

Choosing The Right Partner

Seven Criteria for Data Management Excellence



- ✓ **Deep understanding of protocol and study design**
The team must fully grasp the scientific and operational intent of your study and translate it into robust data processes.
- ✓ **Integrated data management & biostatistics collaboration**
Are data management and biostats teams working seamlessly to anticipate downstream needs and ensure data integrity?
- ✓ **Regulatory experience and CDISC compliance**
Will study design and data handling be aligned with CDISC standards and regulatory expectations from the outset?
- ✓ **Fit-for-purpose methods and tools**
Are the platforms, processes, and statistical approaches appropriate –and is the team skilled in applying them effectively?
- ✓ **Transparency and accessibility**
Can you access clean, up-to-date data and intuitive dashboards in real time?
- ✓ **Scientific rigor in operations**
Does the partner apply critical thinking and scientific context to data decisions, not just process execution?
- ✓ **Right-sized partnership**
Is the organization large enough to scale with your study, yet small enough to provide focused, hands-on support?