PPD® FSP Source Enables Effective Forecasting and Analysis

A new way to streamline contracting, capacity management and oversight

Talent and resources drive timelines and milestones. Inefficient forecasting of resources creates unnecessary overhead costs, administrative burdens, timeline risks and staff turnover. When using the Functional Service Partnership (FSP) model, finding the right services and qualified teams—at the right time, in the right place—is key to ensure quality, accelerates timelines, and maximize savings.

Capacity Management, Reimagined

PPD® FSP Source is an all-in-one capacity management solution designed to expand access to services and talent, protect budgets and set you up for success. Through this secure web application, our FSP clients have a central point for communications, demand planning and management. Access to real-time, high-quality forecasting, resourcing and operational data through three key modules.

PPD® FSP Source is a secure, dedicated portal to find clinical research FSP services, where and when you need them.

- Ensuring top-end services and qualified teams
- Providing more accurate forecasts
- Customized billing with competitive FSP pricing
- Managing data access through a secure portal
- Reducing overhead and administrative burden
Forecast Estimates

By leveraging PPD’s enterprise systems for study capacity estimates and global resource tracking systems, PPD FSP is offering a proven platform for our clients to make data driven decisions for their resourcing needs. Using FSP Source, you will experience quick ramp-up and fill rates with sophisticated approvals of resource forecasts, your own forecast and ad hoc requests.

The Forecast module is designed to facilitate resource demand estimates and support online protocol, project, scope and specification submissions. With a forward-looking view of 6-12 months, together we can better ensure we get the right resources at the right time.

Resource Management

In the unpredictable environment of clinical research, the absence of strong capacity management harbors resource underutilization, wasteful costs and a bored, dissatisfied team. Overutilized resources are timeline risks and generate team stress and burnout. FSP Source helps you request services and teams more easily by leveraging PPD’s 23,000+ professionals and expanded network of 850,000 qualified global professionals.

The Request module eliminates these challenges to meet your quality and performance goals. FSP Source can help you put resources to work wherever your program experiences demands: at your company’s facility, one of PPD’s facilities or a designated location anywhere in the world.

Insightful Analysis

FSP Source uses sophisticated algorithms for more measurable outcomes and immediate access to the information you need about your FSP services.

The Analyze module has robust metrics and KPIs to inform you about your team’s progress and engagement, project-by-project or at the portfolio level. You can be certain you have the right kinds of services, the right number of people, and know the teams are meeting program needs with full transparency into what, when and how they are working.

Data and people: How you forecast, manage and analyze these two key important factors impact the speed, accuracy and cost of your clinical research.

Contact a PPD FSP team member today to begin streamlining your contracting, planning and oversight with FSP Source.

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