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Virtual Public Listening Session
NIH Plan to Enhance Public Access to the Results of NIH-Supported Research
(NIH Public Access Plan)
April 12, 2023 (All Times ET)

Agenda

1:00 – 1:15 PM

Welcome, Introduction to the NIH Public Access Plan

Jessica Tucker, PhD, Acting Deputy Director, NIH Office of Science Policy

Jerry Sheehan, MS, Deputy Director for Policy and External Affairs, NIH National Library of Medicine

1:15 – 1:55 PM

Public Comment Period (See [Here](#) for Information on How to Provide Oral Comments)

Potential Topics for Comment:

The [RFI for the NIH Public Access Plan](#) lists specific areas of interest for which NIH requests additional feedback. Comments do not need to be limited to the four topic areas listed below (from the RFI), but comments should relate to one or more aspects of the NIH Public Access Plan:

- (1) equity in publication opportunities for NIH-supported investigators
- (2) equity in access and accessibility of publications,
- (3) methods for monitoring evolving costs and impacts on affected communities
- (4) considerations to increase findability and transparency of research

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Final Remarks and Next Steps

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