

# Trans-national Access projects in Horizon Europe

Open Science Obligations applying to users

**General Regulations under Horizon Europe** (see AGA Article 17 and Annex V<sup>1</sup> )

## ***Dissemination***

**The beneficiaries** must disseminate their results as soon as feasible, in a publicly available format, subject to any restrictions due to the protection of intellectual property, security rules or legitimate interests.

## ***Open Science***

The beneficiaries must ensure open access to peer-reviewed scientific publications relating to their results. In particular, they must ensure that (...)

**Extension of obligations under the Grant Agreement to users** (see AGA Annex V<sup>2</sup> Article 7)

For transnational access, the beneficiaries must also ensure that **the users** comply with certain other obligations under the Grant Agreement.

## ***Obligations that must be extended to users:***

(...) Promoting the action and give visibility to the EU funding (*see Article 17*) (...)

It is the beneficiaries' responsibility to ensure that these obligations are accepted by the users.

<sup>1</sup> Specific Rules on Communication, Dissemination and Visibility

<sup>2</sup> Specific rules for access to research infrastructure

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**The Commission Legal Services confirmed that Open Science obligations also apply to transnational access users.**

## Guides for Researchers

# How to comply with Horizon Europe mandate for publications



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## What is required?

All peer-reviewed scientific publications arising from Horizon Europe funding have to be made available in open access. This implies that publications are to be made freely available online, immediately upon publication and with no restrictions on use, by depositing them on a repository. You should be aware that you are required to retain sufficient intellectual property rights (IPR) to comply with these open access obligations.

### There are two ways to ensure immediate open access:

1. Deposit your publication in a repository for scientific publications and ensure open access.
2. Publish your research in an open access journal.