

Prioritizing Sample Selection

1. Sample size

- a. Amalgamation of data from multiple cohorts
- b. Need quality phenotyping, but maybe not exquisite phenotype

2. Broad phenotyping

- a. The GWAS experience

3. Mixture of direct measurements, follow-up questionnaire, and health record linkage

4. Ongoing contact and longitudinal

5. Consent, including ability to re-contact

6. Breadth for initial discovery and then depth on as select individuals

- e.g. Detailed measures on those with rare LOF mutations

7. Population diversity

Unresolved issues

1. Families
2. Role of other –omics
3. Need for continued analytic involvement