



PROTEUS Presentation

(Predicting & Recalibrating Outcomes Toward
External Understanding Study)

OHDSI Community Call
July 13, 2021 • 11 am ET



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July 20 Community Call: Workgroup Updates



Early-Stage Researchers

Faaizah Arshad



Latin America

Jose Posada



Women of OHDSI

Maura Beaton



Education

Nigel Hughes



Three Stages of The Journey

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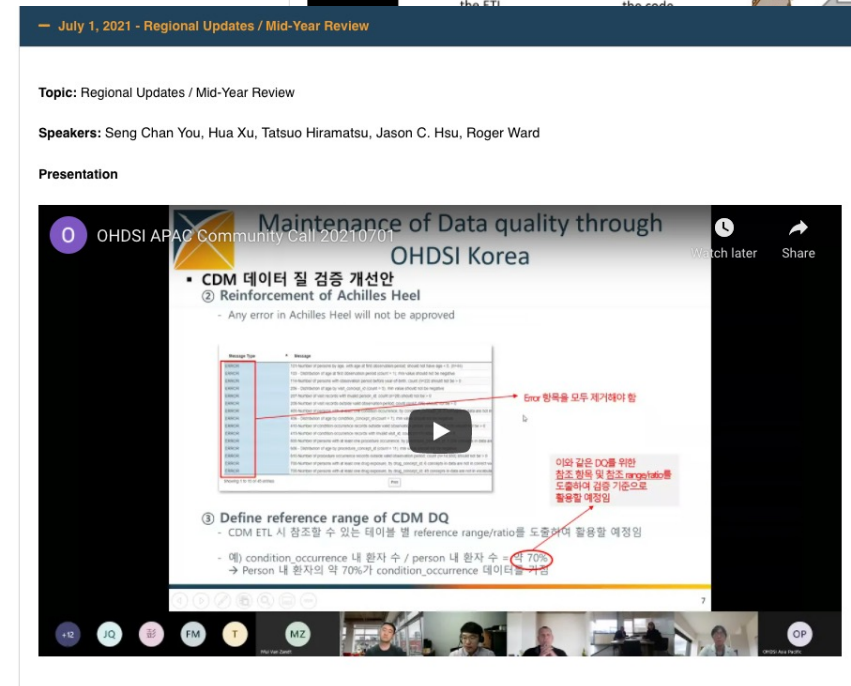
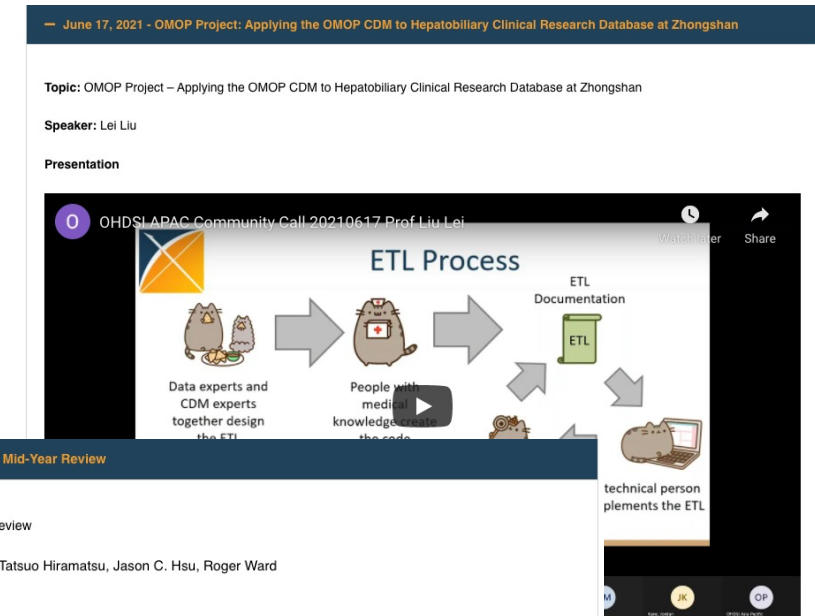


Previous APAC Community Calls

We have had two great presentations on our most recent APAC Community Calls:

- **Lei Liu** presented on “Applying the OMOP CDM to Hepatobiliary Clinical Research Database at Zhongshan”
- **Seng Chan You, Hua Xu, Tatsuo Hiramatsu, Jason C. Hsu, Roger Ward** presented regional updates and a mid-year review.

