

PUBLIC HEALTH ARCHITECTURE WHITEPAPER

Salus Agentic: Institutional Surveillance Intelligence

A Global Hands, Inc. public-good initiative providing a \$0 software license to qualified public health agencies.

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1. Purpose

Salus Agentic is a mission-critical public health initiative operated under Global Hands, Inc. It bridges disease surveillance, high-throughput laboratory networks, and human-supervised agentic AI into a unified early-warning system. Through the public charity charter, the core software license is provided at \$0 licensing cost to qualified state, county, municipal, tribal, territorial, and international public health authorities.

2. The public-benefit financial and deployment model

Public health agencies should not be held hostage by commercial SaaS subscription fees during crisis detection. The architecture separates the charitable software concession from operational cloud compute.

- Zero-dollar (\$0.00) enterprise software license, with no per-seat, per-patient, or annual license fee.
- Pass-through non-profit Snowflake hosting in an isolated, dedicated instance, billed at non-profit utility rates with no Global Hands markup.
- Predictable support and system maintenance through transparent non-profit support tiers.

Component	Standard commercial SaaS	Salus Agentic (Global Hands)
Core software license	\$75,000 to \$350,000 / year	\$0.00 (100% non-profit grant concession)
Data warehouse and hosting	Proprietary vendor lock-in, marked up	Dedicated sovereign Snowflake instance, at cost
Data ownership	Vendor managed / co-mingled	100% agency owned and cryptographically isolated
On-site field training	Expensive billable hours	Non-profit mission teams and workshops

3. System architecture

Salus Agentic integrates into existing Laboratory Information Management Systems (LIMS), electronic health record feeds, and syndromic surveillance streams to detect anomalous pathogen signals before traditional manual reporting.

- Automated LIMS and HL7 / FHIR data ingestion from state labs, hospital sentinel sites, and commercial lab feeds.
- Human-supervised agentic signal analysis. Agents flag emergent threats; epidemiologists verify.
- Privacy-by-design verification so aggregations and thresholds do not expose raw PII or PHI.
- Cross-jurisdictional federation with full local data custody.

Data path: LIMS / hospital lab feeds to secure non-profit Snowflake ingestion, to the Salus Agentic engine, to a human-in-the-loop epidemiologist dashboard.

4. Legal and regulatory muster

Regulatory domain	Requirement	Operational implementation
IRS 501(c)(3) and UBIT	Charitable mission fit	Program-related activity; lessening the burdens of government
Private inurement / benefit	Arms-length relationship	Free license / pass-through cost
Government procurement (FAR / 2 CFR 200)	Competitive bidding rules	Zero-cost software acquisition
HIPAA / HITECH	BAA and privacy safeguards	Agency-dedicated Snowflake host; 45 CFR 164.512(b)
FedRAMP / StateRAMP	Government-grade hosting	Snowflake Government Cloud / FedRAMP Moderate infrastructure

The software license is given at \$0.00, so there is no commercial sale of software. Hosting fees paid to Snowflake are pass-through reimbursements without markup. Maintenance fees represent direct cost-recovery for program-related services (IRC 513(a)). Because the activity is substantially related to protecting public health, revenues are tax-exempt program service revenue, not UBIT.

Salus Agentic Inc. executes a perpetual, royalty-free, non-exclusive license deed donating software use rights to Global Hands, Inc. for non-profit and government deployments. Global Hands does not claim a standalone FedRAMP authorization. Agency deployments may use Snowflake Government Cloud / FedRAMP Moderate authorized infrastructure when the agency requires it. Where Global Hands processes identifiers on behalf of a covered entity, Global Hands executes an HHS-style Business Associate Agreement.

5. Audience

State, territorial, local, and tribal public health departments; public health laboratories (APHL / LRN); hospital epidemiologists; federal health authorities; and philanthropic donors.

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