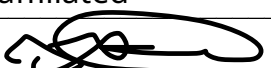




## Data Use Agreement of the Intermediate Results of the REST-meta-MDD Project from the DIRECT Consortium

1. As a part of the REST-meta-MDD project (Yan et al., 2019, PNAS) from the DIRECT Consortium (Chen et al., 2022, Psychoradiology), the R-fMRI indices of the 1300 MDD patients and 1128 NCs were shared through the R-fMRI Maps Project (<http://rfmri.org/REST-meta-MDD>). These data derivatives will allow replication, secondary analyses and discovery efforts while protecting participant privacy and confidentiality.
2. The data entered unrestricted sharing phase since January 1, 2020. The researchers can perform any analyses of interest while not violating ethics.
3. The data user should submit an annual report of research progress on REST-meta-MDD data by the end of each year. The data user should not leak the data and phenotypic information to any other third parties.
4. Please cite the PNAS paper in your work: Yan CG et al. Reduced default mode network functional connectivity in patients with recurrent major depressive disorder. Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A 2019; 116(18): 9078-83.
5. Please list the DIRECT Consortium as an author and cite the DIRECT Consortium paper in your work: Chen et al. The DIRECT consortium and the REST-meta-MDD project: towards neuroimaging biomarkers of major depressive disorder, Psychoradiology, Volume 2, Issue 1, March 2022, Pages 32–42.
6. The data was shared by the DIRECT Consortium and the International Big-Data Center for Depression Research, Institute of Psychology, Chinese Academy of Sciences. The consortium and the center reserve the right to the interpretation of the above terms and conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, by signing below, I agree that I have read, understand, and agree to the conditions set forth above.

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