Find ALL APAC community call recordings at
ohdsi.org/apac/





OHDSI Shoutouts!



Any shoutouts from the community? Please share and help promote and celebrate OHDSI work!

Have a study published? Please send to sachson@ohdsi.org so we can share during this call and on our social channels.
Let's work together to promote the collaborative work happening in OHDSI!





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Upcoming Workgroup Calls



Date	Time (ET)	Meeting
Tuesday	2 pm	Health Equity
Wednesday	8 am	Vaccine Vocabulary
Wednesday	10 am	OMOP CDM Oncology – Development Subgroup
Wednesday	2 pm	Natural Language Processing
Wednesday	4 pm GMT +9	Early-Stage Researchers (East Coast/West Coast/Asia Hemisphere)
Thursday	12 pm	HADES
Thursday	1 pm	OMOP CDM Oncology – CDM/Vocabulary Subgroup
Friday	9 am	Education
Monday	10 am	GIS-Geographic Information System
Tuesday	9 am	OMOP CDM Oncology – Genomic Subgroup

www.ohdsi.org/upcoming-working-group-calls



Next APAC Community Call

The next OHDSI APAC community call will be Thursday, July 15 (Wednesday in parts of the Eastern Hemisphere). It will include a pair of tutorials:

- **Seng Chan You** — An Introduction to the OMOP Oncology Module
- **Jing Li** — How to do a network study

These calls take place in the OHDSI APAC Team.

OHDSI APAC - Our Asia-Pacific Community

OHDSI is a global, multi-stakeholder, interdisciplinary and open-science network that collaborates to bring out the value of health data through large-scale analytics. Our Asia-Pacific (APAC) community comprises six regional chapters (Australia, China, Japan, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan) and has led important OHDSI initiatives around the world.

The [first OHDSI APAC Symposium](#) was held virtually Dec. 5-6, 2020, and it provided an opportunity for our Asia-Pacific collaborators (along with others around the world) to share research, provide community updates, collaborate in regional breakouts or network discussions, and have some OHDSI fun.

The APAC community has its own group in the OHDSI MS Teams environment to promote greater collaboration on our collaborative efforts. It will also be the home of our bi-weekly APAC Community Calls, where we will provide updates, share research presentations, collaborate on topics of shared interest, and plenty more. How can you get involved? First, [request access to our MS Teams Environment](#), then request access to [our OHDSI APAC workgroup](#). You can also join the meetings [by using this direct link](#).

Our calls are scheduled on a bi-weekly basis, held every other Thursday/Wednesday depending on where you live. All calls are recorded, so if you miss one or want to share with a collaborator, check out the call recordings below.



Upcoming OHDSI APAC Community Calls

Date	Topic
July 15	How To Run A Network Study
July 29	EUMEAUS (Evaluating Use of Methods for Adverse Event Under Surveillance)
August 12	2021 Global Symposium Preview
August 26	Global Workgroup Updates

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NEW UPDATE – OHDSI APAC ETL Training

There will be a 2-day ETL training on August 12-13, 2021 (APAC time zone). This training will include the source data analysis, ETL development, and data quality check aspects of an OMOP conversion process. The registration deadline is July 23, and [you can register here](#).

+ July 15, 2021 - Introduction to the OMOP Oncology Module / How To Do A Network Study

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Welcome to OHDSI!

The Observational Health Data Sciences and Informatics (or OHDSI, pronounced "Odyssey") program is a multi-stakeholder, interdisciplinary collaborative to bring out the value of health data through large-scale analytics. All our solutions are open-source.

