

# Society of Thoracic Surgeons

## Adult Cardiac User Group Call

July 21, 2021



# Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- STS Updates
- IQVIA Updates
- Blood Usage – Take 2
- User Feedback
  - Include Ticket Number/Case Number
  - *Use the raise-hand function and be sure to unmute yourself*
  - *OR*
  - *Submit using the Q&A function*

# Important Dates for Adult Cardiac

## 21 July

- ACSD User Group Call @ 2pmCT

## 4 Aug.

- ACSD Monthly Webinar @ 2pmCT

## 13 Aug.

- ACSD H3 Closes (OR Dates through 6/30/2021)

## 17 Aug.

- ACSD H3 Opt Out

## 18 Aug.

- ACSD User Group Call @ 2pmCT

## 12–15 Oct.

- AQO (ACSD Oct 14)



# STS Updates

- July Training Manual Posted
- Harvest 2 2021 Reports Coming Back Soon from DCRI
- AQO (Advances in Quality and Outcomes: A Data Manager's Meeting)
  - Registration is free for all data managers associated with an active participant



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# IQVIA Update Joe Brower

# IQVIA Recap – June 2021 Release

The below items were released the weekend of June 26:

**Please note:** A list of the related release items are posted to the Notifications section within the platform.

## General Update

- **IQVIA Platform will be upgraded from version 1.41.1 to version 1.43.1**
  - Uploader user workflow change has been implemented. (Covered in next slide)

## Report Enhancement

- **Risk Adjusted Dashboard Report – Opt-Out Feature Enabled**
  - STS-6841 – Users who opt out of receiving a risk adjusted report will no longer have an option to view the reporting date range for the results for the opted-out harvest. Functionality has been added to the report parameter page where the reporting period will be hidden from sites who submit an opt-out request to STS.

## Report Issue Resolution

- **Risk Adjusted Dashboard Report**
  - STS-6810 – Risk Adjusted and Regional Reports – Regional 2020 Column is displaying 2 result values in the column entries. This issue did not impact all sites, the impacted sites were assigned 2 region IDs. This will be corrected in the upcoming release.

# Uploader Workflow Update

Users will have to select the Case Form option within the Form Type drop down menu  
We are collaborating with our product development team to default this option for users

## Participant Details

Name: Test Facility  
ID: 12345  
City:  
State: Unavailable  
Form Type:



Upload File

## ATTENTION NEW IQVIA DIRECT DATA ENTRY USERS ONLY

The below instructions **DO NOT** apply to users who are using a third party software vendor to enter and update data.

1. All submissions from a previous vendor should be completed before the transition to IQVIA as a Direct Data Entry User.
- The files **SHOULD NOT BE** re-submitted using the uploader feature after direct data entry has begun.

## Participant Details

Name: Test Facility  
ID: 12345  
City:  
State: Unavailable  
Form Type:

Choose File from Computer

(Max File Size: 50 MB)



# IQVIA Recap - July 2021 Release

The below items were released July 7, 2021:

## Resolved Issues

### Risk Adjusted Dashboard Report

- STS-6898 – Users encountered “Page Not Found” error message when exporting the Risk Adjusted Dashboard Report is now resolved.
- STS-6950 – Direct Data Entry Users encountering error message when generating the Data Download Report is now resolved.

# Upcoming July 2021 Release

The below items is currently targeted for the weekend of July 31:

**Please Note:** A list of the items will be posted to the Notifications section of the platform once the deployment has successfully completed.

## Reports

- **Participant Dashboard Report (non-analyzed)**
  - **STS-4151** – A COVID-19 Filter will be added to the non-analyzed dashboard to allow users to filter on the following patient populations:
    - **All Patients**
    - **COVID-19 Positive Patients**
    - **No Confirmed diagnosis of COVID-19**
  - **STS-6471** – COVID-19 data entry responses will be displayed under the Risk Factors report section of the dashboard
  - **STS-6616** – The display label for the MtOpD + Died in Hospital will be updated to display **MtOpD + Died in Hospital + Patient Expired in the OR** and the report logic will be updated to include the counts for the Patient Expired in the OR variable
  - **STS-6868** – Calculation update for the Classification NYHA to correct parent/child relationship for 2.9 data version and remove parent for 4.20.2 data version



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## Reports

### Data Quality Report & Direct Data Entry Form Validation

- **STS-6692** – Updating the warning message display for cpvntlng (SEQ 6835) validation to display, Total post-operative ventilation hours **is less than or equal to** 24 hours and Post-Op-Pulm-Vent Prolonged is marked Yes. The previous message displayed and incorrect message to the end user.

### Risk Adjusted Dashboard Report

- **STS-6709** – The blood products used calculation will be updated to reflect changes related to the 4.20.2 data version for the IBldProd variable. The previous calculation considered a parent variable which no longer applied.

