

Scenario:

You are in charge of national database collecting individual data in malaria among local and migrant patients. A research team from a western country ask for data to use in their study. They do not ask for aggregate data at village or sub-district level, but they actually request data in details at individual level for each single case covering the disease status, home address, geolocation, contact number (if any) and other data within the database.

Their proposed study will generate good science and could be benefit for disease prevention and control, that could eventually lead to elimination of the disease in the country.



- Should you give the data out?
- How do you not violate any of the General Principles of Informatics Ethics.
- If you want to provide the data to them, what and how will you do it?