OHDSI has established an international network

2020 OHDSI Symposium

Our 2020 OHDSI Global Symposium brought together a global research community for 18 hours of open science, international collaboration and community fun. The day included research presentations from community members, panels that brought together leaders from major healthcare organizations, as well as network sessions, the annual collaborator

5. Select the workgroups you want to join (you can refer to the WIKI for work group objectives www.ohdsi.org/web/wiki/doku.php?id=projects:overview)

- ☐ ATLAS
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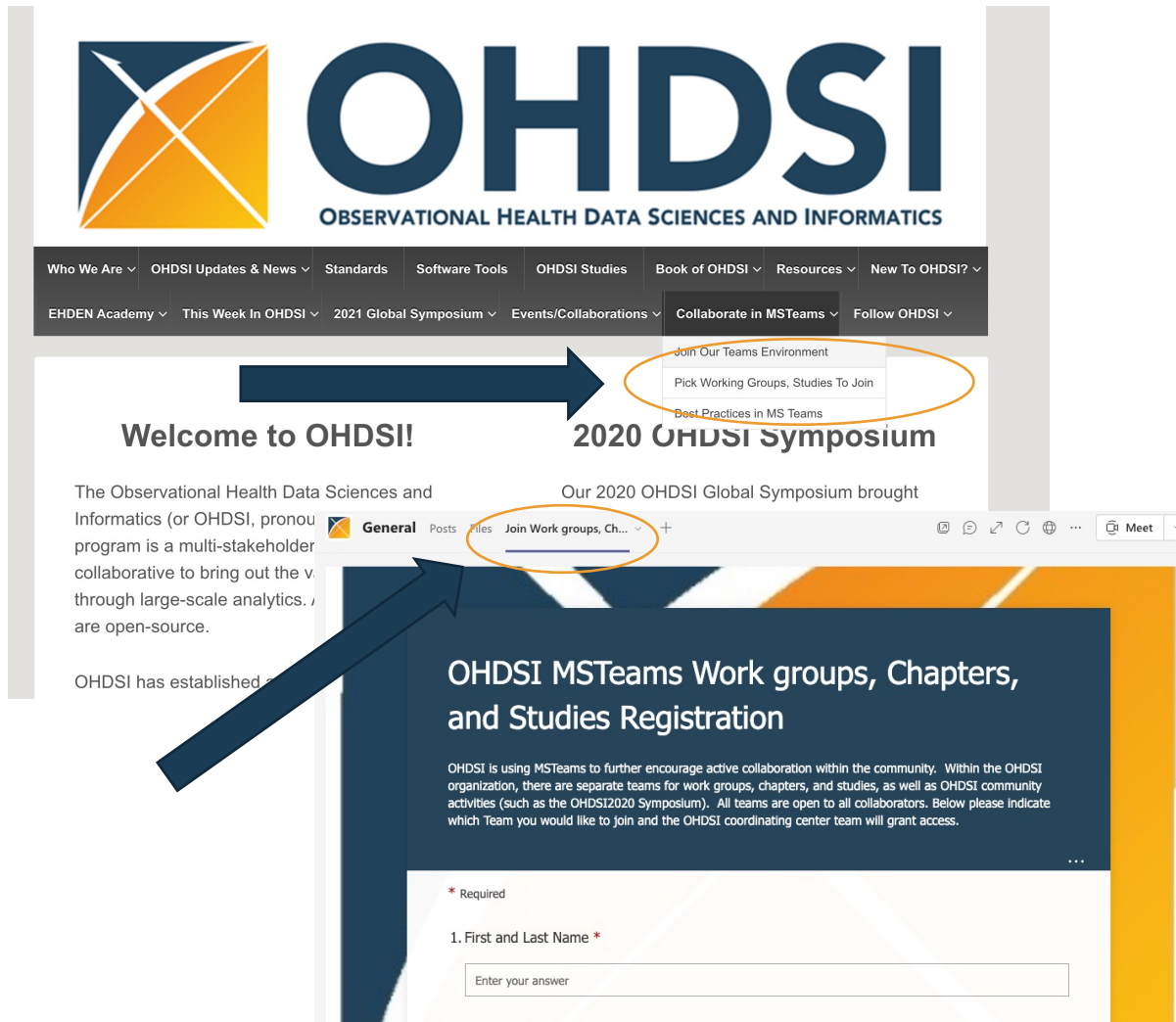
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☐ SCYLLA (SARS-Cov-2 Large-scale Longitudinal Analyses)

