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1. Data description. Questions to consider as appropriate:
   - What data will be collected during this project?
   - How many different data formats are anticipated? Please list formats.
   - When will the data be collected, when will they be entered into electronic databases and what databases will harbor the data?
   - Does this project involve organization or analysis of pre-existing data, and what are the data sharing arrangements for these data?
   - What are the anticipated data products (e.g., databases, analyses, tools)?
   - What kinds of metadata will be associated with the data?
   - Who is the owner of the data?

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   - Moore Foundation Grantee Resources

2. Data management. Questions to consider as appropriate:
   - Where (physically) will the data be stored?
   - What type of data access or data distribution mechanism and software will be used?
   - Will the location or software for initial data entry differ from the data archive?
   - How will metadata be stored, and what provisions will be made to enable metadata searching capability?
   - Who will be responsible for entering and maintaining data archives, and over what period of time will archives be maintained?
   - What data quality controls and assurances will be provided?
   - Who will contribute to the database?
   - Will proprietary data be used? If so, describe the permissions obtained to use the data.

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   - Data Sharing and Intellectual Property Policy

3. Data Sharing. Questions to consider as appropriate:
   - Who are the potential data users?
   - What is the appropriate timing for release of data to the public or relevant users, and why?
   - When will archived data be openly available to other users?
   - If data from non-foundation-supported or previous projects are integral to the successful completion of the Grant Purposes, will the non-foundation-supported and/or pre-existing data also be made freely available?
   - How will other users (i.e., beyond the grantee and the foundation) access data and metadata?
   - Are the publicly available data in raw form? If not, what treatments have been applied to the data prior to their being released to the public?
   - How long beyond the grant term will the data be maintained and by whom?
   - Does the proposed grant include provisions for future hardware upgrades in the event that data is to be stored and maintained well beyond the project period of the grant?
   - If data analysis tools are to be created as a consequence of the grant, will a tutorial be available for training of future users of the data, and if so, how can it be accessed.
   - Will a data sharing agreement be required between outside vendors? If so, a brief description of the agreement needs to be provided in the grant proposal.
   - Is a Creative Commons type-license appropriate for sharing the data? Why or why not?
   - How will appropriate attribution to the data provider be provided?
   - Do you anticipate publishing a "Data Release Paper" for referencing and sharing the data?

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