

MANAGEMENT OF INFORMATION DURING RESEARCH IMPLEMENTATION

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- By the end of this presentation you should be able to:
- Know why it is important to keep research data/information securely
- Understand the various ways of keeping research data;
- Share experiences on keeping and challenges of storing research data

Layout

MAGING INFORMATION :-

- PRE-STUDY
- DURING THE STUDY
- AFTER THE STUDY

Reflect on....

**ACTIVITIES INVOLVED IN
RESEARCH IMPLEMENTATION**

P-People

R-Resources

A-Activities

I-Information

S-Self

E-Environment

MANAGING – INFORMATION (DATA)

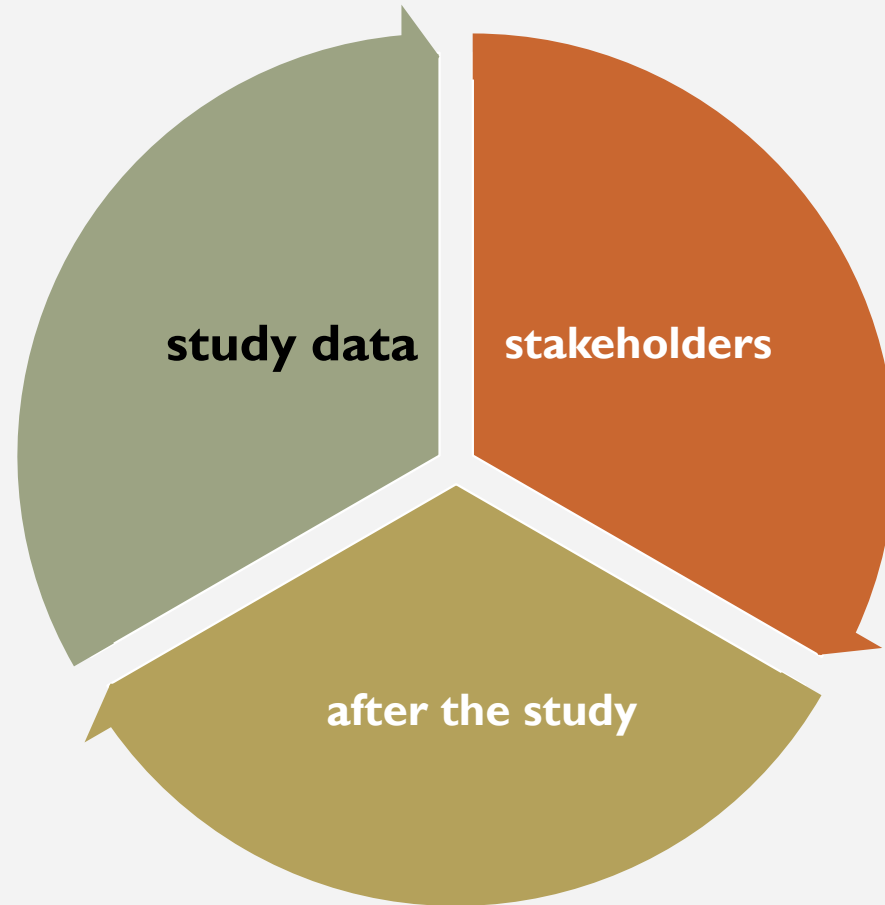
- Refer to **PRAISE**

Guidelines to manage information

- Before the study – At proposal stage
- During the study- during implementation of the research project
- After the study- Dissemination and publication

Management of information should be clear at the on-set at all stages

MANAGING INFORMATION



STUDY DATA

collecting data

storing data

sharing data

COLLECTING DATA

- Paper based vs electronic data collection
 - Clear procedures on how to collect data
 - Checklists for study visits
 - Standardize the data (measurements, dates, number of decimal places)
 - Phrasing of questions
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- Maintaining privacy of participants and their data
- Quality control (double entry or visual checks)

