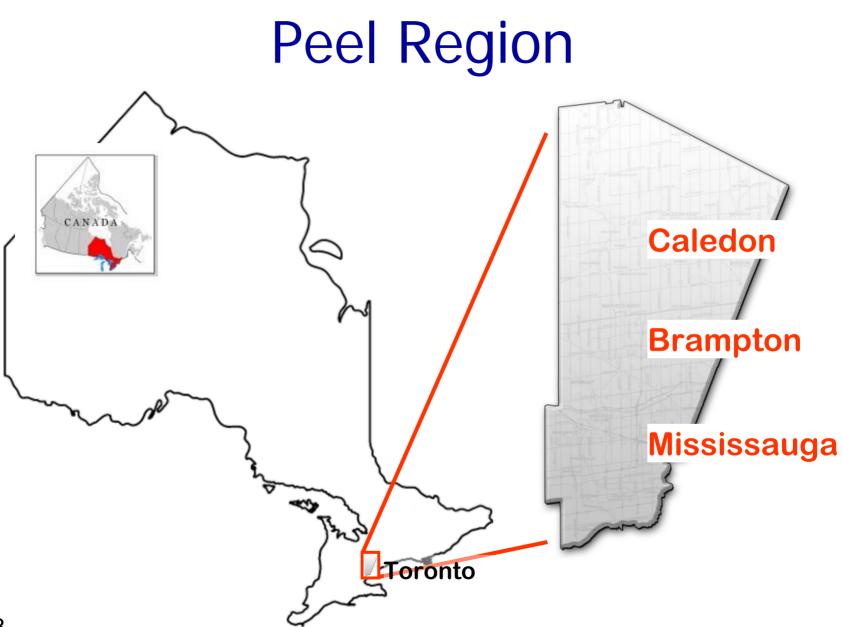
The eLearning Prenatal Project

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The Challenges

Population: 1.2 million

Growth: ~50% newcomers

Birth cohort: 17,000

Increased demand

Program reach: 16 % (2007)

The Realities

Waitlist of 400

Economic strain and restraint

H1N1

Women work while pregnant

Tech savvy learners

The Pathway



2010

Collaboration / enhancements

Annual renewal / evaluation

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Program content / website

2009

Business case

Environmental scan

The Concept of eLearning

Web-based learning platform that uses interactive teaching strategies.

- eLearners are
- self-directed
- ready to learn because of life tasks or problems
- come with life experiences that are valued

3 dimensions

- technology
- access
- quality



Generational Differences in Learning

GenX: 30's and 40's

- Classroom-based education
- Personal computers



Comfortable with changing technology

GenY/Net Generation: 20's

- Online assignments and courses
- Innate ability to use technology
- Comfortable multi-tasking
- Expect interactivity and fast pace



Objectives eLearning Prenatal Program



The Program cci





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The Teen Story

It's such an easy program to use... at home, at work, at school... I didn't forget anything cause I learned it all really fast.

Josie and son, Laif

The Busy Couple Story

We were able to do the program together... it gave us a time each week where we could focus on the baby.

Leah and daughter, Catherine

The Dads-to-Be Story



Best thing was that it was online and we used it from home on our own schedule.

My husband who was anti- prenatal classes enjoyed it as he could learn at his own pace.

Marketing

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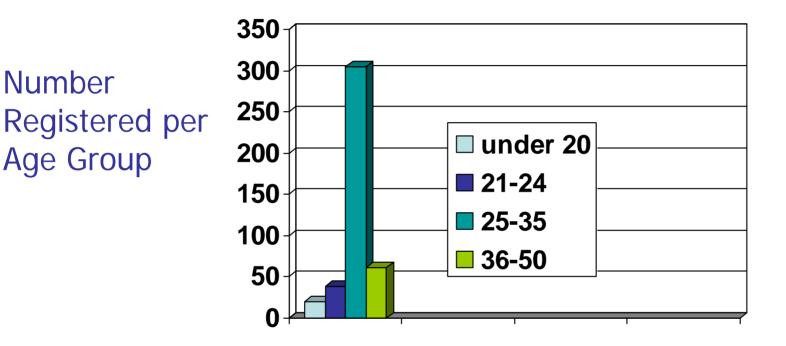
- Community Partners Email
- Press Release
- Health Professionals Update
- Tear-offs
- Bus Ad







