

Review of: "Responsible Governance of Genomics Data and Biospecimens in the Context of Broad Consent: Experiences of a Pioneering Access Committee in Africa"

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The paper is a timely effort to investigate these current and important issues related to genomic data access. The paper is an overview of data access governance protocols and requests from various interested groups.

Overall, responsible governance is the principle that guides decision-making and actions of governments, organizations, and individuals to uphold ethical integrity, accountability, and transparency.

While converting it into a full-length paper, authors should address the following issues: ethical leadership, accountability to the citizens of respective governments, inclusivity, sustainability, integrity, transparency, and conflict resolution.

So, the paper may argue within the research framework of 'responsible governance' that may be aligned with the goals for fostering trust, stability, and prosperity within societies.

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