STORING DATA



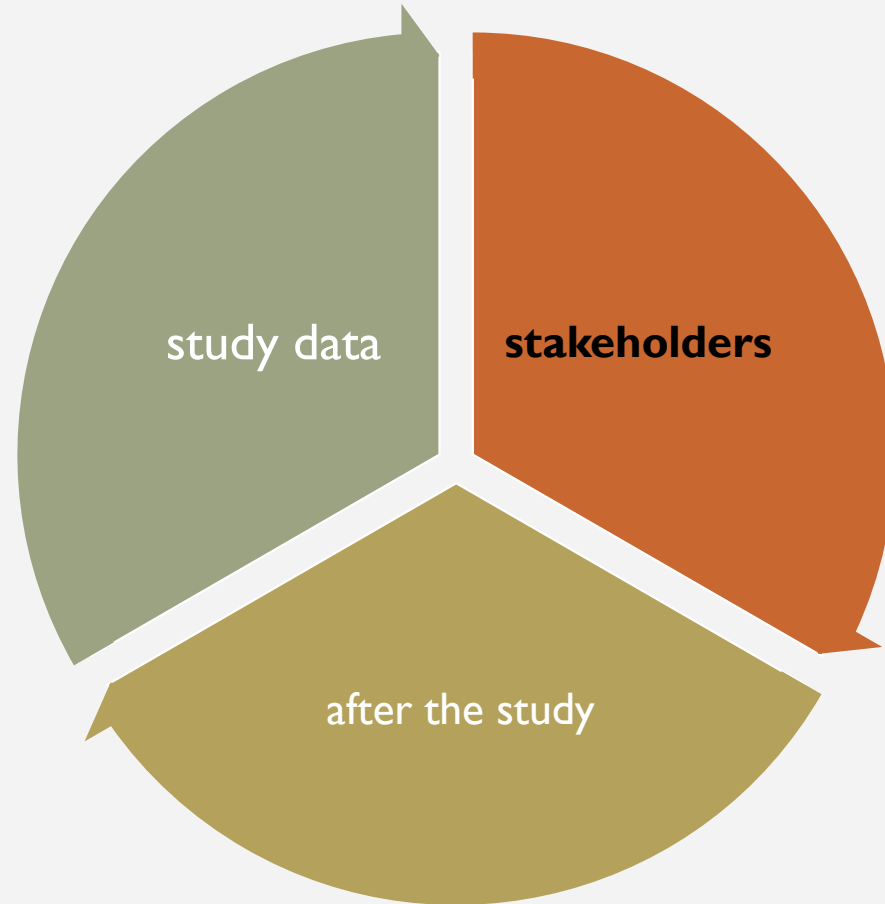
- Filing system
- Locked cabinets, locked office, accessible only by investigator and research coordinator
- Cloud based storage
- Databases-password protected

SHARING DATA

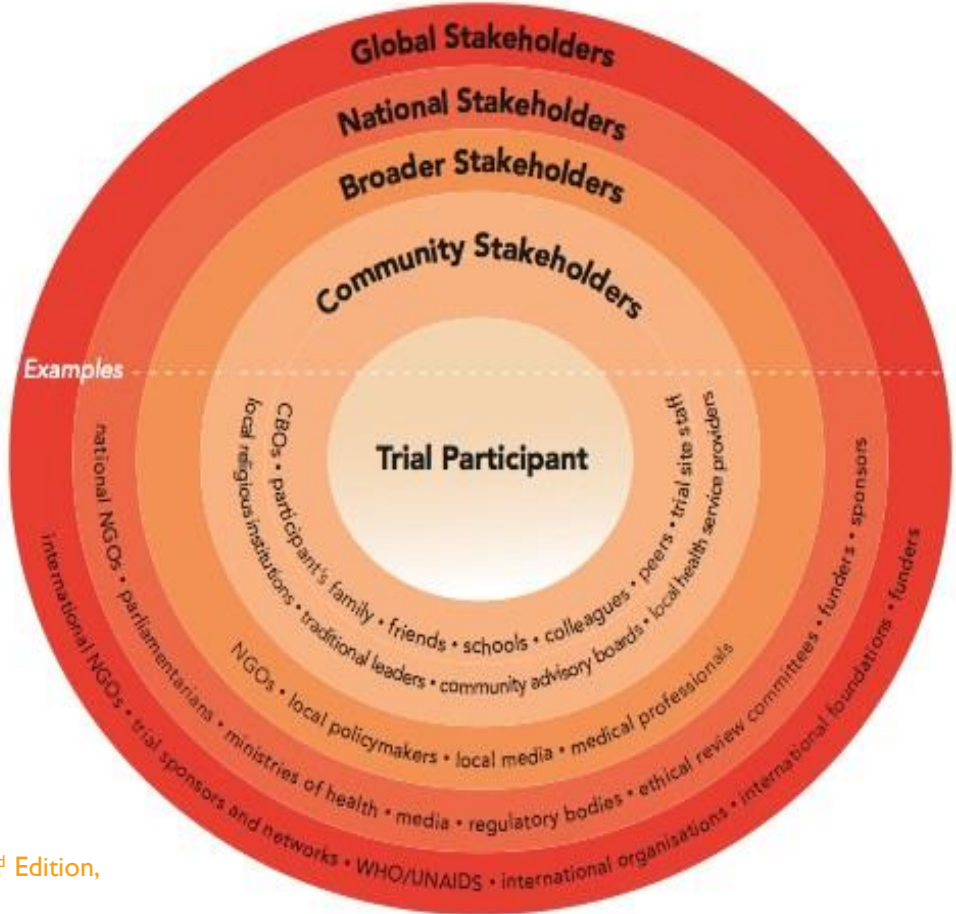
- Data ownership in a consortium
- Who is allowed access to the data for:
 - Quality control
 - Analysis
 - Future use
- Assure data is de-identified
- How to share? Drop box, Email
- Third parties
- Data Transfer Agreement (DTA)



