Instruction for Drug Information Dashboard Reproduction

Bach Phung, Lydia Geygan

1. Purpose

This document will reiterate the process of production of the drug information dashboard based on the data source from cms.gov. The dashboard will contain information about the insurance plans, drug formulas, and geographic and disease-related information. The dashboard should be updated once a month when the new dataset for the most recent month is uploaded on cms.gov website.

2. Related Documents

- Github repository: https://github.com/geyganlr/Cardinal-Health-Project
- Data Source website: https://www.cms.gov/research-statistics-data-systems/prescription-drug-plan-formulary-pharmacy-network-and-pricing-information-files-download
- Database credentials:

db1.cl5uuoi3dsos.us-east-2.rds.amazonaws.com

port: 5432 Database: cads user: postgres pass: Cads=post1

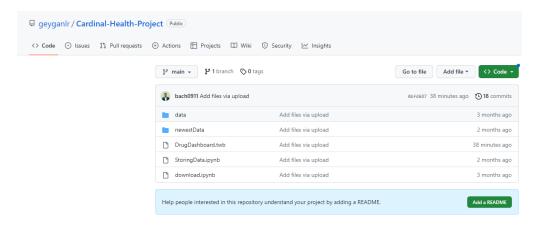
3. General Process



4. Specific Steps

- 4.1 Step 1: Download Documents
- Download DrugDashboard.twb and StoringData.ipynb

Access Github repository (section 2), download DrugDashboard.twb and StoringData.ipynb to local computer.



- Access Data Source website (section 2), download the newest drug information dataset to the same folder as file StoringData.ipynb (for example, it would be April 2023 in the below screenshot).
- Notes or Special Instructions: See record layouts below; they are also included in the downloadable files.

	Monthly Files											
2023	January	February	March	<u>April</u>	5/17/23	6/14/23	7/12/23	8/23/23	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
2022	January	<u>February</u>	March	<u>April</u>	May	June	<u>July</u>	August	September	October	November	December
2021	January	February	March	<u>April</u>	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
2020	January	February	March	<u>April</u>	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December

July

August

October

September

November

December

Monthly Files

- Extract the data zip file so that all the data files located in the same folder as file StoringData.ipynb

June

pharmacy networks file 20220831 part 4	1/19/2023 10:23 AM	Text Document	3,620,895
pharmacy networks file 20220831 part 5	1/19/2023 10:23 AM	Text Document	3,579,052
pharmacy networks file 20220831 part 6	1/19/2023 10:23 AM	Text Document	5,307,518
plan information 20220831.txt	1/19/2023 10:23 AM	Text Document	9,424 KB
senior savings model file 20220831.txt	1/19/2023 10:23 AM	Text Document	1,428 KB
Storing Data.ipynb	3/14/2023 9:55 PM	Jupyter Source File	10 KB

4.2 Step 2: Update Database

February

March

April

May

2019

<u>January</u>

- Locate 2 pieces of information from the drug dataset including the date written on the data file and the number of parts of pharmacy networks files (for example from the above screenshot, the date is '20220831' and number of parts is 6.

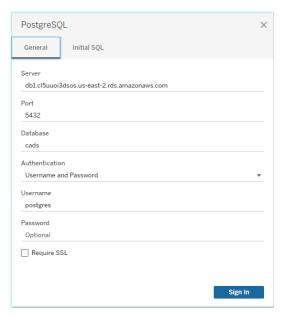
- Access StoringData.ipynb file downloaded earlier. Change the parameters for the function massImpact() in the last code cell with the 2 pieces of information following the syntax in this example: massImpact("20220831", 6). And then run the whole file using the run all button to update the database with the new drug information dataset.

```
massImport("20220831", 6)

... Table plan_information imported
    Table senior_savings_model imported
    Table basic_drug_formulary imported
    Table excluded_drugs_formulary imported
    Table beneficiary_cost imported
    Table partial_gap_coverage imported
    Table indication_based_coverage_formulary imported
    Table geographic_locator imported
    Table pharmacy_networks imported
```

4.3 Step 3: Update Dashboard

- Access DrugDashboard.twb downloaded earlier and then plug in the credentials for database (section 2) and click sign in. After that the dashboard will be automatically updated with the updated database.



To interact with the dashboard, the users can click on any units in any graphs to show specific
information about it. Bar graphs can also be sorted using the sort button in the graph. Map can
be zoomed in or out as needed. Users can use the filter for different special types of need plans

in the menu in the upper bar Special Needs Plan

[(All)]

The users can also access the database

[Ink by clicking the text CMS.gov in the upper bar]