

## Data Sharing Statement

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<b>Item</b>	<b>Question</b>	<b>Authors' Response (place "-" if not applicable)</b>
1	Would you like to share data collected for your study to others?	Yes
2	If not, would you like to share the reason for your decision?	-
3	What data in particular will be shared?	Deidentified data regarding the commonest reasons for referral rejection.
4	Any other documents will be share? Such as study protocol, statistical analysis plan, informed consent form, clinical study report, analytic code.	-
5	When will data availability begin?	From the publication date.
6	When will data availability end?	7 years from the publication date due to ethics approval requirements to delete data after 7 years if no longer used.
7	To whom will you share the data?	To ENT surgeons or GPs who are interested in identifying strategies to improve outpatient triage efficiency.
8	For what type of analysis or purpose?	For comparative purposes to determine if there are improvements in triage efficiency with novel interventions
9	How or where can the data/documents be obtained?	Emails could be sent to the address below to obtain the shared data: <a href="mailto:joel.ang@easternhealth.org.au">joel.ang@easternhealth.org.au</a>
10	Any other restrictions?	We may balance the potential benefits and risks for each request and then provide the data that could be shared.