



## SAY NO TO FACEBOOK PROFILING USERS AS MENTALLY ILL

As reported by *Tech Crunch*, Facebook is now developing artificial intelligence to profile users as allegedly becoming depressed or suicidal. Your use of Facebook is in danger of being seen as symptomatic of mental illness. As a result, Facebook users may have their reputations ruined and be unduly subjected to mental health treatment. Facebook may be able to exert unjust control over users under the guise of helping them with mental health issues. This new program is a clear abuse of user data. As long as corporations such as Facebook control access to public information, people will give up personal data to make use of the platform where the public information is hosted. Facebook will then exploit this personal data for unfair social control, which this “mental health” AI profiling is an example of.

Stop Facebook from making this new program a reality!

Things you can do:

- 1) Support the global data commons: <http://getgee.xyz> Everyone should own public information—not corporations.
- 2) Comment on the *Tech Crunch* article: Facebook shouldn't profile you as "sick":  
<https://is.gd/LyJqni> (that short link expands to  
<https://techcrunch.com/2017/11/27/facebook-ai-suicide-prevention>)
- 3) Share <https://pastebin.com/Hmhiy6qp> for links to articles about Facebook inflicting psychological harm and to resources for safe alternatives to psychiatry