

# Data quality

- **Question:** How do we achieve maximal data consistency across centers?
- **Motivation:** analyses and conclusions influenced by
  - nonrandom missingness
  - systematic differences in data collection/databasing
- **Observation:**
  - Large variability in missing data rates among centers
  - UW ADRC “difficult” cases take longer to resolve – may miss data call

# Questions

- What are the cross-center differences in data characteristics? Should NACC look at this?
- What data basing and data processing procedures differ between high and low missing-data centers?
- How do different data cores do to try to achieve data completion?
- Are particular data forms unusually challenging to achieve completion for, and why?
- Are there procedural issues that affect data completion/data quality?