



Archive of Data on Disability to Enable Policy and Research: Creating a Common Resource for Disability & Rehabilitation Stakeholders

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The Archive of Data on Disability to Enable Policy and research (ADDEP) is a joint initiative of the Center for Large Data Research and Data Sharing in Rehabilitation (CLDR) and ICPSR. Through this new partnership, ADDEP brings together existing disability data already available at ICPSR with newly acquired data from rehabilitation medicine- and disability-related areas.

Resources for a Cross-disciplinary Audience

ADDEP can help researchers and projects comply with the federal data-sharing requirements in the disability and rehabilitation fields.

Archiving research data to be made available to a broad audience is a relatively new concept in disability and rehabilitation research. Funding agencies, such as the NIH and NSF, are requiring their grant recipients to include data management and sharing plans in their proposals. The National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR) will also join the movement.



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ADDEP archives research data, facilitating research to inform policy decisions regarding disability and rehabilitation. According to a 2015 report published by the CDC, about 1 in 5 individuals has a disability. As healthcare has become a focus of national debate and legislation, ADDEP helps practitioners and policymakers better understand and address the needs of the growing population living with a disability.

ADDEP Services

Data User Services:

- Identification of disability and rehabilitation data on specific topics
- Links to related databases and resources
- Online data analysis
- Assistance with retrieval and use of data files from ADDEP
- Bibliographic citations to publications based on research data in ADDEP
- Information on understanding and using research data

Data Depositor Services:

- Technical assistance with data preparation
- Consultation on data collection, enhancing the quality of the data for analysis
- Confidentiality reviews of data

For All Users:

ADDEP and the CLDR provide education, training, and learning experiences about both archiving data and using archived data in the disability and rehabilitation fields. Training and education resources include:

- Webinars
- Workshops
- Written Guides
- Other training tailored to fit the needs of disability and rehabilitation research communities to strengthen and support the infrastructure around shared data.

Discover Data with ADDEP!

Access data on:

- Rehabilitation programs
- Work disability
- Assistive devices
- Various types of disabilities
- Healthcare
- MRI Images



ADDEP Partners

ADDEP is hosted by (ICPSR), the largest social science data archive in the world and part of the University of Michigan's Institute for Social Research. The CLDR involves a consortium of investigators from the University of Texas Medical Branch, Cornell University, ICPSR, and the University of Michigan's Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation department. ADDEP is supported by a grant P2CHD065702 awarded to the CLDR by the NIH — National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, through the National Center for Medical Rehabilitation Research, the National Institute for Neurological Disorders and Stroke, and the National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering.

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