



CRYPTIC PUBLICATION POLICY

This policy applies to any intended dissemination of unpublished data collected under CRYPTIC and does not apply to published data or to unpublished data contributing to the project but generated using an external funding source.

Further, the policy applies hierarchically; once an analysis is published in a peer-reviewed journal it can be used for any purpose. An analysis presented at an international conference should only be published in a peer-reviewed journal following the agreed procedures below, but may be presented unaltered at a national conference or local seminars.

1. CRYPTIC Publication and CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publication

1. Planned CRYPTIC Publications and CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publications by CRYPTIC Consortium Members will be discussed at the regular analysis meeting and if necessary with the Hub team or Executive Committee in advance.
2. Proposed CRYPTIC Publications and CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publications (not necessarily the final submitted version of the manuscript) must be submitted to the Executive Committee 30 calendar days in advance of the submission date.
3. The Executive Committee will circulate the proposed CRYPTIC Publications and CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publications to the General Assembly and CRYPTIC Donors within 5 calendar days of receipt.
4. The General Assembly and CRYPTIC Donors will review the CRYPTIC Publication or CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publications and provide any objections to the Executive Committee within 20 calendar days of receiving the request. In the event no response is received from CRYPTIC Consortium Members within 20 calendar days, the Executive Committee will assume there is no objection.
5. The Executive Committee will inform the authors of any objections raised which may only be for the following reasons:
 - a. Protection of the objecting CRYPTIC Consortium Member's data which may be adversely affected by the proposed CRYPTIC Publication or CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publication.
 - b. The proposed CRYPTIC Publication or CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publication contains Confidential Information controlled by the objecting CRYPTIC Consortium Member.
 - c. The CRYPTIC Publication or CRYPTIC Secondary Study Publication harms the integrity of the Project.
6. The expectation is that any scientific comments provided by the General Assembly and CRYPTIC Donors on the manuscript should be addressed as much as reasonably possible, given that similar comments could be anticipated by reviewers. Detailed responses to those

providing comments are not, however, expected.

7. A proposed Publication maybe delayed for up to a maximum of 90 calendar days from the date the Executive Committee receives the Publication to evaluate the protection of intellectual property, remove confidential information and/or discuss resolutions to any objections.
8. The Executive Committee will also review the Publication to ensure the Wellcome Trust publication policy is observed and authorship appropriate.
9. A final copy of the submitted Publication will be sent to the Executive Committee for circulation to the General Assembly.

2. Other Publication

1. Other Publications will be discussed at the regular analysis meeting or with the Hub team in advance to avoid duplicate analysis.
2. Other Publications must acknowledge CRyPTIC consortium as a data source.
3. A copy of the submitted publication will be sent to the Executive Committee for information only.

3. Authorship

a. Conference and Seminar presentations

CRyPTIC Publication

The CRyPTIC Consortium Member(s) leading presentation of results from the CRyPTIC study shall be decided by the Executive Committee.

CRyPTIC Secondary Study Publication

The CRyPTIC Consortium Member(s) leading presentation of results from a CRyPTIC Secondary Study shall be decided by the relevant CRyPTIC Secondary Study group.

b. Journal articles

Authorship of journal articles shall be based on standard academic practice. Any publication generated directly from CRyPTIC funding (including CRyPTIC Secondary Study Publications) shall list all CRyPTIC consortium partners who contributed data to the analyses, and authorship order shall

depend on intellectual input. All publications shall also include “CRyPTIC Consortium” as an author which will include all researchers working on the CRyPTIC project.

Any Other Publication should acknowledge “CRyPTIC Consortium” as the source of data.

Any publication made by a CRyPTIC Participant generated from external funding using published CRyPTIC data should acknowledge “CRyPTIC Consortium”.

4. Dispute Resolution

Any dispute in regarding dissemination or authorship shall be referred to the Executive Committee and if the dispute is not resolved by the Executive Committee it will be escalated to the External Advisory Board. In the event the dispute is not resolved by the External Advisory Board, the parties will enter dispute resolution process as set out in the collaboration agreement.