Statistical Information Requests to Queensland Health

Statistical Information Request

Are the requested data potentially identifiable?

ie Are the data sufficiently detailed that an individual could potentially be identified? (Note: data can still be considered potentially identifiable without details such as name and address.)

Data identifiable or potentially identifiable

Data neither identifiable nor potentially identifiable

Are the data primarily required for Research purposes?

Research

Not research

Are you an employee of Queensland Health (QH)?

Not QH Employee

QH Employee

Legislation permits the release of identifiable data to QH employees (for work purposes) in specific instances. The determination of whether release is permissible is dependent on the type of data and the intended use. For specialist advice contact the Health Statistics Branch.

Legislation prevents the release of data under these circumstances except in very limited specific cases. For specialist advice contact the Health Statistics Branch.

• Require data custodian advice and authorisation
• Obtain ethics approval
• Obtain Director-General (or Delegate) approval

This link contains information on the process and forms required to lodge a Research Application.