



Proforma for submitting a request to use the clinical data and/or samples of the UKHR

Background

Approval has been obtained from the NRES Committee North East (18/NE/0374) to perform research on the clinical data and/or samples collected for the UKHR without the need to obtain specific consent for individual projects. However, to ensure that these research projects fall within the remit of the UKHR as described in the accompanying protocol, all requests to use the clinical data and/or samples of the UKHR will be reviewed by the Access Committee of the UKHR. The review will also ensure that the work proposed does not duplicate other ongoing studies using the same data/samples, is adequately funded and has a reasonable prospect of producing meaningful results. Every effort will be made to decide on the suitability of projects within 4-6 weeks. If access to samples/data is denied the reasons for this will be explained in writing. Finally, the details of all the projects using the data/samples of the UKHR will be submitted to the NRES Committee North East as part of an annual report when they will be reviewed. Therefore, we ask all researchers proposing to use the clinical data/samples of the UKHR complete the application form below and return the completed form by e-mail to the UKHR (UKHR@ncl.ac.uk).

Please note that as a condition of the REC approval, experiments involving the use of termination of pregnancies or reproductive cloning are specifically excluded.

Contact details

Name of Investigators	
e-mail	
Telephone	
Address	

Project details

Title of project	
Source and amount of funding	
Details of peer review (e.g. through funding peer review or local research committee).	

Scientific Abstract (no more than 500 words). Please attach copy of full application and /or research protocol if available



Lay Abstract (no more than 500 words).

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Sample details

Number and type required (e.g. DNA, RNA, serum)	
Minimum size of sample (e.g. volume of serum, quantity of RNA, DNA or protein)	
Please justify, including details of power equations where performed	

Will the project involve

Sequencing DNA or RNA?	
Generation of immortalised cell lines (including iPSC)?	
Xenografting?	
Commercial partners?	

To be completed by Steering Committee

How many relevant samples are available? (taking into account Section 3 responses)	
Date application received	
Date sent for approval	
Date of approval decision	
Outcome	

Electronic versions of this form may be downloaded from the UKHR website www.UKHR.org.uk.