

might be an inspiring future for qualitative software: collaborative interpretation.

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The Use of Qualitative Data Analysis Software (NVivo): Early Career Experiences of Young Adults with ADHD

Abstract: The tasks of analyzing, thematically coding, and synthesizing volumes of data collected—or in this case, hundreds of pages of transcribed interview results—are streamlined and more rapidly performed when data analysis software is utilized. The ease in which to recode data in multiple iterations allowed the researcher to discover additional important information about her participants not directly related to the research question of: What are some of the challenging work experiences as described by young adults with ADHD in a structured work environment? In this qualitative research study, the challenges that young adults (ages 22-28) with ADHD experience in the workplace across the USA were analyzed and then categorized into four distinct types of workplace challenges. Recoding & further analysis using NVivo led to an additional finding not directly related to the research question: that is, the effect of self-awareness in young adults with ADHD & how self-awareness can mitigate or influence one's workplace behaviors towards these challenging work experiences. Noteworthy in this research was the finding that the young adults with ADHD who demonstrated the highest levels of self-awareness either participated in the past, or are currently engaged in, counseling or therapy of some form. Prior research findings suggest that individuals with ADHD typically suffer from much lower self-awareness as compared to those without ADHD. Further research on the topic of self-awareness should be undertaken to assess a myriad of topics for individuals with ADHD, including: identification of those techniques and treatments to develop self-awareness; further exploration as to benefits, potential damages or disadvantages of self-awareness; self-awareness gender differences; and the relative stages or phases of self-awareness development by individuals' ages. The researcher will emphasize the opportunities provided by use of qualitative data analysis technology and software when applied to qualitative research projects that generate significant volumes of data to be analyzed.

Keywords: ADHD, workplace challenge, young adult, NVivo, qualitative, content analysis, workplace experience

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Organize, Manage, and Analyse a Social Media Multimodal Corpus with the Help of CAQDAS. NVivo: A Useful Tool for Digital Discourse Analysis

Abstract: The rise of social media gave the chance for scholars in Social Sciences and Humanities to create corpus from data available online (Lejeune 2010). The danger, in this way, is collecting big data very difficult to manage with traditional tools and, overall, in the frame of qualitative research. For this reason, it seems important to mobilize digital tools to assist researchers in a reflexive perspective (Schön 1987;