

Box 1: COHERE's Principles

- COHERE should neither threaten nor compete with the scientific agendas of participating cohorts/cohort collaborations.
- The individual contributing cohorts must express their interest in participating in COHERE.
- The scientific questions addressed by COHERE are determined by consensus according to both their scientific relevance and originality (not being addressed elsewhere).
- Individual cohorts may veto the use of their data in any new project.