Belmont Forum Data Management Plan Template

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1. What types of data, samples, physical collections, software, curriculum materials, and other materials will be collected, processed and/or generated in the course of the project?

2. Which standards will be used for data and metadata format and content? Where existing standards are absent or deemed inadequate, this should be documented along with any proposed solutions or remedies.

3. Describe plans and protocols for broad access and sharing, including provisions for appropriate protection of privacy, confidentiality, security, intellectual property, or other rights or requirements.

4. Describe plans and provisions for re-use, re-distribution, and the production of derivatives.

5. Describe plans for archiving data, samples, and other research products, and for preservation of access to them via an institutionally-supported repository.

6. What costs are required to implement the data management plan? Please provide a total along with a line item breakdown and brief justification. These costs should be included in the total budget request for your project.


PLEASE NOTE: The questions from this template are included in the Belmont Forum Transformations to Sustainability and Sustainable Urbanisation Global Initiative Food Energy Water Nexus funding opportunities. Modifications may be made to this language in the future as experience using the template evolves.