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## Re: Letter of Support for NFDI4Medicine

Dear Dr Hoffmann,

On behalf of the German Society for Epidemiology, we thank you for the information provided on the National Research Infrastructure for Medicine (NFDI4Medicine) proposal, which will be submitted to the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) within the “Nationale Forschungsdateninfrastruktur” call.

We fully support the proposal to set up a common research data infrastructure to ensure continuity of access, interoperability and high data quality standards for research. This infrastructure will address a pressing need in the field of both fundamental and translational research in epidemiology. The members of the consortium represent a large network that includes universities, hospitals and research societies which is well positioned to ensure the success of this endeavour.

We are happy to hereby give our full support to this consortium and express our strong interest in actively collaborating with NFDI4Medicine.

We hereby authorise you to use this letter of support as needed to demonstrate the engagement between the German Society for Epidemiology and NFDI4Medicine.

Looking forward to a fruitful collaboration.

Yours sincerely,

Prof. Dr. med. Dietrich Rothenbacher  
Chairman of the Executive Board

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