

AiBST, all Biobank samples and DNA databases are kept under strict security and confidentiality according to international guidelines for doing so.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST (real or apparent)

There is no conflict of interest in the parties involved in the conduct of this study

COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENTS

A letter of collaboration indicating the parties involved such as the Research team representative, the School, the Ministry of Higher and tertiary Education, Science and Technology Development and the African Institute of Biomedical Science and technology.

INTENDED USE OF RESULTS

The results of this study will be communicated to the communities of Bulawayo, the Ministry of Health, presented at national symposia and meetings. Based on the significance of the results. Intellectual property rights might be sought for by AiBST as the sponsor of the study with indicated benefits for the other participants to the study. The IP might also be translated to commercial products and services to which involved parties will be beneficiaries.

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