MANAGING INFORMATION



LAYERS OF STAKEHOLDERS



MANAGING INFORMATION WITH STAKEHOLDERS

- What information for which stakeholders
- Provide ongoing information
- Sponsor/ funder specific requirements for what information they want (regular reporting)

CAG/ CAB

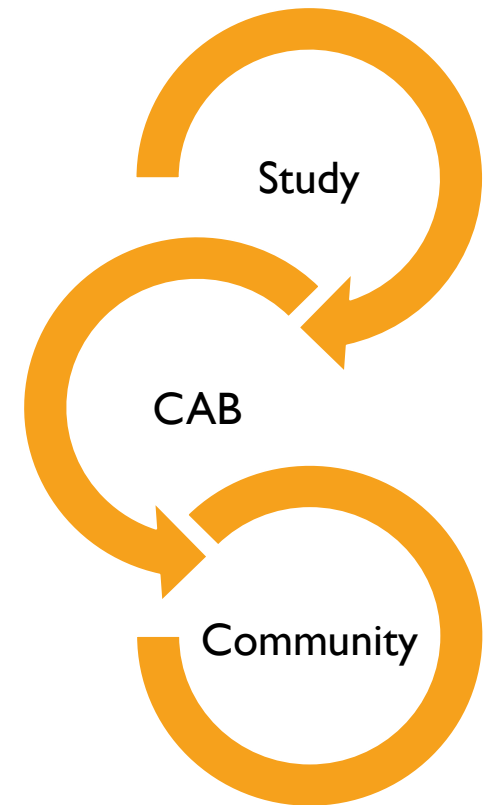
COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUPS (OR BOARDS)-CABs

Protecting participants rights

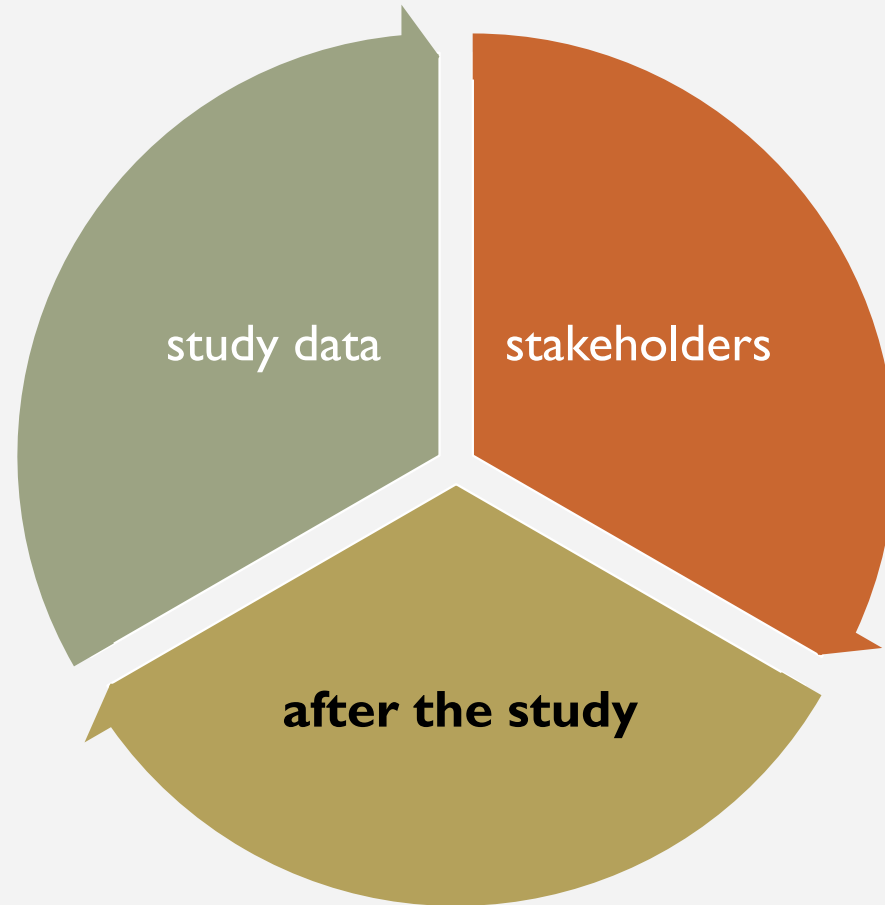
CABs have a responsibility to report back to the communities they represent

- Assist in the development of educational programs
- Valuable in the development and implementation of the research protocol development
- Informed consent review
- Ethics dialogue
- Advice on recruitment strategies • **CABs should NOT:**
- Be members of the research team

Actively recruit study participants



MANAGING INFORMATION



MANAGING INFORMATION AFTER THE STUDY

Dissemination to participants and the community

Retention and Archiving Policy



Guidelines for

- Publication
- Authorship
- Agree on policy early on

KEY TO EFFECTIVE DISSEMINATION

Figure 4. Trial Competency Range

