The European Bank for induced Pluripotent Stem Cells (EBiSC) is a not-for-profit hiPSC repository which collects, banks and distributes quality-assured and ethically sourced, disease relevant, research-grade hiPSC lines and data to academic and commercial researchers worldwide.

All hiPSC lines available through EBiSC have been deposited by organisations who support fair and open research and are willing to share these critical tools with other researchers.



ensure they remain openly accessible to all researchers after completion of a research project.



with other researchers if they want to.



their lines for collaboration.



for your iPSC research project and perform hiPSC reprogramming, gene-editing and QC upon request.



Deposition can enhance the

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out-licensing - at the owner's



decision.



lines.



maintenance and distribution of their hiPSC lines.



backup repository for you hiPSC lines.

EBiSC reviews all aspects of the informed consent used at the time of sample collection to

Ethical and legal framework

Line Information Pack (CLIP). The AUA communicates how

IPSC line distribution

Scientists wishing to access

an EBiSC Access and Use

EBiSC iPSC lines must complete

Agreement (AUA) and a Cell EBiSC iPSCs can be used (i.e. for research use only) and prohibits inappropriate use (e.g. attempted identification of donors). The CLIP communicates cell line specific licensing and/or consent restrictions.

ensure that individuals sharing Consent

tissue and data are fully informed that their donation may be used for iPSC generation, characterisation and distribution. Any consent based restrictions on how lines can be used will be identified and communicated to users.

Informed Consent



IPSC line generation

Organisations generating iPSC lines sign an EBiSC Material Deposit Agreement which allows EBiSC to store, bank and

responsible for communicating any third party obligations such as technology licensing which has to be passed on to

distribute the line(s) on their behalf. Depositors are

Cell Line Data Capture

Depositors share information on the



How iPSC lines are deposited into EBiSC

Participant

Consent

Consent Review Depositors share copies of the Consent Form and Participant Information Sheet templates

used to collect Biosamples



Log in to purchase Sign in to an existing

How iPSC lines are purchased from EBiSC

disease type, diagnosis, genotype, reprogramming method.

Select your cell line

On the EBiSC catalogue

www.EBiSC.org search by cell line name or for find the cell line of interest by its

characteristics such as

account or first register for an account at ECACC

or at a distributor, such

as Sigma Merck.

Complete agreements Customers complete a cell line specific Cell Line Information Pack. The

signed, giving each customer clear legal guidance on cell line use.

completed EBiSC Access and Use Agreement is then

Arrange shipment and payment

and confirm your order.

Log into your account to review and update your shopping basket, proceed to checkout to enter your delivery and payment details









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