



Integrated Islet Distribution Program Publications and Presentations Policy

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PURPOSE

The purpose of this Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) is to outline procedures for acknowledging Integrated Islet Distribution Program (IIDP) and for describing IIDP data and samples in articles, publications, and presentations.

GOALS

The IIDP is committed to ensuring that the highest standards for data access, information sharing, and rigor and reproducibility are applied in human islet research. Consistent with this goal, the IIDP encourages timely publication of IIDP-related studies and monitors publications for use of standard identifiers and nomenclature. Any IIDP-approved investigator, or any lab/staff person associated with the investigator, shall agree to abide by this policy, as part of IIDP Terms of Islet Use & United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS) Data Use Agreement. IIDP staff will post this SOP on the IIDP website (<https://iidp.coh.org>) and will assist as requested in order to maintain compliance.

PROCEDURE

In accepting IIDP samples, data, or other material assistance from the IIDP network, investigators agree to abide by this Publications and Presentations SOP.

Written manuscripts submitted for publication in electronic or print journals and oral or poster presentations shall include:

- Acknowledgement and citation of IIDP as the source of resources and information, including any islets, tissue, slides, data, or images from the IIDP or any of their network webpages.
 - Standard IIDP investigators are to use the following citation: Human pancreatic islets and/or other resources were provided by the NIDDK-funded Integrated Islet Distribution Program (IIDP) (RRID:SCR_014387) at City of Hope, NIH Grant # U24DK098085.



- IIDP Islet Award Initiative investigators are to use the following citation:
Human pancreatic islets and/or other resources were provided by the NIDDK-funded Integrated Islet Distribution Program (IIDP) (RRID:SCR_014387) at City of Hope, NIH Grant # U24DK098085 and the JDRF-funded IIDP Islet Award Initiative.
- Investigators who have used UNOS data obtained via the IIDP Data Repository for publication:
 - **The following citation is to be included in the methods section of the manuscript:** “This study used data from the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN). The OPTN data system includes data on all donor, wait-listed candidates, and transplant recipients in the US, submitted by the members of the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN). The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services provides oversight to the activities of the OPTN contractor.”
 - **The following disclaimer is to be stated:** “The data reported here have been supplied by UNOS as the contractor for the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN). The content, interpretation, and reporting of these data is solely the responsibility of the authors and does not necessarily represent the official views of the OPTN or the National Institutes of Health.”
 - **Before submitting an abstract, manuscript, or other aggregation data using UNOS data to another party for presentation or publication,** I agree to submit it to the OPTN for review to ensure compliance with the terms of this agreement regarding confidentiality. The OPTN Contracting Officer’s Representative (COR) shall respond within 30 days. If the abstract, manuscript, or data aggregation does not reflect compliance with the terms of this agreement, I will revise and resubmit to the OPTN and COR. Upon publication, I will provide a copy of the final work and a complete citation to the OPTN and COR. I will contact iidp-email@coh.org to receive current instructions on submitting resources to the COR for pre-review.
- The following citation is to be included in the acknowledgement section:
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- **Standard nomenclature, including Research Resource Identifiers (RRIDs)** for referencing IIDP samples. An RRID for each isolation is obtained by the Islet Isolation Center when a pancreas becomes available for broadcast. The RRID replaces the UNOS ID and must be reported instead of the UNOS ID so that the donor's identity remains confidential. The ancillary tissues, such as duodenum, blood, spleen, histology slides will also have an RRID assigned to them. The RRIDs associated with each donor are linked to each other within the IIDP Research Data Repository.
- **IIDP logos are available for use** with various media and poster presentations acknowledging IIDP. Access to the logos may be obtained at <https://iidp.coh.org/logos>. Any other use of the logo needs to be submitted to the IIDP for approval. IIDP staff are available to assist with the IIDP logo and terms of use. Contact IIDP-email@coh.org for questions.

When an IIDP investigator is informed that a paper has been accepted for publication, online or in print, he or she will notify IIDP at IIDP-email@coh.org with information regarding the publication, including the link(s) to the appropriate journal. Links to all publications utilizing the IIDP resources is posted on the IIDP website at <https://iidp.coh.org/Publications>.