

Installation Instructions

Note: it is recommended that you make a backup of the portal before proceeding (database and programs).

Before Installation

Please double check the configuration on your web.config file as follows:

1. Under connectionStrings section

(for proper version of your SQL Server) make sure that you set the proper data provider value to the name "SiteSqlServer". ConnectionString should have complete information including Server Name, Database Name, User Name, and Password. See an example below:

```
<add name="SiteSqlServer"
connectionString="Server=YourServer; Database=YourDatabase; uid=
YourUserName; pwd=YourPassword; "
providerName="System.Data.SqlClient" />
```

2. <u>Under appSettings section</u>

(for proper version of your SQL Server) make sure that you set the proper data provider value to the key "SiteSqlServer". The value should have complete information including Server Name, Database Name, User Name, and Password. See an example below:

```
<add key="SiteSqlServer"
value="Server=YourServer; Database=YourDatabase; uid=YourUserNam
e;pwd=YourPassword;" />
```

3. <u>Under dotnetnuke section</u>, set the data defaultProvider to SqlDataProvider.

Installation

- 1. Start up your browser and open your DotNetNuke site.
- 2. Log into DotNetNuke site as the Host user.
- 3. Navigate to Module Installation page.

For DNN 5.x, Go to the Host > Module Definitions, move mouse over arrow icon, and click on Upload New Module.

For DNN 6.x, Go to the Host > Extensions, move mouse over icon on the top left, and click on Install Extension Wizard.



- 4. On new page, click on the Browse button and then navigate to the module install (.zip) file, ignore file restrictions, and follow through the steps.
- 5. Ignore File Restrictions and follow through steps to install the module.
- 6. Navigate to your selected page and add the module from the dropdown menu.
- 7. After you have an instance of the module added to the page, cleick Edit Option or Configuration to configure the module.

Setup Source Project

- 1. Follow installation steps above to install the module.
- 2. Copy over the source folder to overwrite the existing one under DesktopModules folder of your root portal.
- 3. Use Visual Studio to open the project file in the directory above.
- 4. Right click the project and build the file and then go to the root bin to see if the assembly was created in this folder. If you get a compile time error then go to the reference folder to see if you have any missing references.
- 5. You can now add the module to the page. Please install only one instance of the module per page.