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CCSQ Data & Analytics Weekly Communication

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:

- User Collaboration Wiki – **New!**
- CDR Data Issues Updates
- CDR Weekly Refresh Update
- Weekly Knowledge Base Article
- Important Dates and Links

User Collaboration Wiki – New!

Have you completed research or have information that would be helpful to the community?

Now you can easily share it with other users!

The Data & Analytics Team has released the new User Collaboration Wiki space for the CAP & CDR Environment user community. This new user collaboration forum is a central location through which you can share your solutions and best practices that worked for you. In this wiki, interact with other users by peer-reviewing and commenting on their posts or leverage solutions from other users to enhance your own analytic work.

Currently, the forum is available to those who have HARP Confluence/Atlassian licenses. To gain access, either request a license in HARP, or work with your COR to see if Atlassian licenses can be granted for your organization. For those interested in a demonstration of this space, [watch the walk-through from the previous Communications Call](#).

[Click here to access the new User Collaboration Wiki](#).

CDR Data Issues Updates

Schema Name	Current Status
beneficiary_data	The BIC team has notified that CDR/BIC Data Lake only contains a subset of all the tables available in Beneficiary System. Tables not available in CDR but listed in BIC Data dictionary can be added based on a business need for a table to be made available.
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.

Please monitor the CDR [Known Issues Log](#) for the latest status and targeted resolution date(s).

CDR Weekly Refresh Update

Please note below the data refreshes that occurred within the Centralized Data Repository (CDR) during the week of 02/27/2022 – 03/5/2022. For specific refresh dates of each source, please reference the CDR Data Catalog on [Confluence](#). The following sources were refreshed:

CDR Hive Schema

- provider_iqies
- assessment_iqies
- health_plan
- public_data.zip_codes
- public_data.fda_drug_product
- public_data.fda_drug_package
- compare_nursing_home
- nch_part_a
- nch_part_b
- provider_pmi_data
- beneficiary_data
- resource_hqr_prs
- resource_hqr_prs_supplemental
- quality_measures_darrt_qii
- quality_measures_hqr_data_form
- quality_measures_hqr_char_abst
- provider_hqr_nop
- quality_measures_hqr_val
- quality_measures_hqr_ecqm
- resource_hqr_sec_admin
- 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.

Weekly Knowledge Base Article: How to Use %INCLUDE Statement to Call SAS Programs

This week's Knowledge Base article provides users guidance on how to use the %INCLUDE statement in order to reference datasets and other SAS Programs. Check out this article here on Confluence for additional resources and instructions:

<https://qnetconfluence.cms.gov/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=97726816>

Important Dates & Links

Upcoming Events and Key Dates:

- Communications Call – Thursday, March 10th at 1:00pm ET
- Communications Call – Thursday, March 24th at 1:00pm ET
- Scheduled Maintenance Event – April 1st 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](#)
- [Data Catalog](#)
- [Known Issues and Improvements](#)
- [CCSQ Data & Analytics SAS Viya Learning Paths](#)
- [Communications Calls Archive](#)
- [Knowledge Base](#)

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