



Analysis Plan Form

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Institutional Affiliation: BU UAB UCSF UI Other:

1. Working title of plan:

Please attach a brief summary of your analysis plan that includes the following:

- a) Research question and/or hypothesis.
- b) Brief background and rationale for addressing the research question/hypotheses.
- c) Variables to be used in the proposed analyses.
- d) 1 to 2 mock tables illustrating the results of the main aims/hypotheses.
- e) Timeline for completion and submission of manuscript.

2. Do you plan to submit any abstracts based on this analysis? Yes No



Do you plan to submit an abstract to: OARSI: Yes No and/or ACR: Yes No

If not OARSI or ACR, what conference / journal do you plan to submit the abstract to? Please specify:

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3. Where will analysis be done?

*If analysis will **not** be done at the BU, KU, or UCSF analysis centers, MOST Executive Committee approval is required.

BU Analysis Center UCSF Coordinating Center Other:

4. Other investigators who will be working on this analysis:

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5. MOST senior investigator approval

The MOST senior investigator (named above) has reviewed and approves submission of the analysis plan.

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