**EXAMPLES of EVALUATIONS from TRAINING SESSIONS: LGBT**

**What were the strengths of the training?**

*“The course was so informative and delivered really well. I learnt so much and also gained more confidence is delivering the necessary information back to school for all staff. I personally feel that all schools should have a member of staff to attend the course.”*

*“A very safe space for discussion – a wealth of knowledge from the trainers. All very helpful”*

*“Very fun and interactive training really enjoyed it and feel it has been very beneficial to my role.”*

*“Outstanding resources and expert knowledge from trainers, interactive, videos, ongoing discussion and time to share experiences and knowledge.”*

*“Interactive, friendly and informative. Brilliant links/opportunities from Stonewall.”*

*“Excellent overall training with opportunity to review school’s needs. Really enjoyed the opportunity to meet others and to share with them.”*

*“I just wanted to say thank you for the superb training session on Monday. I think we took so much away from the session and staff confidence levels have certainly increased.”*

*“Excellent trainers - one of the best courses i have been on. Meeting other participants on the course and sharing experiences and passion for the issues discussed.”*

*“The whole sessions and listening to everyone’ s points of views and that I was not the only one that did not know much about LGBT.”*

*“Excellent, friendly knowledgeable staff. Great activities- not listening to lectures all day. Sharing experiences with others The facilitators and the whole group that attended made the day very interactive.”*

*“None really stood out as it was every part of the day was well presented. Very interactive! Thank you!”*

**What Actions will you take away from the training?**

*“How to make sure that our school is aware of Homophobic bullying and that it is dealt with correctly. Also how to make LGBT children feel safe with our school. Have the correct strategies and policies in place for LGBT children and families and Homophobic bullying.”*

*“How to tackle all facets of LBGT bullying robustly, yet sensitively and how to overcome difficult questions that may be asked.”*

*“I learnt how quickly school needs to be ready for making changes especially with working with Transgender families that school needs to have appropriate resources (toilets need to be unisex ) Knowledge of how to support transgender families.”*

*“I learnt a lot more whilst being on this course and it made me feel much better knowing that there is support out there if I need it. All in all I felt more confident and had better knowledge on the whole: Homophobic, Biphobic and Transphobic bullying.”*