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The NCI Office of Data Sharing presents the Annual Data Sharing Symposium:

Driving Cancer Advances through Impactful Research

October 15 – October 16, 2024

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On October 15th and 16th, 2024, the NCI Office of Data Sharing (ODS) is hosting the 2nd **Annual Data Sharing Symposium** titled ***Driving Cancer Advances through Impactful Research*** located at Masur Auditorium inside the Clinical Center at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, MD.

NCI's Office of Data Sharing (ODS) will bring together experts and stakeholders including scientists, clinicians, policymakers, patients, advocates and trainees across government, academia and industry to learn from one another and explore ways to maximize the benefits of these efforts. Please join us for engaging discussions on advancing cancer research through data sharing and reuse.

Announcements

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) released **Implementation Update for Data Management and Access Practices Under the Genomic Data Sharing Policy** on July 25, 2024. [NOT-OD-24-157](#).

The two practices under the NIH Genomic Data Sharing (GDS) Policy are to ensure GDS Policy implementation continues to evolve alongside changing practices for collecting, sharing, and using controlled-access human genomic data and include (1) modernizing security standards provided in the “NIH Security Best Practices for Controlled-Access Data Subject to the NIH Genomic Data Sharing (GDS) Policy” and (2) establishing minimum expectations for access to controlled-access data by developers. This implementation update will **take effect on January 25, 2025**.

[Request for Information](#) on Recommendations on Re-envisioning U.S. Postdoctoral Research Training and Career Progression within the Biomedical Research Enterprise. NIH is gathering community input on additional proposed actions to accelerate the career transition of postdoc scholars into thriving biomedical research careers. Feedback will be accepted electronically until **October 23, 2024**.

[HHS Proposes HTI-2 Rule](#) to Improve Patient Engagement, Information Sharing, and Public Health Interoperability.

The Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONC) released the Health Data, Technology, and Interoperability: Patient Engagement, Information Sharing, and Public Health Interoperability (HTI-2) proposed rule for public comment. The HTI-2 proposed rule reflects ONC’s focused efforts to advance interoperability and improve information sharing among patients, providers, payers, and public health authorities.

Share the [National Cancer Plan Engagement Calendar](#) with the cancer community and how your work is helping to advance the [eight goals](#) of the National Cancer Plan. The September-November 2024 featured Empowering Goal is called [Optimize the Workforce](#). Share how you are building a diverse cancer workforce that reflects the communities served and meets the needs of all people with cancer.

Meetings

Happening now:

- CCDI Federated Data: Enhancing Data Discoverability. August 13, 2024, 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM. [Register here.](#)
- Cancer Moonshot Workshop: Using AI Approaches to Target Undruggable Cancer Targets. August 15, 2024, 8:30 AM - 5:15 PM. [Register here.](#)
- AI in IO: SITC-NCI Computational Immuno-oncology Webinar - Predicting Early Diagnosis and Response with Multimodal AI. August 29, 2024, 2:30 PM – 3:30 PM. [Register here.](#)

Past meetings:

- Data Science Seminar Series: Biomedical Data Fusion Lab. Wednesday, July 17, 2024. [Recording.](#)
- CCDI Webinar – The National Childhood Cancer Registry (NCCR): Leveraging Data Standards for Improving Interoperability. July 9, 2024. [Recording.](#)
- Diagnosis in the Era of Digital Health and Artificial Intelligence: A Workshop. July 25, 2024. [Recording.](#)

We'd love to hear from you! Contact the ODS team at: nciofficeofdatasharing@mail.nih.gov

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