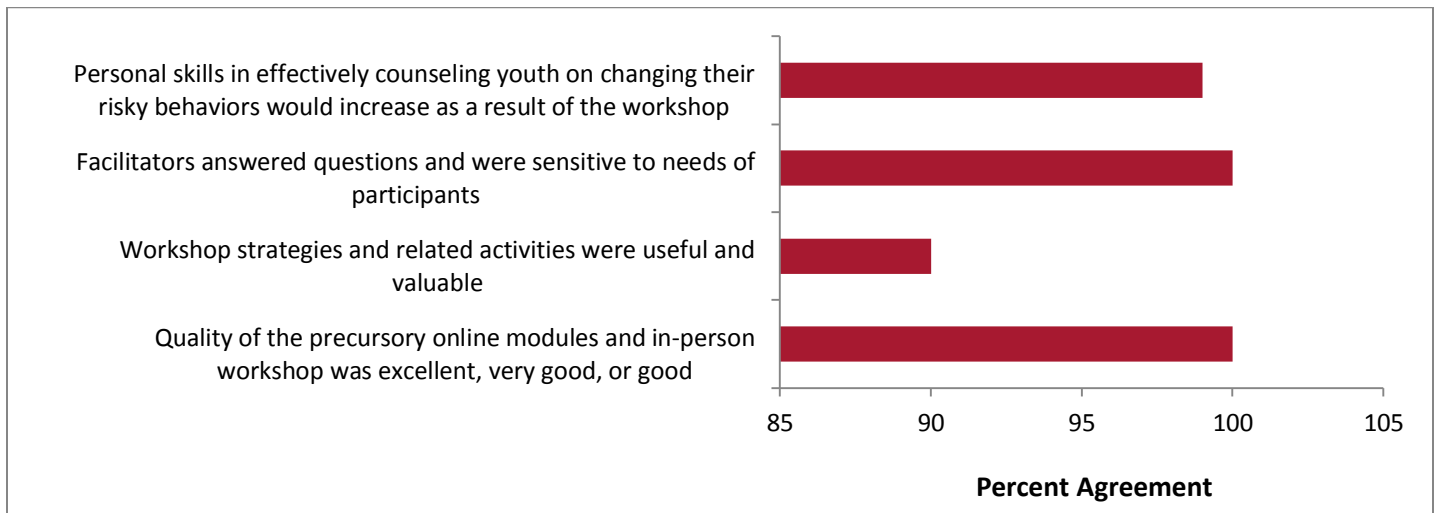
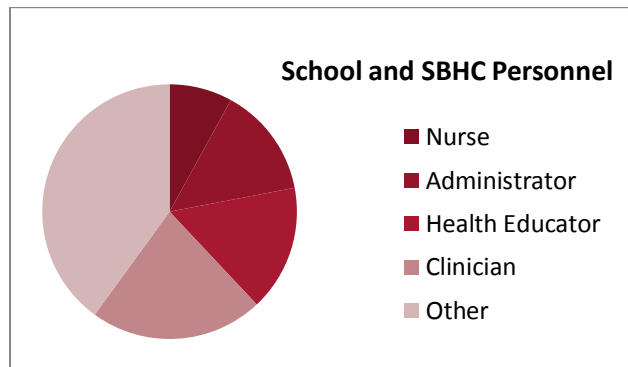


## Professional Development Workshop Evaluation

***Increasing Staff-Student Interaction in Challenging Environments*** is a 4.5 hour professional development workshop and key component of ***A Program to Improve Graduation by Integrating Public Health Prevention and Primary Care in Schools***. Participants examine approaches to increase effective communications with adolescents, synthesize and practice techniques introduced in online modules, and consider strategies that enhance school climate. Topics covered include: (1) assumptions and comfort levels; (2) approaching adolescents and giving information; (3) motivational interviewing communication strategies; and (4) working with adolescents in challenging situations.

### Averaged Outcomes:



Most participants agreed that they would use the workshop strategies in practice

**“I appreciated all the opportunities for practice, it made MI easier to understand.”**

**“One of best ever attended”**