

CAFEH Data Sharing Protocol

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CAFEH is open to collaboration and sharing. We would like to see the data we have collected used in additional studies as long as these requirements are met:

1. Anyone proposing to analyze our data must submit proposal of no more than 2 pages detailing what they're planning to do so that we can insure that it doesn't duplicate or compromise analyses that we are either already undertaking or plan to do.
2. Credit for our funders and for CAFEH must be provided in the acknowledgements of any publications that result from the analyses.
3. Depending on what is being analyzed we may require co-authorship. This would likely be the case if the new analysis uses variables that require substantial development by researchers on our team as opposed to working with raw data. It might also be the case if the new analysis requires substantial consultation from us.
4. IRB approvals and completion of relevant training requirements must be in place prior to receiving any human data.
5. Requests for using data need to be approved by Doug Brugge, John Durant and relevant Community Partner Steering Committee members.
6. We request that anyone analyzing our data consult with us sufficiently to ensure that they do not make errors related to the interpretation of the data or its limitations.
7. We require review of all manuscripts that use our data prior to submission for publication.

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