

Webinar 2 ELSI - Topic 1

Why biobanking?

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Topic 1 Why biobanking?

Learning objectives. At the end of the training session, participants will be able to:

- Motivate the necessity for biobank research
- Explain the necessity to consider ELSI in biobank research

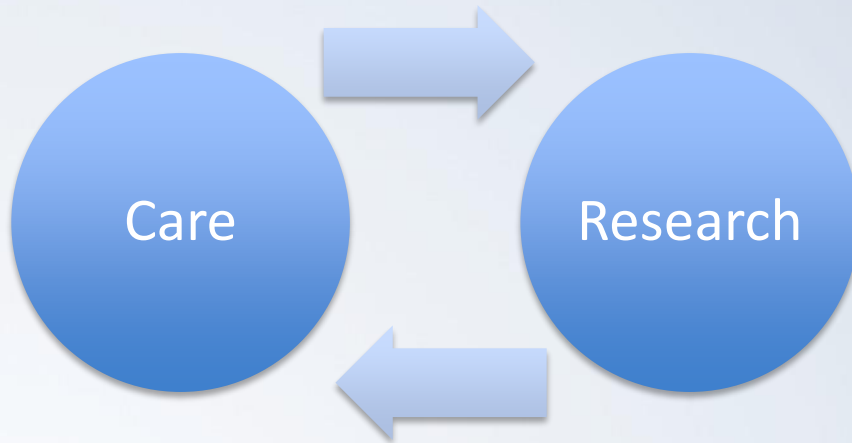
Target audience: biobankers, researchers, research administrators, members of ethics review boards and similar bodies



Source: <http://nordiclifescience.org/ki-starts-regional-biobank-in-stockholm/>

The need for biobanking

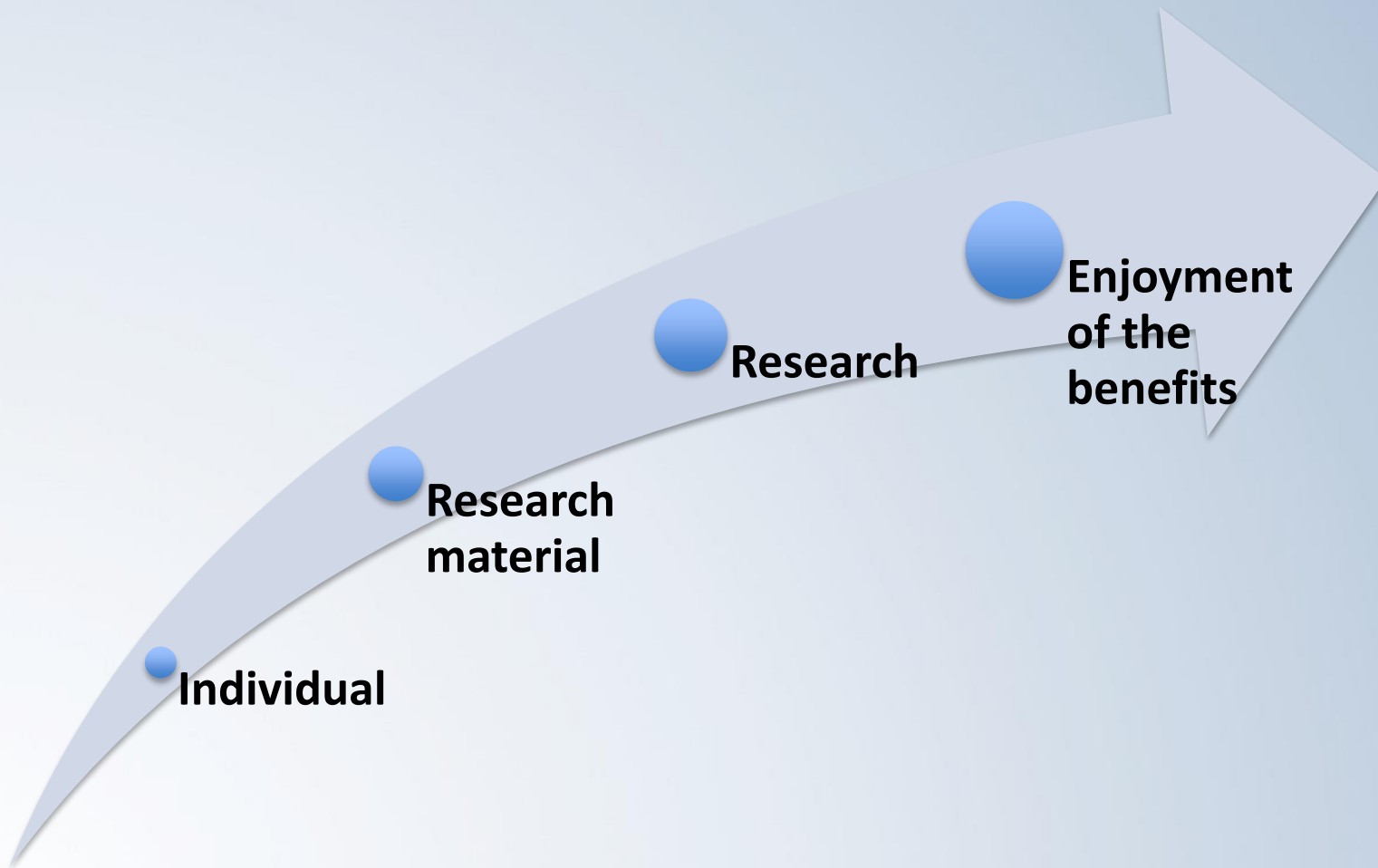
Bridging care and research



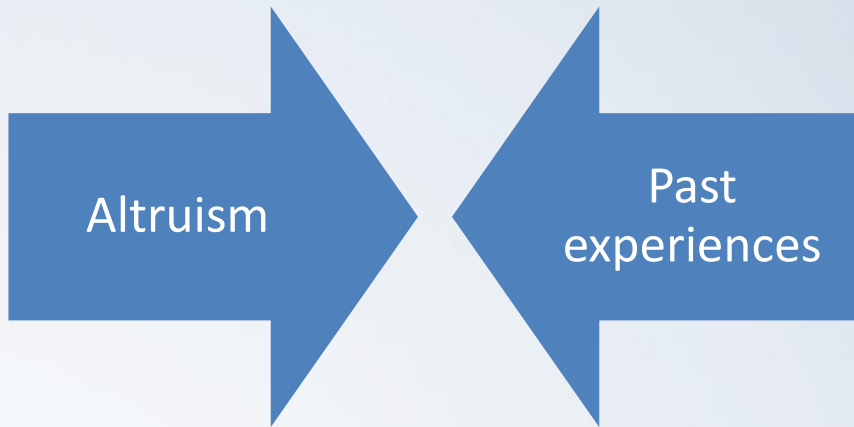
Fulfillment of a human right to the benefits of science and technology

- Article 27 UDHR, Article 15(1)(b) ICESCR;
- Article 2 Charter of the African Union;
- Article 13 CFREU, Biomedicine Convention.

ELSI framework



ELSI framework: hype or **hope**?



Hope that:

- Values are considered and observed
- The rights are protected
- Risks for harm is minimized

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Questions?



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