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Researchers are expected to maximize the impact and utility of their work and to ensure maximum impact on the field for the following reasons:

- Greater access to research publications promotes the ability of researchers and knowledge users in Canada and abroad to use and build on the knowledge needed to address significant health challenges;
- Open access promotes accessibility to funded research and will serve to increase the international visibility of Canadian research.
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Each Recipient agrees to:

- Collaborate with CIHR on public communication initiatives related to research funding and findings;
- Disseminate their research findings through the most appropriate dissemination vehicle;
- Comply with CIHR's policy on "acknowledgment";
- Acknowledge CIHR's financial support in peer-reviewed research publications by citing the corresponding funding reference number (FRN);
- List all sources of funding if multiple grants and/or funding agencies support the grant or award;
- Archive their peer-reviewed manuscript in an open access repository or publish in an open access journal in accordance with the "CIHR Policy on Access to Research Outputs".
Managing Your CIHR Grant: Acknowledgement

Support for research by an Agency grant is an investment by Canadian taxpayers. The Agencies' accountability regarding this use of grant funds includes informing the public about who receives the support, the type of research that will be conducted and how funds will be administered.

Grantees are required to acknowledge the Agency in publications arising from the supported research, in conference or congress materials, and on equipment and facilities purchased and/ or developed with grant funds.
Managing Your CIHR Grant: Policy on Access to Research

Researchers awarded new or renewed funding from CIHR are reminded to adhere with the following new responsibilities:

- Ensure that all research papers generated from CIHR funded projects are freely accessible through the Publisher's website or an online repository within six months of publication;
- Deposit bioinformatics, atomic, and molecular coordinate data into the appropriate public database (e.g. gene sequences deposited in GenBank) immediately upon publication of research results;
- Retain original data sets for a minimum of five years (or longer if other policies apply);
- Acknowledge CIHR support by quoting the funding reference number in journal publications.