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Data Sharing Champion: Unveiling Our Vision

ODS has recently launched "ODS Connect," a newsletter for internal NCI members that highlights data sharing activities, policies, meetings, events, resources, and more. As we gear up for the upcoming newsletters, we are excited to introduce the goal of the "Data Sharing Champion" article within the ODS Connect newsletter. Our objective is to showcase a program or resource that significantly contributes to effective data management, quality, sharing, and utilization. You can past newsletter by [clicking here](#).

You may recall the recent inaugural [Data Sharing Champion](#) article on the [Epidemiology and Genomics Research Program](#) (EGRP). The Data Champion program has generated significant interest among our community members. Similar to the EGRP's enthusiastic response, we're open to suggestions for yet another groundbreaking program. Do you have an innovative concept in mind? A resource that you believe holds immense value. This is the time to share your insights.

As we transition into the next chapter of our newsletter, we invite you to be part of our journey. Let your voice be heard, contribute to our shared vision, and make an impact that resonates with all of us. We'd love to hear your thoughts, ideas, and insights that could enrich our newsletter content.

ODS Symposium

When: October 16–17, 2023

Where: NIH Clinical Center, Masur Auditorium

[Register here](#) for the first Annual NCI Office of Data Sharing (ODS) Symposium, a free hybrid event! Our goal in ODS is to bring together experts and stakeholders throughout the cancer research community (policymakers, scientists, clinicians, and students across government, academia, industry, and advocacy) to learn from one another and explore ways to improve implementation of new data sharing policies for the greatest public benefit.

The Symposium will include key topics of interest

- Resources, obstacles, and incentives for sharing cancer research and care data
- Tools for writing and assessing Data Management and Sharing plans
- Processes and tools for accessing and utilizing data

Join us for this 1.5 day event that includes learning sessions, panel discussions, and think tank opportunities to address how we can balance incentives across all active parties to promote meaningful data sharing and use that ultimately allows the cancer research and care community to learn from every patient so that we can successfully treat every patient.

Resources

The Office of Data Sharing has published the [Data Sharing Resource Hub](#) on myNCI to support NCI staff needs. Please let us know if we are missing something related to data sharing.

- This month we highlight the [Interactive Dashboard: Data Repository Options for NCI Researchers](#), a resource for NCI staff to find options for data repositories based on characteristics like cost and data type. The resource is meant for internal use only, and can help staff answer questions from PI's who are uncertain about finding a suitable data repository.

Meetings

Happening now:

- Trans-NCI Data Management and Sharing Working Group meeting is scheduled for Sept 13, 2023, at 10am. Developments relating to implementing NIH 2023 DMSP and related projects will be discussed. Monthly subgroup meetings will resume after the summer.

Past meetings:

- Trans-NCI Data Management and Sharing Working Group meeting from Aug 9th, 2023: presentation and recording are available to WG members. [Click here](#)
- CCDI symposium from March 2023 <https://videocast.nih.gov/watch=49171>
- Using the CCDI Molecular Target Platform Webinar scheduled for August 21, Learn about the molecular characterization platform that provides information about DNA and RNA markers involved in growth and spread of cancer cells from speakers Drs. Subhashini Jagu and Mr. Zack Dorman. [Click here](#)

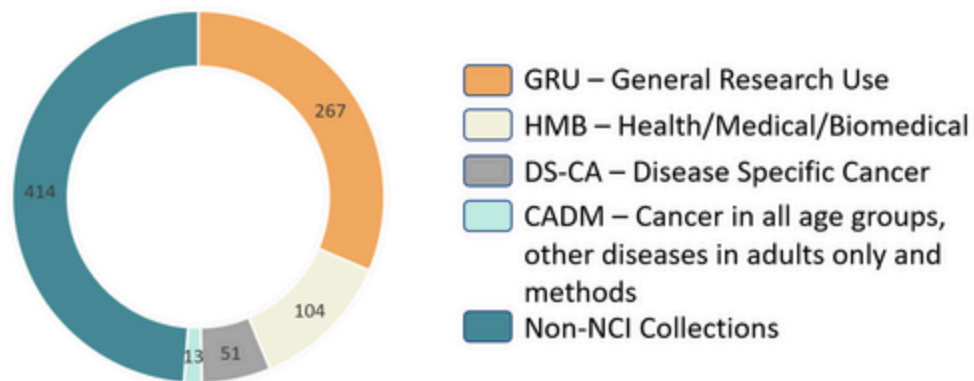
Announcement



NIH Application Instruction Updates – Data Management and Sharing (DMS) Costs. Notice Number: [NOT-OD-23-161](#)

Metrics

NCI dataset available through dbGAP



Data Access Request (DARs) July 10th – August 10th



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