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Consultation on the Draft Guidelines for Human Biobanks and Genetic Research Databases (HBGRD)

GUIDE TO COMMENTS

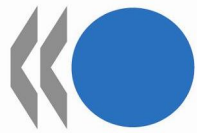
Important Points

How comments and suggestions may be submitted:

- The electronic submission of comments is encouraged.
- Comments may be submitted electronically directly on the OECD website at:
www.oecd.org/sti/biotechnology/hbgrd
- Comments may also be emailed to: hbgrd.guidelines@oecd.org
- Comments may be mailed to:
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- Facsimile copies of comments will be accepted, but are sometimes difficult to read. Fax number:
+33 1 44 30 63 36.
- Audio tapes will not be accepted.
- Submissions/comments should be clear and concise and preferably typewritten.

Information to be submitted with comments:

- Each submission should include:
 - 1) The submitter's name and address (these will be kept confidential); -AND-
 - 2) An email address
- Where comments or suggestions are submitted via email or by mail, respondents should attach/include a copy of the Consent Form, provided herein.



- Your comments and suggestions about the draft Guidelines should be as specific as possible. Please follow the layout of the consultation document. Where specific comments and suggestions are provided, please indicate the applicable principle, best practice or paragraph number relevant to the point(s) being made. If you support your point with additional documentation, this should be fully referenced and/or copies provided with your submission.

Consent form:

- You will be required to complete a consent form when you submit your comments directly on the OECD website.
- Where comments or suggestions are submitted via email or by mail, you are kindly requested to attach/include a copy of the consent form, provided herein.
- If you would like all or part of your submission to remain confidential or if you do not wish to be identified, you must clearly indicate this in your submission.



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CONSENT FORM

NAME AND AFFILIATION:

E-MAIL ADDRESS: [Please note that your e-mail information will be kept strictly confidential. It may be used to inform you on further developments on the guidelines, if you wish.]

1. In the event that the OECD will publish the responses received, please indicate clearly whether or not you wish to have your comments rendered public and included in the publication. In the event that consent is not clearly expressed, it will be presumed to not have been given.

Yes, I give my consent

No, I do not give my consent

2. Please indicate clearly whether or not you wish to have your name and/or the name of your organisation to appear in a publication on responses received.

Yes, I give my consent

No, I do not give my consent

3. Please indicate clearly whether or not you agree to render public your name and/or the name of your organisation in association with your comments.

Yes, I give my consent

No, I do not give my consent