



Dear Cancer Surveillance Vendor and Partner Community,

The *AJCC Cancer Surveillance API* will be renamed the *AJCC Cancer Surveillance DLL* starting with the August 2021 release. The AJCC is changing the name of the *AJCC Cancer Surveillance API* to reflect the fact that this software tool is truly a Dynamic Link Library (DLL). When we took over this software from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), it was named the *AJCC Cancer Surveillance API*, but this has caused confusion because it does not have any web services function like most APIs. It has also caused confusion with the *AJCC API* that the AJCC offers as a separate product available since 2017. Since the software for the Cancer Surveillance community is in fact a DLL, the *AJCC Cancer Surveillance API* will be renamed the ***AJCC Cancer Surveillance DLL***.

As always, feel free to contact [AJCC@facs.org](mailto:AJCC@facs.org) with any comments or questions you may have.