



**Making Sense of Numbers: Understanding Risks and Benefits –
Handout**

Instructions:

Please fill in the blank with the proper term as you learn it in the webinar. The answers will be taken up as a group at the end of the webinar.

1. Numeracy literacy is _____ than just numbers just like health literacy is more than just reading.
2. Risk is defined as the _____ that something will happen.
3. We want to look at the _____ risk versus _____ risk of a medication/treatment/therapy. It is the number of people experiencing an event in relation to the total population.
4. When comparing different numbers/odds, we should change the _____ so that both numbers are the same.
5. _____ is how we present risk; you can present information in a positive manner or a negative manner.



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6. People are more interested with the risk of _____ a disease versus the risk of dying from a disease.

7. What are the 5 steps for evaluating information?
