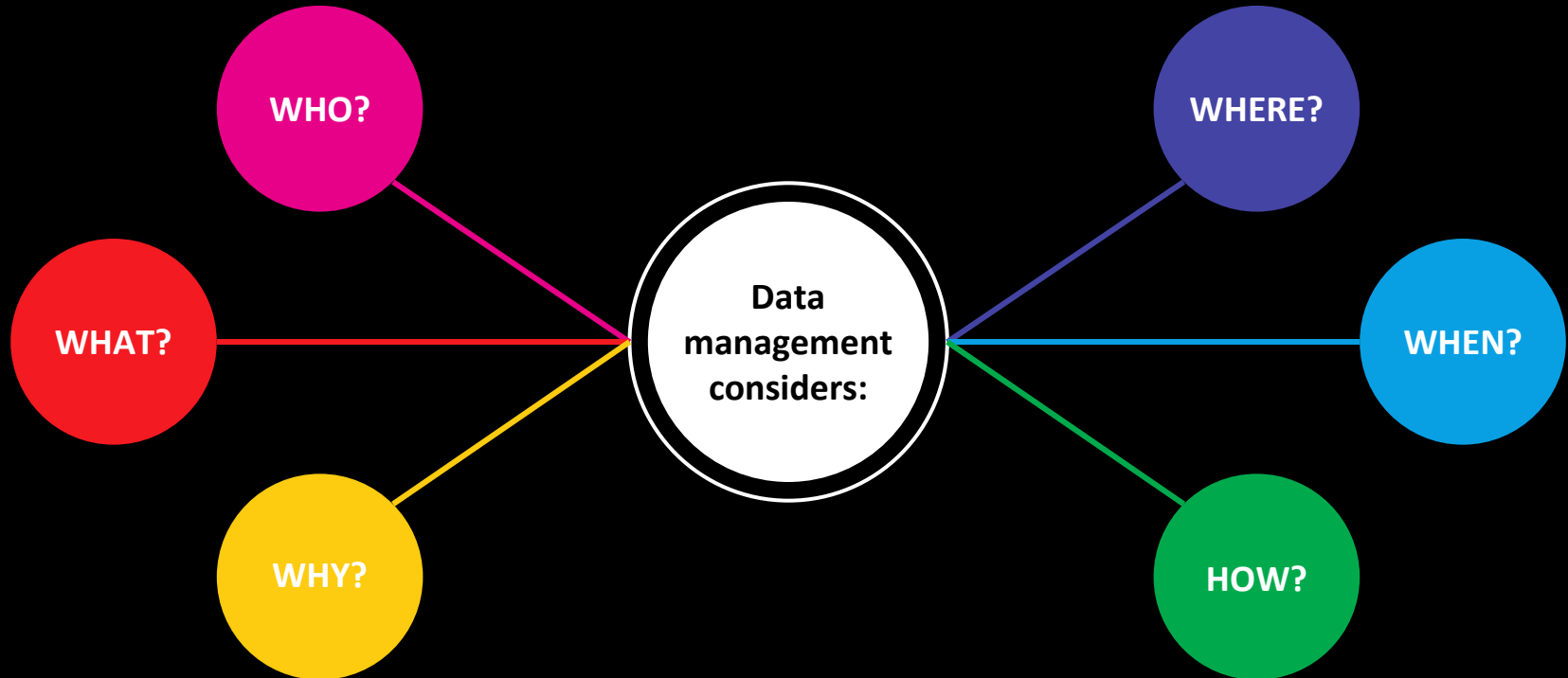


The What, Why, and How of Data Management Plans



What is data management?

The processes and practices associated with the documentation and storage of and access to data and associated metadata throughout the research lifecycle.





What is a DMP?

A DMP is a Data Management Plan

This is a document describing the data that will be generated during a research project, and how it will be used, accessed, and stored during the research lifecycle and beyond



Why is a DMP useful?