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- Header:** OHDSI OBSERVATIONAL HEALTH DATA SCIENCES AND INFORMATICS
- Navigation Bar:** Who We Are, OHDSI Updates & News, Standards, Software Tools, OHDSI Studies, Book of OHDSI, Resources, New To OHDSI?
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- Annotations:**
 - A blue arrow points from the "Collaborate in MStTeams" link in the navigation bar to the "Join Work groups, Ch..." dropdown menu.
 - An orange circle highlights the "Join Work groups, Ch..." dropdown menu.
 - A blue arrow points from the "Join Work groups, Ch..." dropdown menu to the "OHDSI MStTeams Work groups, Chapters, and Studies Registration" form.
- Registration Form:** OHDSI MStTeams Work groups, Chapters, and Studies Registration. OHDSI is using MStTeams to further encourage active collaboration within the community. Within the OHDSI organization, there are separate teams for work groups, chapters, and studies, as well as OHDSI community activities (such as the OHDSI2020 Symposium). All teams are open to all collaborators. Below please indicate which Team you would like to join and the OHDSI coordinating center team will grant access.

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HADES Unit-Test-A-Thon: July 14-16

There will be a **HADES Unit-Test-A-Thon** held July 14-16, which aims to increase the coverage of all HADES packages to above 80%. If you have R experience, this is a great opportunity for you to:

- improve the reliability of HADES tools (which are critical to our community success)
- learn more about OHDSI software
- have fun with our global collaborators!

The screenshot shows the HADES website header with the logo and the text "HADES HEALTH ANALYTICS DATA-TO-EVIDENCE SUITE". Below the header is a grid of 20 software packages, each with a brief description and a "Learn more..." link.

CohortMethod	SelfControlledCaseSeries	Cyclops	DatabaseConnector	SqlRender
New-user cohort studies using large-scale regression for propensity and outcome models. Learn more...	Self-Controlled Case Series analysis using few or many predictors, includes splines for age and seasonality. Learn more...	Highly efficient implementation of regularized logistic, Poisson and Cox regression. Learn more...	Connect directly to a wide range of database platforms, including SQL Server, Oracle, and PostgreSQL. Learn more...	Generate SQL on the fly for the various SQL dialects. Learn more...
SelfControlledCohort	EvidenceSynthesis	ParallelLogger	FeatureExtraction	Andromeda
A self-controlled cohort design, where time preceding exposure is used as control. Learn more...	Routines for combining causal effect estimates and study diagnostics across multiple data sites in a distributed study. Learn more...	Support for parallel computation with logging to console, disk, or e-mail. Learn more...	Automatically extract large sets of features for user-specified cohorts using data in the CDM. Learn more...	Storing very large data objects on a local drive, while still making it possible to manipulate the data in an efficient manner. Learn more...
PatientLevelPrediction	EmpiricalCalibration	BigKnn	ROhdsiWebApi	OhdsiSharing
Build and evaluate predictive models for user-specified outcomes, using a wide array of machine learning algorithms. Learn more...	Use negative control exposure-outcome pairs to profile and calibrate a particular analysis design. Learn more...	A large scale k-nearest neighbor classifier using the Lucene search engine. Learn more...	Interact with OHDSI WebAPI web services. Learn more...	Securely sharing (large) files between OHDSI collaborators. Learn more...
MethodEvaluation	CohortDiagnostics	Hydra	Eunomia	CirceR
Use real data and established reference sets as well as simulations injected in real data to evaluate the performance of methods. Learn more...	Generate a wide set of diagnostics to evaluate cohort definitions against databases in the CDM. Learn more...	Hydrating package skeletons into executable R study packages based on specifications in JSON format. Learn more...	A standard CDM dataset for testing and demonstration purposes that runs on an embedded SQLite database. Learn more...	An R wrapper for Circe, a library for creating cohort definitions, expressing them as JSON, SQL, or Markdown. Learn more...

