Bone Marrow Failure and Myelodysplastic Syndromes (BMF_MDS) Data Set Publications Policy

The primary purpose of the Bone Marrow Failure and Myelodysplastic Syndromes (BMF_MDS) project is to identify all germline and subclonal pathogenic mutations, including single nucleotide variations (SNVs), small insertion-deletions (indels), copy number variations (CNVs), structural variants (SVs), and short telomere. Additional objectives include, but are not limited to, the acquisition and analysis of additional genomic data, including epigenetic and gene expression data, data integration, and the development and validation of informatic and analytical solutions appropriate to the scale and nature of the project, as well as use of the data generated to answer important methodological and biological questions related to pediatric hematologic malignancies.

The BMF_MDS anticipates that data generated from the project will be used by other researchers (scientists who are employed by, or a student enrolled at or legitimately affiliated with, an academic, non-profit, or government institution, or a commercial company) to develop new analytical methods, validate results, and identify additional genetic variations and alterations in the data.

Authors who use data from the project must acknowledge the BMF_MDS using the following wording "This study makes use of data generated by the INSIGHT-HD BMF/MDS project at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital" and cite the relevant primary BMF_MDS publication if one has been published.

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