GambleAware open code statement

GambleAware has adopted an open research model to ensure that the research it funds will be transparent and accessible to achieve the greatest impact while ensuring the highest confidence in commissioned work. We now require that all outputs arising from any quantitative research that we fund must be accompanied by publicly available code which allows the full results to be replicated. The underlying data do not need to be publicly available; the code must ensure replicability in principle.

GambleAware’s open code requirements are as follows:

- Code must include all steps taken to derive the full set of exact quantitative results from the original raw data. This may include:
  - Data manipulation (e.g., removal of outliers, (re)coding, transformations).
  - Data presentation (e.g., tables, figures).
  - Statistical analyses.
- Code does not need detailed annotation or to provide justification for the decisions taken, though analysts may choose to provide these of their own accord.
- Code must be published in a publicly available location. GambleAware can host code on the GambleAware GitHub repository.
- Code must be provided to GambleAware when publication drafts are submitted.
- Code must be published no later than the date of output publication.
- Code may be provided in any programming language or for any statistical programme.