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# ADULT LEARNERS' PERCEPTION OF OUTREACH PROGRAMS DELIVERED BY VIDEO TELECONFERENCING

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Information transfer technologies, such as multipoint video teleconferencing, offer a new paradigm for outreach and extension, but little is known about their success in delivering information to an Extension client. North Carolina State University Extension Forestry used a post-evaluation to evaluate the use of multipoint video teleconferencing to deliver four workshops to two remote locations in North Carolina, targeting natural resource professionals. Study results indicate that the participants perceived a high level of satisfaction with the information received and that video teleconferencing technology does not appear to lessen the level of satisfaction for those participating through remote site.

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