**Please Note:**

1. This Access Application Form is to be used by all researchers/ collaborative groups seeking access to the GAP Bio-Hermes Dataset.
2. Applicants must complete all sections and provide supporting documentation upon request before the access request will be considered.

Final date for submission of applications is **March 31st 2024**

Each application will be assessed by a cross-institute expert panel to determine whether the question can be answered by the data available.

For those applicant groups seeking support with data management, analyses and/or interpretation there is a limited resource and applications will be prioritised assessing:

1. the science/ novelty of the research questions (scientific and lay summary)

2. the creation of new collaborations, multidisciplinary working – minimum 2 applicants

3. the inclusion of early career researchers

4. consideration of equality, diversity and inclusion

It is recommended that you complete a copy of this application before submitting your responses on the [online form](https://uofg.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_a4tzv5ql8Jdo09U).

Please also refer to the researcher agreement outlining the terms and conditions for access.

For any questions regarding your application, please contact:

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**Section A – Applicant/ Collaborative Group Details**

**Please provide the details of the Principal Applicant.**

**Name of Principal Applicant:**

**Qualifications (PhD, MD, etc.):**

**Title & Position:**

**Email Address:**

**Phone Number:**

**Name of Institution:**

**Please provide all Research Team Collaborators details**

**(copy and paste as needed)**

**Name of Team Member:
Qualifications (PhD, MD, etc.):

Title & Position:

Email Address:
Phone Number:
Name of Institution:

Role within the collaborative group:**

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Role within the collaborative group:**

**Please detail the expertise within the group.**

**Please provide an outline of how this application supports collaboration (100 words max)**

**Please detail evidence of inclusion of early career researchers/their role, (100 words max)**

**Please detail evidence of consideration of equality, diversity, and inclusion (100 words max)**

**Application Details**

**Project title:**

**Project synopsis (500 words maximum)**

The proposal should be clear and concise. Please use the following sub headings: (i) brief background, (ii) research question/s/ objectives; (iii) methods/analyses to be used and (iv) expected outcomes.

**Lay summary (300 words maximum)**

**Is the application for:**

**Access to data and support with data management, analysis, reporting\***

**Access to data only (team have in-house expertise in data)**

\* In house analytical support is limited and will be allocated based on decisions of the judging panel

**Please tick all datasets requested (see website for details of data available):**

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| **Requested Datasets** |  |
|  Demographic and clinical data  |  |
| Blood/CSF Biomarkers  |  |
| Traditional Cognitive and mood measures  |  |
| Novel digital cognitive assessments from three differing platforms  |  |
| Genetics data  |  |
| Proteomics data |  |
| Imaging Data  |  |

**Please justify why the requested data are needed for the project (100 words max):**

**Brief summary of method /analyses plan (100 words max)**

**Disclaimer and Signature**

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that:

* False or misleading information may result in immediate termination of access.
* Sharing of data without appropriate written prior approval is strictly prohibited.
* A final research report must be provided to Brain Health ARC.
* Presentations and publications arising from the data should be shared with Global Alzheimer’s Platform (GAP) and Brain Health ARC.
* The contribution of the Global Alzheimer’s Platform (GAP), Brain Health ARC, University of Glasgow, University of St Andrews, Race against Dementia (RAD) should be acknowledged in all reports, presentations and publications resulting from my use of the Bio-Hermes data.
* A conditions of access agreement must be signed before access to the data is approved.

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| Signature: |  | Date: |  |