Georgia

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Agency Responsib: Georgia Department of Public Health
Agency Typ: Department of Health

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PDMP Web Resources/Links
PDMP Website: https://dph.georgia.gov/pdmp
PDMP Ema: pdmssupport@dph.ga.gov
PDMP Register Websi: https://georgia.pmpaware.net/
User Account Manu: https://dph.georgia.gov/media/73041/download
PDMP Query Websi: https://georgia.pmpaware.net/
PDMP Data Upload Websi: https://pmpclearinghouse.net/
Statute/Regulation Websi: https://rules.sos.state.ga.us/gac/511-7-2?urlRedirected=yes&data=admin&lookingfor=511-7-2
Opioid Guidelines Websi
Integration Guidanc: https://dph.georgia.gov/pdmp/pdmp-integration
Opioid Dashboard Websi: https://oasis.state.ga.us/gis/TrendableMaps/agsDrugODTrend.aspx
Training Websit: https://bamboohealth.wistia.com/medias/5iloagod63
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Training Websit: https://bamboohealth.wistia.com/medias/5iloagod63
### State Population and Number of Registrants

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<th>DEA Prescriber total:</th>
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<td>52,357</td>
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### Data Transmitter(s)
- Dispensing Practitioner
- Pharmacy (Mail Order In-State)
- Pharmacy (Other Out of State)
- Pharmacy (In-State)
- Pharmacy (Mail Order Out of State)

### Substances Monitored
- Drugs of Concern
- Schedules II - V

### Alternate Data Sources

### Available Reports
- Dispenser Reports to Law Enforcement
- Licensee Reports to Licensing Board
- MME Calculations
- Multiple Provider Episode Reports
- Patient Query Lists to Dispensers
- Patient Query Lists to Prescribers
- Patient Reports to Dispensers
- Patient Reports to Law Enforcement
- Patient Reports to Licensing Boards
- Patient Reports to Prescribers
- PDMP Evaluation Reports
- Prescriber Reports to Law Enforcement
- Prescription Drug Combinations
- Registrant Reports to Prescribers
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| ✓ # of Dosage Units Dispensed |
| ✓ # of Dosage Units Dispensed by CS Schedule |
| ✓ # of Dosage Units Dispensed by Drug Class |
| ✓ Statistics Filtered by Gender Identification |
| ✓ Statistics Filtered by Geographic Location |
| ✓ # of Prescribers Enrolled in PDMP by License Type |
| ✓ # of Dispensers Enrolled in PDMP by License Type |
| □ # of Prescribers Enrolled in PDMP by Specialty |
| □ # of Unique Prescribers |
| ✓ # of In-State Queries |
| ✓ # of In-State Queries by Requestor Type |
| ✓ # of Interstate Queries |
| ✓ # of Interstate Queries by Requestor Type |
| ✓ # of Positive Matches from Interstate Queries |
| ✓ # of Solicited Statistical Reports by Requestor Type |
| □ # of Unsolicited Statistical Reports by Recipient Type |
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| □ # of Unique Recipients by Recipient Type (unsol. rep) |

- % Out-of-State Patient: <5%
- % Out-of-State Prescribe: <5%

Data Analysis Resources Available:
Data Analyst; Epidemiologist;
Authorized PDMP Users

Dispenser Delegates - Licensed/Solicited In-State
Dispenser Delegates - Unlicensed/Solicited In-State
Dispensers - Pharmacies/Solicited In-State
Dispensers - Pharmacists/Solicited In-State
Law Enforcement - Federal/Solicited In-State
Law Enforcement - Federal/Unsolicited In-State
Law Enforcement - Local/Solicited In-State
Law Enforcement - Local/Unsolicited In-State
Law Enforcement - State/Solicited In-State
Law Enforcement - State/Unsolicited In-State
Medicaid Drug Utilization and Review/Solicited In-State
Medicaid Fraud and Abuse/Solicited In-State
Medical Residents/Solicited In-State
Nurse Practitioners/Solicited In-State
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Prosecutors/Solicited In-State
Prosecutors/Unsolicited In-State
Regulatory and Licensing Boards/Solicited In-State
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State Health Departments/Solicited In-State
Telemedicine Prescribers/Solicited In-State
Engaged PDMP Users

