

Create Datastore



- Quick Guide to Registering Your Study
- **Create** a datastore study to begin registration.
 - **Complete** the first five chevrons (the fifth, Study Schema is optional), then click **Save & Submit**.
 - Your study will appear on the **Datastore Overview** page.
 - **Return anytime** to finish your schema and upload documents and datasets.

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Expiration Date: 07/31/2027

Please note: All data submitted to NICHD DASH undergoes a formal review process. Once approved, your data will be made available for sharing in NICHD DASH.

Study Title:

Study Abbreviation:

Abstract:

Number of Sites:

☐ Single Site

☐ Multi Site

Study Type(s):

- Select all that apply -

Other Study Type:

Study URL:

Recruitment Status:

- Select One -

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Study Research Management

In the table below please add the members of your research team (e.g. primary principal investigator listed on the NIH award, other principal and co-investigators, data managers and other researchers). Select their role and provide contact information for each team member. Indicate which will be responsible for the submission by checking the Submitter checkbox. Please note that this is informative only and does not reflect any permissions to access the study. If the primary principal investigator would like to delegate the submission to another team member, please email DASHCurator@mail.nih.gov.

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SELECT	ROLE	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	EMAIL	JOB TITLE/POSITION	AFFILIATED INSTITUTION
☐	Data Manager	Firstname	Lastname	email@email.com	Data Manager	NIH

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NICHD-Supported Research Networks & Initiatives:*

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Keywords and Topics

Associate Keywords

Associating relevant keywords to the datastore promotes reuse and improves the search capability.

Filter Keywords:

Add Keyword

If the keyword you searched for does not appear in the list, click Add Keyword to add and apply it.

Sort By:

☒ Name

☐ Frequency

Available Keywords

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Current Keywords

Associate Topics

Filter Topics:

If the topic you searched for does not appear in the list, click Add Label to add and apply it.

Sort By:

☒ Name

☐ Frequency

Associating topics to the datastore groups similar studies together for better filtering.

Available Topics

Adrenal Gland Disorders (1)
Amenorrhea (4)
Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (25)
Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) (2)
Bacterial Vaginosis (3)

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☐	Data Manager

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NICHD-Supported Research

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☐	NCT0001112222

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Role:*

- Select One -

Title:

- Select One -

First Name:*

Middle Initial:

Last Name:*

Email:*

Phone Number:

Affiliated Institution:*

- Select One -

AUTOPOP Institution Address:*

Job Title/Position:*

- Select One -

Other Job Title/Position:*

Submitter:

☐ Is Submitter

Submit

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managers and other researchers). Select their role and position to another team member, please email

Search:

POSITION	AFFILIATED INSTITUTION
	NIH

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NICHD-Supported Research Networks & Initiatives

Funding Information

Funding Source:

☐ NIH Extramural☐ NIH Intramural☐ Other

Funding Institution:

- Select One -

Funding Type:

☐ Contract☐ Grant☐ Other

Identifying Number:

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Study Timeline

Study Timeline:*

Yes

No

Are there study enrollment and data collection dates associated with your study?

If no, please explain why there are no dates associated with your study:

Study Enrollment Dates:*

If the Study Enrollment End Date is not known, please enter your best estimate and update the date once it is known.

Start Date

YYYY-MM-DD



End Date

YYYY-MM-DD



Data Collection Dates:*

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Start Date

YYYY-MM-DD



End Date

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Data Use Limitations and Data Sharing

Are there any limitations on secondary use of the data or biospecimens based on the original informed consent of the participant or other legal requirements?*

Yes

No

If Yes, please specify limitations:*

Are you submitting all data collected based on study protocol?*

This question is about sharing all study data at all and not about data being submitted to another repository which is entered in the Study Relationships section.

Yes

No

If No, describe the data not being submitted, whether it will be submitted at a later date?*

Estimated Initial Data Submission Date:*

YYYY-MM-DD



Estimated Follow-up Data Submission Date:*

YYYY-MM-DD



Add Additional Date

Licensed Data Standards and Proprietary Instruments

Did you use any proprietary data collection instruments in your study?*

Yes

No

Note: Proprietary instruments are those with associated costs and/or licenses for use

Name of the proprietary instrument:*

Note: Proprietary data collection instruments should not be uploaded to DASH.

URL or contact information for the proprietary instrument:*

Add Additional Instrument

Did you use any licensed data standards to code your data?*

Yes

No

If Yes, please list the name(s) of the licensed data standards:*

Note: If licensed data standards were used, data requesters will be required to comply with any licensing or subscription requirements to use your data stored in DASH.

