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Scientists collaborate over new COVID-19 data portal

The platform has had 73,000 users and 2.6 million requests since its launch in April.

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A new online platform has been set up by the European Open Science Cloud Initiative, where scientists share COVID-19 data and accelerate understanding of the virus to help develop treatments and vaccines.

The new [European COVID-19 Data Platform](#) will allow scientists to share SARS-CoV-2 data from clinical trials, research centres, hospitals and national healthcare systems.

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