

## **INCLUSION OF WOMEN AND MINORITIES – INFORMATICS AND ANALYTICS CORE**

Every effort will be made to include tissue samples from women and minorities. This is an analysis of human brain tissue, blood (serum) and CSF. Both male and female adults ages 18 to 60 years, and all races will be included in this study based on the patient population undergoing epilepsy surgery at our program. There will be no direct recruiting of patients for this study as the only criteria for acceptance is that they are undergoing epilepsy surgery for intractable seizures and they consent to have their tissues used in this study. A list of male/female and minorities is in the inclusion enrollment report attached.

# Planned Enrollment Report

**This report format should NOT be used for collecting data from study participants.**

**Study Title:** SHARED RESOURCE CORE BIOBANK

**Domestic/Foreign:** Domestic

**Comments:** We are planning to collect blood, CSF and brain samples from 60 study participants including 30 patients with epilepsy and 30 controls. The epilepsy samples will be from patients undergoing surgery for seizure control and the control samples from deceased patients who died from non-neurological causes and had no history of acute infections or chronic inflammatory diseases. This will be in addition to the 400 study participants enrolled in Project 1 (300 traumatic brain injury and 100 control subjects), from whom we will receive biospecimens for analysis and storage (not listed in this table).

Racial Categories	Ethnic Categories				
	Not Hispanic or Latino		Hispanic or Latino		Total
	Female	Male	Female	Male	
American Indian/ Alaska Native	1	1	2	1	5
Asian	3	2	2	3	10
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	1	1	2	5
Black or African American	3	4	3	2	12
White	4	4	4	4	16
More Than One Race	3	3	3	3	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>60</b>