

## Data Use Policy

### Introduction

The United States Drug Allergy Registry (USDAR) is a repository of patients evaluated for drug allergy by an allergy/immunology specialist. Through prospective standardized data collection and longitudinal assessments, the USDAR goal is to advance patient care and research in drug allergy epidemiology, diagnosis, management, and intervention efficacy. We welcome data use queries for those wishing to address a specific research area.

### Requests for Data

Clinicians and investigators interested in using USDAR data to inform a specific research question can submit a formal request by completing the fillable PDF “USDAR Data Request.” The research question should be a targeted question or hypothesis that includes power calculations, as appropriate. It is USDAR policy not to release full datasets for hypothesis-generating research or data-mining. All data requests will be reviewed by the USDAR committee to determine request appropriateness and alignment with USDAR aims. If granted, deidentified data will be released and authorship determined by the USDAR publication policy.

The USDAR was founded in 2019, and as such, we have just begun to accumulate longitudinal data. This should be taken into consideration for any queries requiring extended follow up. For studies of incidence and prevalence, please keep in mind that the USDAR repository contains data from patients specifically referred for drug allergy evaluations, so conclusions cannot be drawn regarding incidence/prevalence of drug allergies in the general US population.

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