[Forum Post: More Info & Registration Link](#)



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EMA Call for Tenders for RWD Subscription

Peter Rijnbeek recently shared the news that the EMA has launched a new call for tenders for Real World Data subscription.

The purpose of the call is to get access to and use of a set of individual patient-level databases drawn from the population receiving primary care, specialist care or hospital care in the EEA countries.

The application deadline is July 30.



The call is split into 3 lots as follows:

- Lot 1: Primary health care or claims database from a Southern European country (included countries: Cyprus, Greece, Italy, Malta, Portugal, Spain).
- Lot 2: Primary health care or claims database from an Eastern European country (included countries: Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia).
- Lot 3: Hospital database from any EEA country.

[LinkedIn Post from EMA](#)



New OHDSI Authorship Guidance Sheet

OHDSI follows the ICMJE guidelines for authorship requirements.

The OHDSI Steering Group recently created this OHDSI Authorship Guidance sheet, which can help establish clear guidelines in the process.

This form is available on OHDSI.org under both the “OHDSI Studies” and “Resources” dropdowns.

OHDSI Authorship Guidance

This document aims to help determine who qualifies for authorship on an OHDSI scientific paper.

Authorship requirements

OHDSI follows the ICMJE guidelines for authorship requirements:

- **Substantial** contributions to
 - the **conception** or **design** of the work, OR
 - the **acquisition** of, or **access** to the data, OR
 - **analysis** of the data, OR
 - **interpretation** of results

AND

- **Drafting** the work or **reviewing** it critically for important intellectual content,

AND

- Final **approval** of the version to be published,

AND

- Agreement to be **accountable** for all aspects of the work in ensuring that questions related to the accuracy or integrity of any part of the work are appropriately investigated and resolved.

Those who contributed to the paper but do not meet these requirements may be included in the acknowledgement section of the paper.

Lead / senior author

The contributor who did most of the work is the lead / senior author and can choose to be either the first or the last author.

When writing a paper

Before initiating the paper

Make sure authors are aware of OHDSI's authorship requirements (e.g. by pointing to this document).

While writing the paper

Authors can self-identify as authors when they believe they meet the criteria by

- adding their name to the manuscript, and
- writing a short text (one or two sentences) how they meet the 1st criterion (Substantial contribution to the conception or design of the study, the acquisition of or access to the data, analysis of the data, and interpretation of results).

For this purpose, a table can be added to the start of the manuscript.

When submitting

The lead / senior author has **final authority** to decide on whether authors meet the criteria, and may remove authors after communicating with them. The lead / senior author also decides the author order.

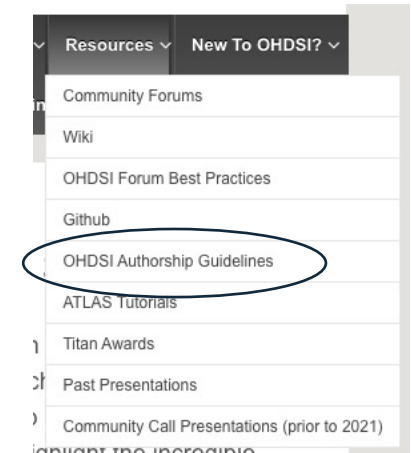
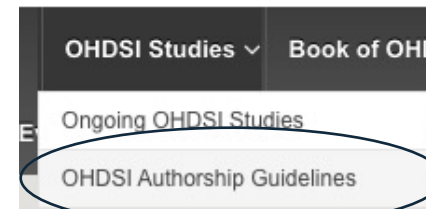
Examples

Scenarios where the contributor **meets** the criteria for authorship (assuming the contributor also reviews and approves the manuscript and agrees to be held accountable):

