

**ANNUAL UPDATE FORM FOR PROJECTS RECEIVING SPECIMENS AND/OR DATA
FROM THE NATIONAL ALS REGISTRY OR BIOREPOSITORY**

Date of update (mm/dd/yyyy):

Project #:

Title of study:

Principal Investigator:

Has PI changed since last update?

No

Yes, effective date (mm/dd/yyyy):

Names of all current co-investigators:

NOTE: If this project required IRB approval, please attach copy of the latest continuation approval.

Project Status (indicate project status):

Not yet begun

In progress

Completed

Project suspended or terminated (no longer plan to pursue this research project)

Not yet begun? Explain briefly and indicate anticipated start date.

In progress? Summarize briefly (2-3 sentences) what has been done in the past year.

Completed? Briefly summarize the results and conclusions.

Project suspended or terminated? Summarize briefly.

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For studies that have been completed, suspended, or terminated, have you contacted ATSDR for instructions on what to do with the remaining samples and data?

Yes

No

Have you had any abstracts or articles published since the last update?

Yes

No

If yes, list the citation for abstracts or articles published. Also include the meeting name and location for presentations.

For those who received samples from the biorepository

To help us provide better services and make sure the samples you need are available at a later date, please answer the following question:

Do you anticipate using ALS specimens in the coming year? Yes No

If so, which types of samples will you need? (Select all that apply)

Blood	Brain
Plasma	Spinal cord
Serum	Cerebral spinal fluid
Urine	Muscle
RNA	Primary dermal fibroblasts
DNA	Bone
Hair	Unsure
Nails	

Approximately how many samples will you need?

0 – 10

11 – 50

50 – 100

100 – 200

200 – 300

> 300

Unsure

What types of technology do you use in your research? (Select all that apply)

RNA isolation	Immunohistochemistry
DNA isolation	RT/PCR
Protein isolation	RNA amplification
Laser microdissection	Enzymology
Microarray gene expression profiling	Immunoblot/immunoprecipitation
PCR	Pharmacogenomics
FISH/CGH	Pharmacokinetics
Proteomics	Serology/antibody studies
Gene mapping/SNP analysis	Biomarker analysis
Mutation analysis/sequencing	

NOTE: All project updates are due by the anniversary of your approval. Any projects either actively terminated or not updated by the deadline will have the project status changed to "terminated". If you wish to continue the project, a new proposal would be required. New proposals by other researchers may be submitted on these topics.

A final update for each project should be submitted when the project is complete. The final update should include citations for all published manuscripts and abstracts based on the project.