

NEW NIH Data Management and Sharing Policy Resources

The NIH has a new Data Management and Sharing Policy that goes into effect for **NIH applications submitted after January 25th 2023**. NIH requires all applicants planning to generate scientific data to prepare a Data Management Sharing Plan that describes how the scientific data will be managed and shared. A brief summary of this new policy is attached, and a list of NIH activity codes subject to the Data Management & Sharing Policy can be found here:

<https://sharing.nih.gov/sites/default/files/flmgr/List-of-Activity-Codes-Applicable-to-DMS-Policy.pdf>.

CARTI previously hosted an information session on “**Getting to Know the New NIH Data Management and Sharing Policy**”. The slides from that session are attached and a recording from the session can be found [here](#). In addition, UMB has resources available through the HSHSL library for creating a Data management plan (DMP) which can be found here <https://guides.hshsl.umaryland.edu/c.php?g=531301&p=3912920>. There is a free, web based service through DMPTool (<https://dmptool.org/>) that provides a step wise process for developing a DMP based on your research.

Lastly, we have included a list of resources available through the UMSOM Office of Research Affairs (ORA), UMB HSHSL library, and the NIH to assist with creating a Data management plan.

UMSOM, Office of Research Affairs (ORA) Resources:

Click [HERE](#) to view the following presentation and resources provided by UMSOM, ORA:

- **Slides:** “NIH Data Management and Sharing Policy” Presented by Joni Prasad, PhD
- **Data Management and Sharing Plan Checklist**
- **DMS Blank Plan Format Page**
- **Generalist Repository Comparison Chart**
This chart is designed to assist researchers in finding a generalist repository should no domain repository be available to preserve their research data.
- **Samples:** Data Management and Sharing Plan

UMB HSHSL Resources:

- Overview of developing a data management plan (DMP):
<https://guides.hshsl.umaryland.edu/c.php?g=531301&p=3912920>
- Additional resources, including a guide for creating a DMP using the DMPTool:
<https://osf.io/wrk2f/>
- Request a consultation with Center for Data & Bioinformation Services (CDABS) to assist with using creating a DMP or using the DMPTool:
<https://www2.hshsl.umaryland.edu/cdabs/consult.cfm>

NIH Resources:

- Overview of new NIH Data Management & Sharing Policy: <https://sharing.nih.gov/data-management-and-sharing-policy/about-data-management-and-sharing-policies/data-management-and-sharing-policy-overview>
- List of NIH activity codes subject to the Data Management & Sharing Policy:
<https://sharing.nih.gov/sites/default/files/flmgr/List-of-Activity-Codes-Applicable-to-DMS-Policy.pdf>
- Find an NIH supported repository for sharing scientific data: <https://sharing.nih.gov/data-management-and-sharing-policy/sharing-scientific-data/repositories-for-sharing-scientific-data>

Examples of sample DMPs: <https://sharing.nih.gov/data-management-and-sharing-policy/planning-and-budgeting-for-data-management-and-sharing/writing-a-data-management-and-sharing-plan#after>