

Evaluation of the Short Course on Multilingual Approaches to Research Studies (MARS)

Table 2. Selected Professional Characteristics of MARS “Multilingual Research Proficiency” (MRP) Pre- and Posttest Respondents

Characteristics	MRP Respondents 2022-2024 ^f
Sample Size	70
Title, n (%)	
Graduate Student ^a	10 (14)
Postdoctoral Fellow	10 (14)
Faculty ^b	18 (26)
Research Staff ^c	17 (24)
Other	12 (17)
Research Field, n (%) ^d	
Pediatrics, Adolescent Medicine, Medicine-Pediatrics, or Family Medicine	42 (60)
Psychiatry	2 (3)
Psychology	16 (23)
Nursing	4 (6)
Public Health	15 (21)
Social Work	2 (3)
Multilingual, n (%) ^e	36 (51)
<p>a. Graduate students included individuals enrolled in masters or PhD programs</p> <p>b. Faculty included instructors, assistant professors, associate professors, and professors</p> <p>c. Research staff included research assistants, research coordinators, and other research staff.</p> <p>d. Column percents may total >100% as we allowed participants to select all fields that applied.</p> <p>e. Multilingualism was self-reported: “<i>Do you speak any other language (in addition to English) with sufficient fluency to conduct research?</i>” Spanish was the most common reported language. Others included Arabic, French, Hebrew, Hindi, Korean, Tamil, and Vietnamese.</p> <p>f. We included MRP respondents in the sample if they completed the “Multilingual Research Proficiency” pre- and posttests.</p>	