

WORKSHOP B: BIOBANKING FOR GLOBAL CANCER CARE

	Who must be involved	Who can initiate?
Build biobanks	Government, researchers, public	Activists of any kind
Sample storage → Databank	Researchers, funders	Researchers (push), funders (pull)
Publish the success stories	Researchers, patient organizations	Researchers, patient organizations
Encourage the usage of biobanks	Funding bodies, researchers	Researchers, funding bodies

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	How will this: ...contribute to more <u>efficient</u> cancer care?	... contribute to more <u>equal</u> cancer care?	... improve the individual patient's <u>quality of life</u> ?	... influence which <u>health decisions</u> the patient and her kin can make?
Build biobanks	Help us understand lifestyle and genetic factors.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some types can often be avoided at a low cost (cervic, liver etc) Understand population differences 	The best kind of cancer is the kind you never have. Otherwise better treatments.	More ways than we want to think about
Sample storage → Databank	Better quality of analysis.	Avoid "safari" or "helicopter" research.	-	-
Publish success stories	Reduce fear of efficient data storage	Support pooling of resources	Help us understand how to communicate	How much information does a patient want when <i>potentially</i> sick
Encourage usage	Better and more efficiently handed samples	Reduced costs of research	More care opportunities	-