- It provides clarity to you the researcher as to how you can manage your data
- It demonstrates that you are forward-thinking and switched on to the nuances of data management
- It can be used to stimulate conversations around data aspirations with collaborators, Indigenous research partners, and stakeholders
- It can be shared with eResearch and libraries support staff to provide them with the info they need to understand your needs, and identify any infrastructural constraints
- It may be a requirement of your institute or the funding organisation you are applying to

**So a DMP sounds
handy.**

**But what's it like in
practice?**





What's the plan for:

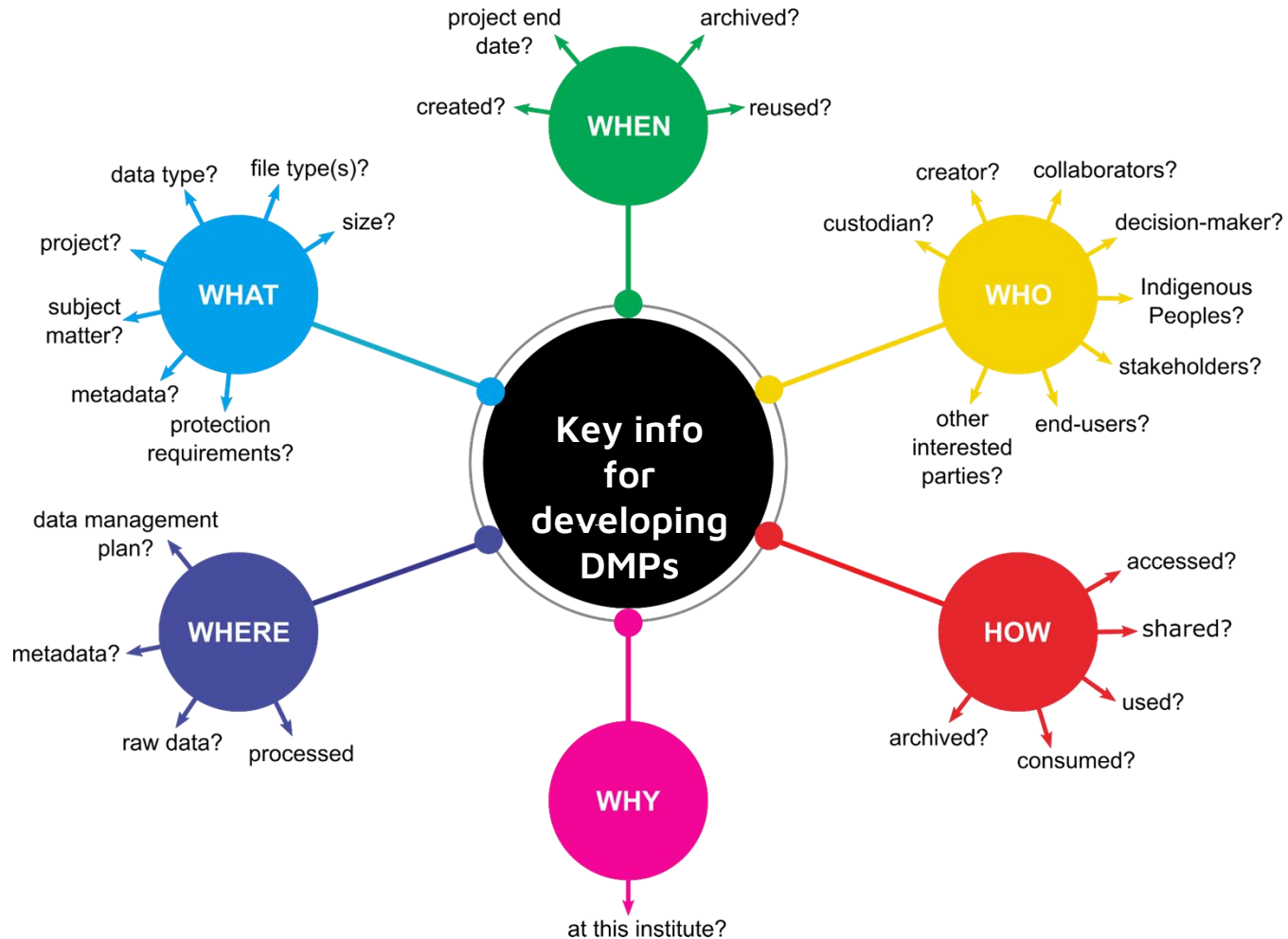
- Data types
- Data formats and standards
- Data roles & responsibilities
- Data dissemination
- Data sharing & access
- Archiving & persistence

These are examples of aspects included in existing DMP templates required by funding organisations

**Ok, but it feels like
a lot.**

Where do I start?





Now it's over to you!

tinyurl.com/DataMgmtHub
ds-wizard.org/data-management-plans

