

GUIDELINES FOR AUTHORS

acknowledgement of DMT support in publications



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All authors on a research publication should liaise with the corresponding author to ensure that funder acknowledgement(s) are set out correctly. It is also important to ensure that the instructions for authors for the relevant publication on how to acknowledge funders and grants are followed appropriately.

As a guide to authors of publications arising from DMT grants, it is recommended that the following standard text be adopted, including reference to the specific grant number(s) to which it relates:

- "The Dunhill Medical Trust" to be written out in full (including an upper case "T" in "The")
- grant number to appear in square brackets
- multiple grant numbers separated by comma and space
- other funders to be separated from DMT by a semi-colon

Example A: for a single funder/grant

"This work was supported by The Dunhill Medical Trust [grant number R---/----]."

Example B: where more than one funder or grant was involved

"This work was supported by The Dunhill Medical Trust [grant number R---/----], [grant number R---/----]; Funder ABC [grant number]; Funder XYZ [grant number]; etc."

These formats follow the recommendations laid down by the Research Information Network:

<http://rinarchive.jisc-collections.ac.uk/our-work/research-funding-policy-and-guidance/acknowledgement-funders-journal-articles>

The same formats should also be used when submitting articles to Europe PubMed Central (of which DMT is one of the funding consortium) or any other repository.

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