

How to access the Research Area of the SSPA Biobank?



Researchers: Any researcher who may require biological samples and/or associated data to use in a research project can contact the Research Area of the SSPA Biobank through any of the nodes that are part of the Biobank network.



Donors: Anyone who wants to contribute to improving the health and development of society can be a sample donor. Donations are always made voluntarily. Donations are altruistic, confidential, and are performed under strict compliance with current regulations. To become a donor of samples and/or data for biomedical research, you must be registered with the Andalusian Registry of Donors for Biomedical Research by providing your identification data and a description of your state of health. Registration can be made directly at any of the Biobank nodes, via the www.soydonanteparainvestigacion.es website, by email registro.donantes.csalud@juntadeandalucia.es, or by phone 958 894 669.



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ANDALUSIAN PUBLIC HEALTH SYSTEM BIOBANK RESEARCH AREA



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Who are we?



The **Andalusian Public Health System Biobank (SSPA)** is a network of units that is dependent on the Ministry of Health of the Junta de Andalucía. By employing a network operation, a common ethical framework, a single organizational structure, and decentralized activities, the Research Area of the SSPA Biobank is able to integrate with every public health centre, cell line bank, and other public centres that can obtain, process, preserve, or provide cells, tissues, liquids, substances, and biological samples of clinical origin for research use. Such centres are considered to be nodes of the Biobank.

Our purpose is to support and promote the development of biomedical research by the SSPA's research staff and at other institutions by providing biological samples and their associated data that are needed to perform research projects while ensuring compliance with legal, ethical, and quality requirements. The Biobank also provides support for teaching activities in the field of Health Sciences.

The **Andalusian Registry of Donors for Biomedical Research** is integrated into the Research Area of the SSPA Biobank, thus allowing Andalusians to participate directly in the development of research by donating biological samples of human origin, including blood, tears, saliva, hair, nails, faeces, urine, and sweat, for example.

Where are we?

As a network structure, the Research Area of the SSPA Biobank is constituted by different research nodes distributed throughout Andalusia and is associated with provincial platforms linked to health institutions. The SSPA Biobank's Coordinating Node is located in Granada and acts as a technical support and management platform.



What services do we offer?

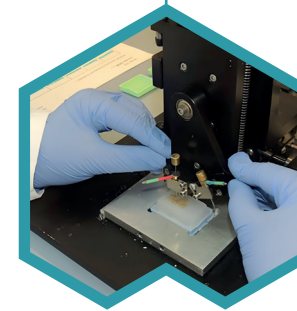


The Research Area of the SSPA Biobank is organized to function as a resource platform offering samples and associated data in the format that the researcher specifies. The Biobank's operations follow quality and conservation requirements, thereby making available a wide and versatile portfolio of services that are adjustable to the needs of each research project.

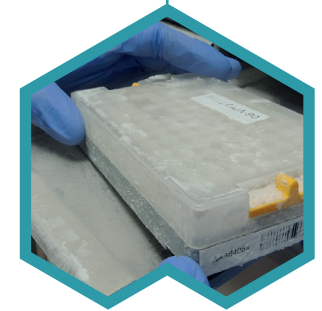
Provision of biological



Processing of biological samples



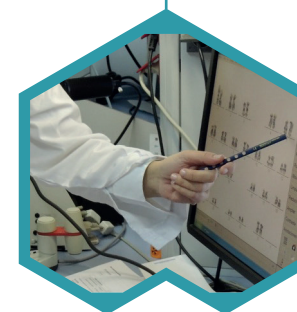
Preservation and biorepository



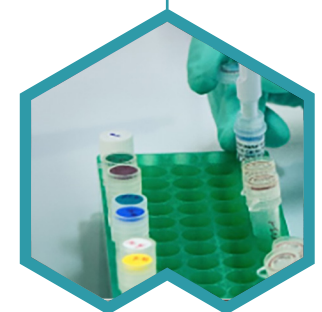
Management and logistics



Training and advice



Customized services



The Quality Management System of the Research Area of the SSPA Biobank is certified by ISO 9001:2015.



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