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## Report from Working Group 3

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## Key deliverables

1. Revision of ENCePP website and processes to add a data source to the Resources Database.
2. Guidance to conduct multi-country studies in light of legislative requirements for data protection.
3. Survey of EMA/EC publicly funded researchers in terms of methodologies for data integration/pooling across studies.



## Adding a data source

- Terms and Conditions clarified and amended to allow third party to add details.
- On-line questionnaire streamlined to facilitate entries – much fewer mandatory questions.
- ENCePP Secretariat/ENCEPP partners can add details directly.



## Data privacy Surveys May 2012

- Member States via PhVWP.
- ENCePP Plenary.
- Very good response – 34 responses.
- WG3 working on compiling information and interpreting the results to form a guidance to studies across Member States.



## Data pooling methodologies

- Survey of EMA/EC funded multi-country studies conducted Aug/Sept 2012.
- Common methodologies in practice being identified.
- Basis for further guidance – liaison with WG1 and Drafting Group on Data Integration.