- Interpreting the data and writing the first full draft of the manuscript, including outline.
- Contributing to the design of the study, for example by reviewing negative controls.
- Creating cohort definitions used in the study.
- Developing the study package implementing the study.
- Performing a literature review informing the design of the study.
- Performing a literature review, and putting the study results in the context of the prior research.
- Helping interpret results by contributing to the discussion of the results.
- Performing a statistical analysis of the data.
- Designing novel visualizations of the results.
- Executing the study by using OHDSI's standardized analytical tools (e.g. ATLAS).
- Providing technical support for the execution of the study, for example debugging the study package execution at a site.
- Having developed software used in the study.
- Having converted data used in the study to the Common Data Model.

Scenarios where the contributor **does not meet** the criteria for authorship:

- Editing the manuscript for grammatical mistakes.
- Making minor edits to the choice of words in the manuscript.
- Attending meetings without making substantial contributions to the discussion.
- Executing the study package on data, but not reviewing the manuscript.
- Being the manager / superior of someone who made substantial contributions to the paper.
- (Re)formatting the paper for a specific journal.
- Having developed software used in the study, but not reviewing the manuscript.
- Having converted data to the Common Data Model, but not reviewing the manuscript.





CBER Seminar Series

The next edition of the CBER BEST Initiative Seminar Series will be **July 28 at 11 am ET. Jessica Gronsbell** (University of Toronto) will present a talk on “**Statistical learning with electronic health records data.**”

Get more information and register by using the link below.



Webinar Registration



Topic	CBER BEST Initiative Seminar Series - Statistical learning with electronic health records data
Description	<p>The adoption of electronic health records (EHRs) has generated massive amounts of routinely collected medical data with potential to improve our understanding of healthcare delivery and disease processes. However, the analysis of EHR data remains both practically and methodologically challenging as it is recorded as a byproduct of billing and clinical care, and not for research purposes. In this talk, I will discuss methods that bridge classical statistical theory and modern machine learning tools in an effort to efficiently and reliably extract insight from EHR data. I will focus primarily on (i) the challenges in obtaining annotated outcome data, such as presence of a disease or clinical condition, from patient records and (ii) how to reduce the annotation burden by leveraging unlabeled data in model estimation and evaluation.</p> <p>Presented by: Dr. Jessica Gronsbell, University of Toronto</p>
Time	Jul 28, 2021 11:00 AM in Eastern Time (US and Canada)



[Register Here](#)



July 27 Visualization Challenge

Teams

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Workgroup - Vaccine Safety

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Health Equity Brainstorm

OHDSI Meme-a-thon

OHDSI Viz Challenge July2021 Health Equity

OHDSI Viz Challenge March2021 COVID

Teams Best Practices and Guidance

Teams Technical support

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OHDSI2020 Study-a-thon: PROTEU...

Workgroup - Common Data Model

General

Conventions

Cost Subgroup

Development Subgroup

Vocabulary Subgroup

Workgroup - PLE/PLP Population-leve...

General

Comparative effectiveness in vaccines

OHDSI Viz Challenge July2021 ...

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Let's get the conversation started

Try @mentioning the people you want to participate in this channel

Patrick Ryan set this channel to be automatically shown in the channels list.

Patrick Ryan 10:09 AM

OHDSI Visualization Challenge for July 2021 on Health Equity

In March, we held our first [OHDSI Visualization Challenge](#), focused on COVID-19. The community came together to demonstrate how visualization can share stories at the population level as well as the personal, as a compelling way of sharing insights that can promote better health decision and better care.

In July, we will hold our second OHDSI Visualization Challenge, this time focused on another OHDSI priority public health issue: health equity.

The challenge: We are asking community collaborators to submit a static image (something that could be scaled to print 8.5x11, landscape or portrait) or link to an interactive visualization that stands on its own, and then accompany it with a 1-paragraph summary of why you think the image tells a compelling story.

