

Supplementary file 3: Interviews schedule for participant group three

1. Could you describe your role with SiREN?
2. Could you describe what SiREN aims to achieve?
3. When we talk about building research capacity, what does this mean? What would it look like? What does it ultimately achieve?
4. When we talk about building evaluation capacity, what does this mean? What would it look like? What does it ultimately achieve?
5. Thinking about the strategies that SiREN uses, how do these support the sector to overcome barriers to engaging in research and evaluation?
6. How does the management of SiREN influence whether or not SiREN achieves its aims?
7. How does the governance of SiREN influence whether or not SiREN achieves its aims?
8. How does the structure of SiREN influence whether or not SiREN achieves its aims?
9. How does the staffing of SiREN influence whether or not SiREN achieves its aims?
10. How does the resourcing of SiREN influence whether or not SiREN achieves its aims?
11. Are there any other internal factors that affect how well SiREN achieves its aims?
12. What external factors affect how well SiREN achieves its aims?
13. How has SiREN changed overtime? What were the drivers for these changes? What did these changes lead to?
14. Is there anything that could be done differently in order for SiREN to achieve its aims?