

WEBSITE COOKIES POLICY

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This policy describes how the New York Stem Cell Foundation, Inc., a New York State not-for-profit corporation (collectively, “NYSCF,” “we,” “our”, or “us”), uses cookies and similar technologies to enhance your browsing experience and optimize the functionality of our website (the “**Cookies Policy**”).

I. WHAT ARE COOKIES

Cookies are small text files that can collect, share, and store data through a user’s browser. When a user visits a site, the site can store one or more cookies on the user’s computer or mobile device. Organizations often refer to this practice as placing or serving the cookie. When the user revisits the site that served the cookie, the user’s browser transmits the cookie back to the site servers, along with information the cookie collected and stored, for example:

- Information the user provides, including personal information such as name or postal address.
- Information the site provides that has semantic meaning, such as the user account numbers, IP address, or site pages viewed.
- Information the site generates that has no independent meaning, but that can identify the user’s device to the site’s servers, such as unique number or character strings.

II. TYPES OF COOKIES WE USE

- Necessary: Necessary cookies are required to enable the basic features of this site, such as providing secure log-in or adjusting your consent preferences. These cookies do not store any personally identifiable data.
- Functional: Functional cookies help perform certain functionalities like sharing the content of the website on social media platforms, collecting feedback, and other third-party features.
- Analytics: Analytical cookies are used to understand how visitors interact with the website. These cookies help provide information on metrics such as the number of visitors, bounce rate, traffic source, etc.
- Performance: Performance cookies are used to understand and analyze the key performance indexes of the website which helps in delivering a better user experience for the visitors. These cookies allow us to remember your preferences.
- Advertisement: Advertisement cookies are used to provide visitors with customized advertisements based on the pages you visited previously and to analyze the effectiveness of the ad campaigns.

- Uncategorized: Other uncategorized cookies are those that are being analyzed and have not been classified into a category as yet.

III. MANAGING YOUR COOKIES

You can control and manage cookies through your browser settings. However, please note that disabling cookies may affect your experience on our Website.

IV. RESPONSE TO “DO NOT TRACK” SIGNALS

Some browsers include the ability to transmit “Do Not Track” signals. NYSCF processes and responds to “Do Not Track” signals.

V. THIRD PARTY COOKIES

We may allow third-party service providers, like Google Analytics, to set cookies. These third-party cookies are not controlled by us.

VI. CHANGES TO OUR COOKIES POLICY

The date that the Cookies Policy was last revised is identified at the top of the page. You are responsible for periodically visiting our Website and this Cookies Policy to check for any changes. We reserve the right to modify this Cookies Policy at any time at our sole discretion. This Cookie Policy may be revised from time to time as we add new features and services, as laws change, and as industry privacy and security best practices evolve. Small changes or changes that do not significantly affect individual privacy interests may be made at any time and without prior notice. If we make material changes to this Cookies Policy, we will notify you by updating the date of this Cookies Policy and posting it on the Website. We may (and, where required by law, will) also provide notification of changes in another way that we believe is reasonably likely to reach you.

Any modifications to the Cookies Policy will be effective immediately upon our posting. Your continued use of the Website following the posting of the revised Cookies policy means that you accept and agree to the changes.

VII. CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have any questions about this Cookies Policy, you may contact us using the form found at <https://www.jotform.com/nyscf/dsar> or email us at privacy@nyscf.org.