Study Relationships

If the study you are submitting is related to an existing NICHD DASH study, either by study participants or study protocol, please list them below:

Related Studies in DASH:*

Yes

No

Add New Relationship

Delete

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SELECT	RELATIONSHIP TYPE	RELATED DASH STUDY	SELECTED STUDY RELATIONSHIP TO CURRENT STUDY
	Sub-Study	Study Name	Selected Study is the Main Study

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If the study you are submitting is related to a study outside of NICHD DASH, either by study participants or study protocol, please list them below:

Related Studies Outside of DASH:*

Yes

No

Add New External Study

Delete

Search:



SELECT	STUDY NAME	DESCRIPTION	STUDY URL	STUDY DOI/PID	EXTERNAL REPOSITORY
	External Study Name (EXSN)	Description of external study that has a relationship to this study	https://dbgap.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/study1234	10.23718/NLM/1518821	NLM

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Biospecimen Information

Were biospecimens collected for this study:*

Yes

No

Are the biospecimens available for public sharing/secondary use:*

Yes

No

Select the Biorepository where the biospecimens are stored:*

NICHD Contracted Biorepository

Other

Do you plan to submit a biospecimen catalog to share study biospecimens through DASH?*

Yes

No

Acknowledgement Statement

Using the template below, provide instructions for how you wish your study to be acknowledged by researchers who use your study data in future presentations or publications.*

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YesNo

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YesNo

If No, describe the data not being submitted, whether it will be submitted at a later date?*

Estimated Initial Data Submission Date:*

YYYY-MM-DD



Estimated Follow-up Data Submission Date:*

YYYY-MM-DD



Add Additional Date

Licensed Data Standards and Proprietary Instruments

Did you use any proprietary data collection instruments?*

Note: Proprietary instruments are those with associated costs and/or

Name of the proprietary instrument:*

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URL or contact information for the proprietary instrument:*

Add Additional Instrument

Did you use any licensed data standards to code your data?*

If Yes, please list the name(s) of the licensed data standards used:*

Note: If licensed data standards were used, data requesters will be required to comply with any licensing or subscription requirements to use your data stored in DASH.

Add Related DASH Study

Relationship Type:*

- Select relationship type -

Related DASH Study:*

Select a study or begin typing

Selected Study's Relationship to This Study:*

- Select One -

Submit

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Study Relationships

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Related Studies in DASH:*

YesNo

Add New Relationship

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YesNo

Add New External Study

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Biospecimen Information

Were biospecimens collected for this study:*(div>YesNo

Are the biospecimens available for public sharing/secondary use:*(div>YesNo

Select the Biorepository where the biospecimens are stored:*(div>NICHD Contracted BiorepositoryOther

Do you plan to submit a biospecimen catalog to share study biospecimens through DASH?*(div>YesNo

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URL or contact information for the proprietary instrument:*

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Study Relationships

If the study you are submitting is related to an existing NICHD DASH study, please list the relationship below:

Related Studies in DASH:*

Add New Relationship

Delete

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Related Studies Outside of DASH:*

☒ Yes ☐ No

Add New External Study

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Number of Participants:^{*}

Total Population Description:^{*}

Participants by Sex

Males:

Females:

Unknown:

Undifferentiated:

Participants by Life Stage

Infant (0 - 1 yr):

Toddler (13 mo - <2 yrs):

Early Childhood (2 - 5 yrs):

Middle Childhood (6 - 11 yrs):

Early Adolescence (12 - 18 yrs):

Late Adolescence (19 - 21 yrs):

Adult:

Unknown:

Participants by Ethnicity

Hispanic:

Non-Hispanic:

Unknown:

Participants by Race

American Indian or Alaska Native:

Asian:

Black or African American:

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander:

White:

Multi Race:

Unknown:

Participants by Location

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Males:

Text field input

Females:

Unknown:

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Please enter a number in the Males field

Participants by Life Stage

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Late Adolescence (19 - 21 yrs):

Adult:

Unknown:

Participants by Ethnicity

Hispanic:

Participants by Race

American Indian or Alaska Native:

White:

Multi Race:

Unknown:

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander:

Participant Locations

Select Location Type:*

United States International

Select Location:

- Select one -

Population Count:

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Participants by Location

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Submission Attestation

- By selecting the checkbox below, as the submitter of this study data, I attest that:
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Save Attestation

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- Select One -

Choose Files

Load Files

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The following file types cannot be uploaded: .exe, .sh, .bsh, .csh, .zsh, .sct, .php, .pl, .sql, .dmg, .pkg, .msi, .cmd, .ini
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The maximum single file upload size is 100 GB and the maximum file size of all Meta Study files is 250 GB.

To upload file with attached/associated files, choose 'Upload Directory.'

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Delete

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Upload Filefile.csvChoose FilesLoad Files

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Required Documentation

NICHD requires that the following documents be included in your final submission:

- Institutional Certification Form
- NICHD DASH Codebook - NICHD DASH requires submitters to provide variable-level metadata using the NICHD DASH Codebook, which is a templated data dictionary for submitters to provide detailed information about datasets, variables, and coded values. The [DASH Codebook Template](#) as well as a [User Guide for completing the Codebook](#) are available for download from this [Submission Resources](#) page.
- De-Identification Methodology
- Study Protocol
- Data Collection Forms

You are encouraged to upload additional study documents to ensure meaningful use of your study data and to prevent misuse, misinterpretation, and confusion. Examples of additional study documents include: Data Collection Methodology, Data Analysis Plan, Manual of Operations, Study Manual, Project Summaries, Summary Statistics, List of Publications, and additional documents as appropriate. Note: PDF documents are preferred over .DOC or .DOCX; however, all are accepted, including .RTF and .TXT files. More information about what and when to submit is provided on the [Submission Resources](#) page.

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