



## **Brain Talk**

# The European Brain Data Hub: Facilitating Data Sharing to Accelerate Brain Disorder Research and Inform Public Policy



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'data altruism' means the voluntary sharing of data on the basis of the consent of data subjects to process personal data pertaining to them (...) **for objectives of general interest** (...)



EU Recognised Data Altruism Organisation



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PHILIPPE, Roi des Belges,

FILIP, Koning der Belgen,

A tous, présents et à venir, Salut.

Aan allen die nu zijn en hierna wezen zullen, Onze Groet.

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PATIENTS CANNOT SHARE THEIR DATA BECAUSE THEY DO NOT HAVE THEM EVEN IF :

### **GDPR – Articles 15 and 20 provide for**

- right of access and right to data portability
- That are difficult to implement by individuals









## THE CONCEPT OF THE EUROPEAN BRAIN DATA HUB

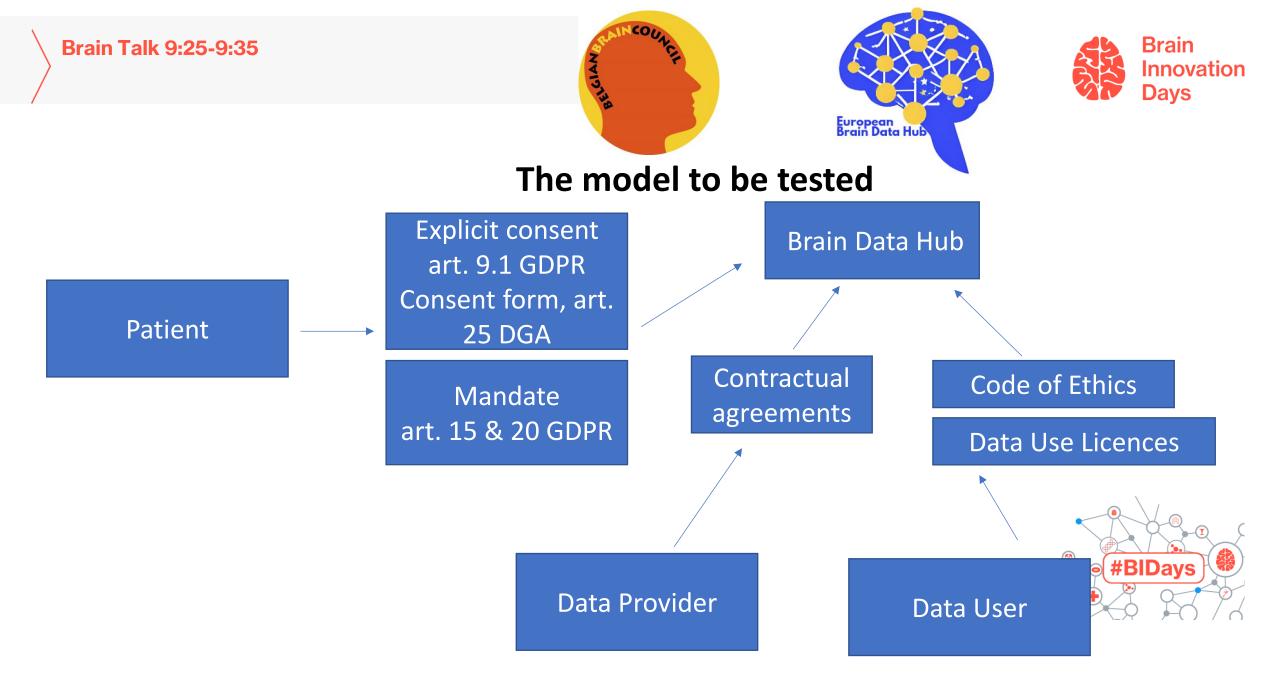
(1) An **international not-for-profit patient-centric data altruist organization** fullfilling all the conditions of the DGA, chapter IV

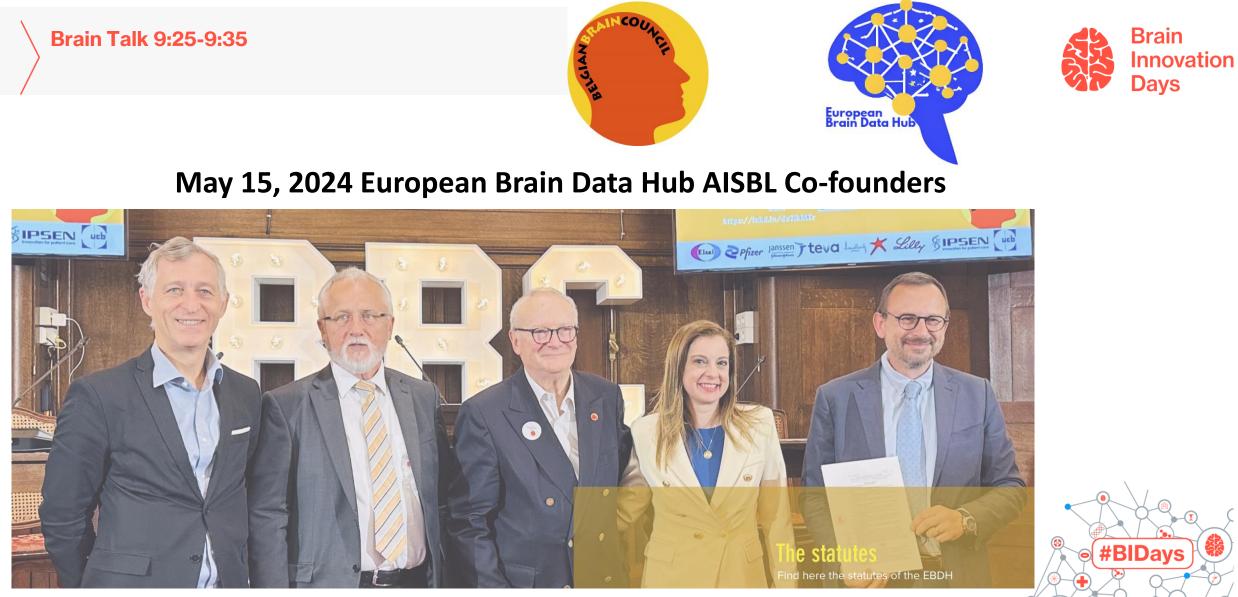
(2) that will receive in any european country a legally valid mandate from patients to collect their health data on their behalf on the basis of art. 15 and 22 of the GDPR

(3) In order to share their data on the basis of a **broad consent form** (art. 25,

DGA) for improving research and public policy

(4) Giving to patients tools to **monitor** the use of their data and to **withdraw** consent at any time





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## Conclusions

- The EBDH complying with all the legal duties and having received the patients associations' consent is ready to start this innovative approach to data sharing
- The next steps depend today on fundraising. The 2025 phase III business plan has been drawn-up and is now in the hands of our partners.

