QUALITATIVE RESEARCH EVALUATION TEMPLATE

Article citation as per APA formatting:

Brief description of the topic or question of the study, the phenomenon of interest (what were they trying to find out? NOT the results)

Why does this question matter? (Why do we want to know?)

Methodology

- What do the authors call their method or study design?
- Was there an identified theoretical framework?
- What kinds of data did the study generate? (e.g., interviews, observations, etc.)
- How many participants were in the study? How did they recruit & select this sample?
- How did they analyze the data?

What did they do to persuade you of the validity or trustworthiness of their results & interpretations?

How well did their <u>discussion</u> illuminate their <u>results</u>, in your view? Examples?

What do you think we could <u>do</u> with these results? How could they be useful?

What was it like for you to read this article as a scientific report?

Anything else you notice or wonder about this text?