The visualization can come from anywhere, it needn't necessarily be a new or existing OHDSI study. There are numerous publications and public resources that are attempting to put a spotlight on health disparities from many ways. But you are also welcome and encouraged to explore [data.ohdsi.org](#), which you could use as is, or perhaps you could augment it to help tell your story (if you do alter a graphic from another study, please add an attribution). Noemie's HERA study is a great place to start for those looking for inspiration, and CHARYBDIS still provides a tremendous resource to consider. Or, if you are ambitious, consider new analyses on your data, perhaps inspired by the community brainstorm last week on Health Equity or the initiation of the Health Equity workgroup.

Whatever the graphic is, we want to know why it's meaningful to you — and perhaps why it should be meaningful to all of us.

All submissions should be posted in the OHDSI team in the channel 'OHDSI Viz Challenge July2021 HealthEquity' by Thursday, July 22, at 8 pm ET. On the July 27 community call, we will review the visualization gallery and recognize the contributions.

[See less](#)

Reply



2021 Global Symposium: Sept. 12-15

2021 Global OHDSI Symposium

We are excited to announce that general registration for the 2021 Global OHDSI Symposium, which will be held virtually in Microsoft Teams, Sept. 12-15, is now open! This will be our seventh annual OHDSI Symposium, and it will provide another opportunity for our community to come together, share ideas, learn from each other and network with our fellow collaborators.

We are working on many details for the four-day event, which will feature plenary talks, a state of the community presentation and our collaborator showcase. One detail has not changed — the symposium remains free to attend and is open to anybody, whether you are a community veteran or a newcomer looking to learn more about how we generate real-world evidence that promotes better health decisions and better care.

Please continue to check the OHDSI website (www.ohdsi.org) and the OHDSI social platforms periodically for updates as we plan for a rewarding, online event!

While we are excited to again create an opportunity for everyone to participate in the Symposium for free if they choose, there are costs associated with coordinating all OHDSI community activities. To help offset these costs, we provide the additional optional opportunity for participants to support the OHDSI community through 'registration contribution' and 'optional registration fee' tickets. Thank you in advance for your generous support! **Should you require a tax receipt for your contribution, please email symposium@ohdsi.org BEFORE you make the contribution through the Eventbrite registration site.**

In addition, as all OHDSI activities depend largely on government grants and organization sponsorships, please email symposium@ohdsi.org if you would like to consider sponsorship opportunities for this year's symposium.

Should you wish to change or cancel your registration ticket, kindly log into your Eventbrite account where you may edit or cancel your free registration ticket at any time. Registration contribution tickets/optional registration fee tickets are non-refundable; however, if you need to make changes to this ticket, kindly email us at symposium@ohdsi.org. Also, if you make any changes to your registration ticket such as a name change or update an email address, please email us at symposium@ohdsi.org to inform us as well. Thank you!

To Register for the 2021 Global OHDSI Symposium, please click the button below:

[Register For #OHDSI2021 Here!](#)

What Can You Expect At #OHDSI2021?

The 2021 Global OHDSI Symposium will be held virtually for the second straight year. This allows both veteran collaborators and those new to OHDSI from around the world to come together and share ideas, learn from each other and enjoy the spirit of our community. If you missed our 2020 Global Symposium, check out the link below to get a sense of what takes place during our biggest event of the year.

[The 2020 Global Symposium](#)

[Symposium Information and Registration](#)



Where Are We Going?

**Any other announcements
of upcoming work, events,
deadlines, etc?**





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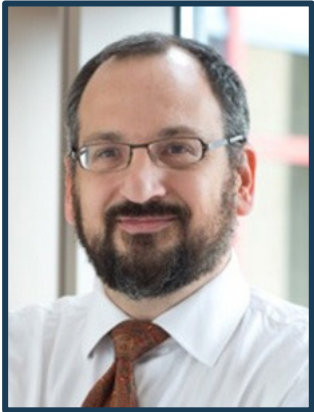
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David Kent

Professor of Medicine, Clinical & Translational Science
Tufts Medical Center



Benjamin Wessler

Director, Valve Center; Assistant Professor
Tufts University School of Medicine