In recent years, research funding bodies (e.g. the ARC and the NHMRC), share their data and it is widely accepted that this is necessary and important. In particular, the Australian Research Council (ARC) has been pushing research institutions to share their data. This is important because ethical concerns are often invoked as a reason why achieving this is problematic. However, the benefits of data sharing are clear, and the ethical arguments for sharing are strong. By sharing data, researchers can avoid duplicating efforts, save time and money, and contribute to the overall scientific community. Furthermore, by sharing data, researchers can avoid the burden of having to create additional data that may already exist elsewhere. In summary, the benefits of data sharing are clear, and the ethical arguments for sharing are strong. Therefore, it is important to promote and support data sharing in research.