

The YODA Project
Research Proposal Review - Final
(Protocol #: 2018-3236)

Reviewers:

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Review Questions:

Decision:

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| 1. Is the scientific purpose of the research proposal clearly described? | Yes |
| 2. Will request create or materially enhance generalizable scientific and/or medical knowledge to inform science and public health? | Yes |
| 3. Can the proposed research be reasonably addressed using the requested data? | Yes, or it's highly likely |
| 4. Recommendation for this data request: | Approve |

Comments:

This is a proposal for an interesting meta-analysis to examine whether azathioprine or anti-TNFa are more effective in the prevention of postoperative recurrence in Crohn's Disease patients. Data from 1 study available via YODA Project, along with 5 additional studies for which the raw data have already been obtained, will be meta-analyzed. Just a note for the investigator that those other data sources will need to be uploaded to the YODA Project platform.