

Data Sharing Statement

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Item	Question	Authors' Response (place "-" if not applicable)
1	Would you like to share data collected for your study to others?	Yes
2	If not, would you like to share the reason for your decision?	-
3	What data in particular will be shared?	Individual participant data that underlie the results reported in this article, after deidentification (text, tables, figures, and appendices).
4	Any other documents will be share? Such as study protocol, statistical analysis plan, informed consent form, clinical study report, analytic code.	Study protocol
5	When will data availability begin?	Beginning 9 months following article publication.
6	When will data availability end?	Ending 36 months following article publication.
7	To whom will you share the data?	Investigators whose proposed use of the data has been approved by an independent review committee
8	For what type of analysis or purpose?	For individual participant data meta-analysis.
9	How or where can the data/documents be obtained?	Proposals may be submitted up to 36 months following article publication. After 36 months the data will be available in our University's data warehouse but without investigator support other than deposited metadata. Proposals should be directed to Professor Ava Kwong (avakwong@hku.hk).
10	Any other restrictions?	-