# **Partnership Communication and Trust Assessment Questionnaire**

This anonymous questionnaire should be distributed to your partnership members.

Ideally, each member (or a responsible person for each member agency) should complete the assessment. The completed assessment can then be given to the Partnership Coordinator for review. The Coordinator should share and discuss the results of the assessment with partnership members.

**INSTRUCTIONS**: For each question please choose a corresponding answer.

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| **Partnership Communication** | | | |
| 1. Are there regular opportunities for partners to have frank discussions? | Yes | No | To Some Extent |
| 1. Have the members of the partnership jointly negotiated a plan to ensure regular and effective communication between all members? | Yes | No | To Some Extent |
| 1. If you answered “yes” to question 2, has the communication plan been implemented? | Yes | No | To Some Extent |
| 1. Do you have a clear understanding of the core purpose of the partnership? | Yes | No | To Some Extent |
| 1. Is there sufficient knowledge (information exchange) on the results of partner activities? For example, does your knowledge enable you to make a judgement on the collaboration? | Yes | No | To Some Extent |
| ***Sub-totals (note: your partnership should review Communications based on ‘No’ and ‘To Some Extent’ responses in particular)*** |  |  |  |
| **Trust within Partnership** | | | |
| 1. Can you rely on the partnership to deliver on its promises? | Yes | No | To Some Extent |
| 1. Can you rely on the partnership to operate in fairness? | Yes | No | To Some Extent |
| 1. The following are agree/disagree statements. You are asked to indicate whether you agree or disagree with each statement:    1. “I believe that this partnership takes the opinions of people like me into account when making decisions.”    2. “I feel very confident about this partnership.”    3. “This partnership has the ability to accomplish what it says it will do.” | Agree  Agree  Agree | Disagree  Disagree  Disagree | Undecided  Undecided  Undecided |
| ***Sub-totals (note: your partnership should review Trust based on ‘No’, ‘Disagree’, ‘To Some Extent’ and ‘Undecided’ responses in particular)*** |  |  |  |
| **Comments** - please provide any comments you would like to make on Communication and/or Trust within your Partnership below (optional). | | | |