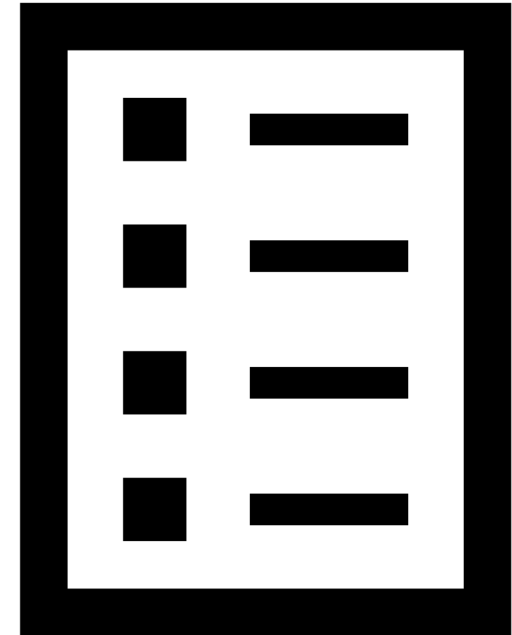
### Missing Variable Report

- **STS-6765** – Aorta and Aortic Root Procedures are flagged on the MVR when the parent fields are selected as No.



# ACSD Known Issues and Enhancement Items

**IQVIA has posted the full  
list of known issues and  
enhancements to the  
Library for user reference.**



# IQVIA Update

Please note: Submitted tickets are currently under review and the IQVIA support team will follow up on resolution and/or target release confirmation.

The IQVIA Team is currently reviewing items that will be released in an upcoming release. Those items will be posted to the Notifications section.



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# IQVIA Review Melanie Bent



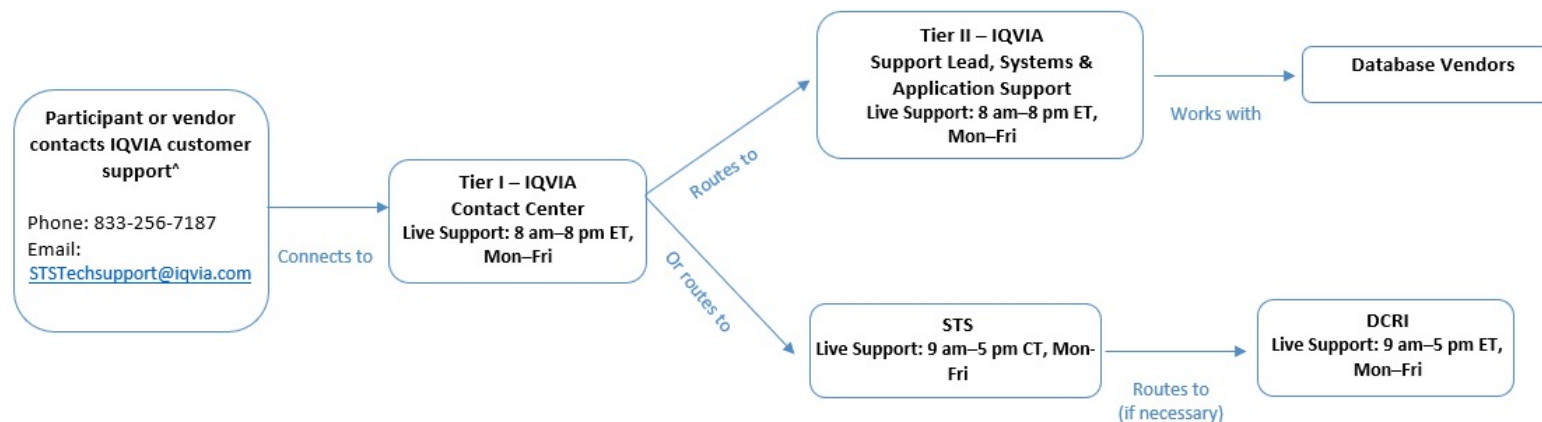
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# Blood Products & IMA Usage: IQVIA Report *Take 2*

# IQVIA's Support Plan



^ Inquiries received outside live support hours will require a 24-hour turnaround window (i.e., one business day) for responses.



# Resources

- [STS National Database Webpage](#)
- [STSTechSupport@IQVIA.com](mailto:STSTechSupport@IQVIA.com) (Uploader, DQR, Missing Variable, Dashboard, Password and Login )
- [ACSDTechSupport@IQVIA.com](mailto:ACSDTechSupport@IQVIA.com)
- Phone Support: 1-833-256-7187
- [STS National Database Feedback Form](#)
- Resource Documents
  - Contact Information
  - Webinar Information
  - FAQ Document
  - Go-Live Checklist
  - Tiered-level Support Document
  - *Training Videos*
  - *Link to IQVIA*
  - ckrohn@sts.org



# Open Discussion



Please use the Q&A Function.



We will answer as many questions as possible.



We encourage your feedback and want to hear from you!

Thank you for joining!