On Thursday 19th September 2019, a half-day workshop was carried out for staff of the Institute for Health Behavioural Research. The workshop was carried out by Dr. Chong Su Li, from UTP and Dr. Jeffrey Yee Khong Loong from Quest International University (QIU) Perak.

The workshop covered two different qualitative methodologies, namely Phenomenology and Narrative. Dr. Yee began the session by introducing an overview of how qualitative research paradigm is located within the larger spectrum of scientific research. He then went on to discuss the fundamentals of Narrative methodology and some corresponding methods that can be applied to social research. Dr. Chong continued the session by referring to a different, but connected methodology. Phenomenology as a research methodology was discussed. Its corresponding methods were also illustrated and applied in a variety of examples of qualitative research projects.

Approximately 15 participants were in attendance that day.

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