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Research with administrative data The process at UBDC

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Controlled Data Service

- **Aim:** facilitate access to administrative and other types of personal data
- Advice on:
 - Applications to data controllers
 - Relevant documentation
- Safe Haven
- Data linkage



How to get started...



- Urban focus
- UK based
- Feasibility, **TIME!**
- Data availability



Developing the project



- Project proposal form:
 - Research question
 - Scientific and public impact
 - **Data and methods**
 - Researchers
- Informal talks with data controllers



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Project approval



- Research Approvals Committee (RAC)
- UBDC appraisal report
- Ethics approval



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Formal agreements



- Applications and legal agreements with data controllers
- Approved researcher training
- User agreements



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Research



- Access to Safe Haven
- Research monitored
- Output cleared before release
- Reporting on work and publications



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Questions...

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