

Application to Analyze DNA data from the Wisconsin Longitudinal Study

To apply to use the data please submit the following information:

Curriculum Vitae

If student please also submit the name and CV of a faculty sponsor

Research Proposal

Short proposal (5 pages maximum) describing the research question and study design.

Documentation of IRB approval from home institution.

Please note that it is not acceptable for an IRB to label these data as "exempt." Genetic data are intrinsically identifiable and thus require review as any human subjects research.

Your application will be reviewed by the WLS Genetics Advisory Board.

Upon acceptance of your proposal the PI and any of his/her staff with access to the data will be required to sign confidentiality agreements.

Access to WLS DNA data will only be granted via a secure server. The server will allow researchers to analyze the data but will prohibit copying any data off of the server. Researchers will be able to move result files from the server.

For more information on WLS DNA data please write to roan@ssc.wisc.edu