



What are some topics people would like to discuss here?

Good morning,
I know we're all busy but let's take a break to discuss some of the things we would like to chat about, resources we would like made available, and key people we would like to contribute as content SMEs, experts on DSRIP, etc.

Resources:

- There should be a space to share Salient Interactive Miner collections and bookmarks. It would be great if Salient could participate in this and clarify whether or not we can legally post them here.
- There should also be a space for people to ask questions of Salient support in a public forum. We're all doing the same kinds of things and could all benefit from one person's questions and solutions.
- We should start sharing links to sources for useful or interesting data, along with some information about how they were used.
- We should be sharing documents that we have converted, cleaned, and other wise made usefu.

Topics:

- Discussions of various tools and approaches to analyzing data. For example, I use R, Python, and PostgreSQL every day to clean lists, merge data sets, reconcile and validate codes, and enrich data with sources accessed via APIs.
- How we are interpreting the DOH guidance and discussions of how those interpretations affect procedures.
- Answers we have received from KPMG contacts and the DOH. These sometimes conflict or raise issues we never thought of.
- Reviews of platforms and services you have worked with.

I also propose that we meet one morning online in about 2 weeks to follow up on any discussion this, hopefully, generates.

Happy DSRIPping!

Jamie



Question by [Jamie Bono](#)

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Thank you for your contribution Jamie. We are discussing your list of resources and topics suggested and will follow-up with a more detailed reply shortly. Thank you again for sharing these ideas and questions with us!

By [Deanna Ripstein](#), 7 months ago

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Hi Jamie –

We continue to evaluate outreach and information sharing needs and opportunities between PPS and Salient as well as with our other involved contractors. While these discussions continue, there is an opportunity for PPS users to arrange a call with the Salient support team on an as needed basis. To coordinate with Salient, we encourage you to email hhssupport@salient.com Hope this helps!

By [Deanna Ripstein](#), 7 months ago

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Thanks! I think it would add value to both the MiX and the relationship between PPS analysts and Salient if we could share and openly discuss bookmarks, methods, and best practices. The additional training that Nicole Ravella held for SIM was excellent. Discussions here could enrich those efforts and increase the overall adoption of and facility with SIM by users.

By [Jamie Bono](#), 7 months ago

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Thank you Jamie! I will ensure your latest post with your suggestions are shared with the DSRIP Team members that work on training opportunities and the MIX. Again, we appreciate your feedback and suggestions! Please keep them coming...

By [Deanna Ripstein](#), 7 months ago

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