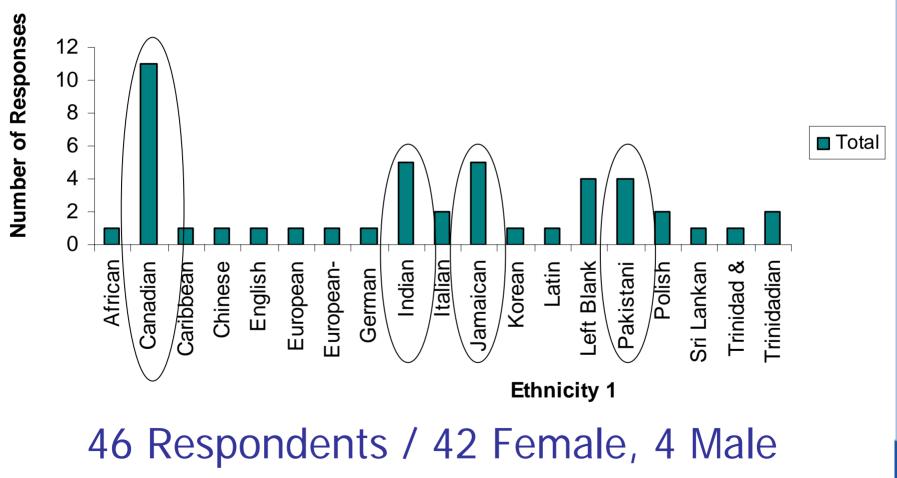
Registered Client Profile



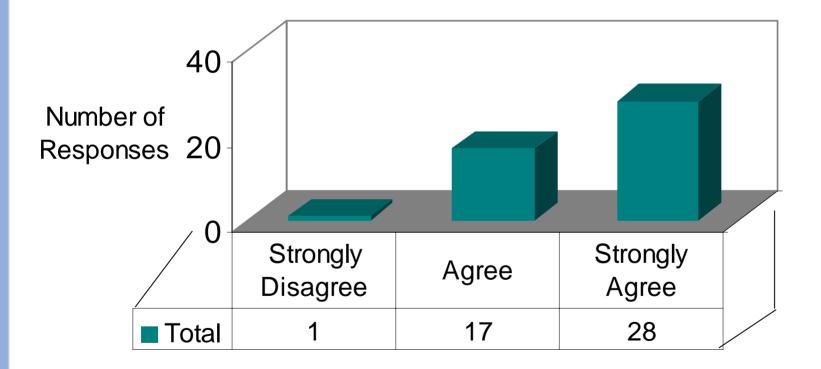
Total: 424 Registered Clients 82-95% were 1st Pregnancy

Surveyed Client Profile

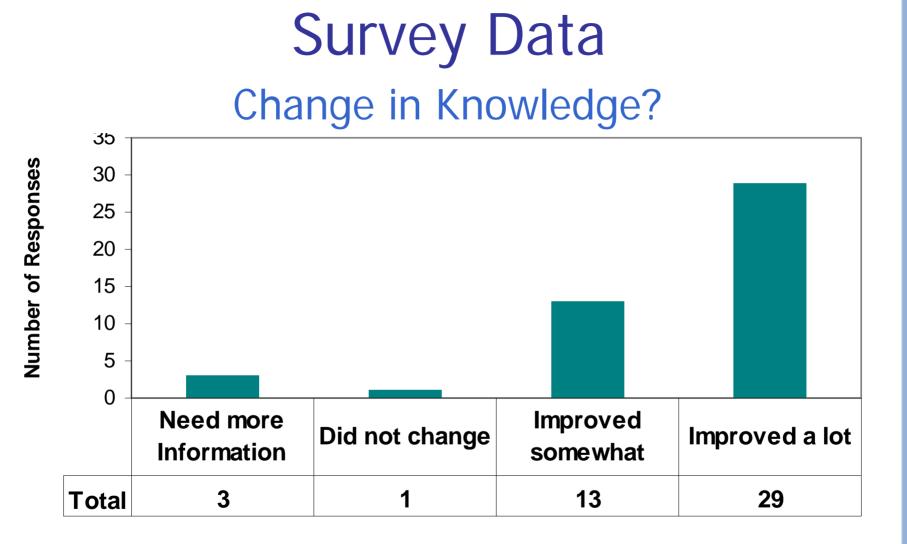
Ethnicity 1 of Respondents



Survey Data Program Content Easy to Understand?



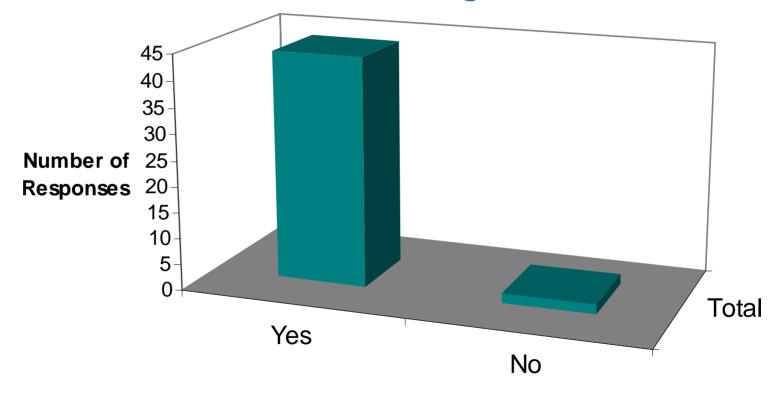
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Survey Data

Would Recommend Program to Friends?



46 Respondents

Collaboration



- Pooling resources
- Program enhancements
- Comprehensive
 evaluation strategy

eLearning is increasing our reach!

+ •Workshops •Social media

eLearning

Evidence-Informed Population-Based

planning information project management contingency contract budget