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Weekly Communication

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This email is part of a weekly communication series from the CCSQ Data and Analytics team, designed to provide you the latest updates on the CCSQ Analytics Platform (CAP), the Centralized Data Repository (CDR), and user experience offerings.

This week's email contains information and updates on the following topics:

- CCSQ Data Camp – October 20th and 21st
- CDR Data Issues Updates
- CDR Weekly Refresh Update
- Weekly Knowledge Base Article
- Important Dates and Links

CCSQ Data Camp – October 20th and 21st

Please join us on October 20th and 21st for the next CCSQ Data Camp. The CCSQ Data Camps are multi-session, multi-day events focused on educating the CCSQ Data & Analytics user community featuring technical experts and special guests from various LOBs and ADOs. **This year's theme will be "Growing CCSQ Enterprise Analytics - Learning to Walk Before We Run"**, as our session speakers will provide guidance and perspective on how data analysts, scientists, and support staff can learn to excel in the foundations of data management and analytics before we move to more advanced capabilities in the future. The following topics will be explored during the two-day event (please note that the agendas will be updated with exact times shortly):

Agenda for Day One (October 20th):

- Welcome from CCSQ Leadership
- CCSQ Leadership Presentation
- SAS Viya Overview
- Overview of CMS Master Data Management (MDM)
- Zeppelin Overview

Agenda for Day Two (October 21st):

- CCSQ Leadership Q&A Panel
- Bringing Data Together for CCSQ Analytic Use
- QuickSight Overview
- iQIES Data Overview
- ISG Closing Thoughts Session

Explore our [Confluence page](#) for more information and how you can obtain an invitation.

CDR Data Issues Updates

The below list includes current data issues within the Centralized Data Repository (CDR):

Schema Name	Current Status
resource_hqr_prs	Updates have been made to hlth_serv_provider regarding the rural/urban indicator. The Data Modernization team is reviewing the changes.
csat_2, csat_5	There is a current data issue with the CSAT 'bene_death_dt' column where new dates of death are not being updated. The CSAT team has corrected data for Part A and for Part D and is currently re-running the data for Part B to resolve this issue. This issue is related to the recently identified issue with the PRS beneficiary merge process.
resource_hqr_prs_supplemental	<p>The Beneficiary merge code for PRS was found to have an issue where it isn't updating existing records and new data isn't being loaded properly into PRS. This was identified with death data originally sourced from BIC.</p> <p>The following tables are impacted:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • resource_hqr_prs_supplemental.beneficiary • resource_hqr_prs_supplemental.bene_cross_reference • resource_hqr_prs_supplemental.entitlement_reason • resource_hqr_prs_supplemental.bene_migration • resource_hqr_prs_supplemental.bene_edb_mbi • resource_hqr_prs_supplemental.coverage

	The HQR ADO is working to correct this merge code and pull anything that was missed since Nov 2020.
qmars	There is an issue with QMARS data where the count of appeals in the CDR differs from the QMARS system. The QMARS ADO is working to investigate the issue and determine a resolution. Once the QMARS ADO corrects the data issue, the DAMOD team will pull the corrected data into the CDR.
qmars	Longer text fields in the QMARS data are currently being truncated in the source schema. This issue is universal for columns with a string data type that are greater than 32 characters long. No target date for resolution has been provided by the QMARS ADO.

CDR Weekly Refresh Update

Please note below the data refreshes that occurred within the Centralized Data Repository (CDR) during the week of 9/26/2021 – 10/2/2021. For specific refresh dates of each source, please reference the CDR Data Catalog on [Confluence](#). The following sources were refreshed:

CDR Hive Schema
nch_part_a
nch_part_b
beneficiary_data
provider_pmi_data
resource_hqr_prs
resource_hqr_prs_supplemental
health_plan
quality_measures_hqr_data_form
quality_measures_hqr_char_abst
provider_hqr_nop
quality_measures_hqr_ecqm
resource_hqr_sec_admin
quality_measures_hqr_val
quality_measures_darrt_qii
healthcare_service_qmars_ng

The data refresh dates are published for awareness of data timeliness. If your organization requires data to be refreshed on a different timeline or cycle, please submit a [Request Form](#) and include details of your request including business justification, data source, requested refresh frequency, and requested refresh dates. Additional refresh details are included on the data catalog within the source description. The "Next Refresh" date marks the last possible day the data will be available in the CDR. If you have any questions, please contact us at HCQIS_Data@hcqis.org.

Knowledge Base Article of the Week: How to Ensure Excel Uses Your SAS Formats for Number Cells

This week's Knowledge Base article provides users guidance on how one can use HTMLSTYLE and TAGATTR style attributes to send Microsoft formats from SAS to Excel. Check out this article [here](#) on Confluence for best practices and instructions.

Important Dates and Links

Upcoming key dates:

- Communications Call – October 14th at 1:00pm ET
- Introduction to CCSQ Data & Analytics – October 18th at 3:00pm ET
- CCSQ Data Camp – October 20th and 21st
- CAP & CDR Scheduled Maintenance Event – October 22nd at 8:00pm ET

Please note these helpful quick links below, pointing you to some key spaces on our CCSQ Data & Analytics internet-facing space on Confluence:

- [CCSQ Data & Analytics Home Page](#)
- [Zeppelin Onboarding](#)
- [Data Catalog](#)
- [Known Issues and Improvements](#)
- [CCSQ Data & Analytics SAS Viya Learning Paths](#)
- [Communications Calls Archive](#)
- [Knowledge Base](#)

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