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## Budget

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## Funding Source(s)

- CDC Grant
- State General Fund

## Technologies

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<th>Data Collection Entity:</th>
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## Patient Matching

- ☐ Referential Matching
- ☐ Deterministic Matching
- ✅ Manual Matching
- ☐ Other Matching

☐ Access to patient matching algorithms

Patient Matching Metrics Available: True positive matches, True negative matches

Patient matching data elements:

## Integration(s) Available

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Enabling legislation enacted: 2011
PDMP operational: 2013
User access date (any method): 2013
User electronic access date: 2013
Date received electronic data: 2013
Interstate sharing start date:
Law/Statute citation: GA Code §§16-13-57 to -65
Regulation/Rule citation: Dr Shopper law/statute: GA Code §16-13-43 (a) (6)
Pill Mill law/statute: Pain Clinic law/statute: Sec. 43-34-280 to -290; ADC 360-8-.01 to -.10
Unauthorized Use or Disclosure: GA Code §16-13-64
Enacted 42 CFR Part 2:
42 CFR Part 2 Details:
- ☑ Required Notification to consumers
- ☑ Mandated Use of Advisory Group
- ☑ Payment method captured
- ☑ Ability to id prescriber specialty
- ☑ Patient consent required before PDMP data release
- ☑ Ability for users to set thresholds for alert notices
- ☑ Ability for users to do user-led alert notices
- ☑ Mandatory E-Prescribing (EPCS)
- ☑ Compliance Process for Enrollment Mandates
- ☑ Compliance Process for Query Mandate
- ☑ ICD-10 Codes Collected
- ☑ Deceased Patient Field
- ☑ Engaged in Academic Detailing
- ☑ Patient ID Required to be Presented to Dispense
- ☑ Data Retention Policy
- ☑ Data Retention Time: 5 years
- ☑ All Information Purged
- ☑ Patient Information Purged
- ☑ Prescriber Information Purged
- ☑ Dispenser Information Purged
- ☑ Drug Information Purged
- ☑ HIPAA Covered Entity
- ☑ Identifiable Data to State Health Dept
- ☑ Identifiable Data to local Health Dept
- ☑ Certified as CMS Specialized Registry
- ☑ Qualified PDMP with CMS
- ☑ PDMP Disaster Recovery Plan
- ☑ Ability to de-id data
- ☑ Authority to release de-id data

De-identified data sharing conditions:
De-Identified Data Retention Details:
- ☑ Retain De-Identified Data
Record Retention Details:
- ☑ Patient Notification of Breach
- ☑ Written Notification of Breach

Patient Breach Notification Method:
- ☑ Patient Breach Notification Method Oth
- ☑ E-prescribing required substan
- ☑ E-prescribing exemptions/waive

Authority to enforce PDMP mandate Regulatory/Licensing Board
Enrollment and Accounts

☐ Supervisor Review/audit of Delegate Account  Number of Delegates allowed: 2
☐ Auto Enroll with License Renewal or App

Enrollment Method:
Practitioner IDs for PDMP Account:

DEA controlled substance registration number; Licensing Board number; National Provider Identifier;

2 Factor Authentication:

2 factor authentication not offered

Criteria for Dispensers to get account to upload data:
Criteria for Prescriber delegates to get account:
Criteria for Dispenser delegates to get account:
Criteria for PAs to get account:
Criteria for Nurse Practitioners to get account:
Criteria for other users to get account:
Requirements for Patients to get PDMP Report:
Requirements for others to get PDMP Report:
Criteria for Online Non-healthcare accounts:

Data for Epidemiological Purposes: Authority to Release

☐ Law Enforcement On-line access to PDMP  ☑ Law Enforcement Written Request access to PDMP

Law Enforcement Access Method:

PDMP has established an email address for law enforcement PDMP inquiries

Law Enforcement Access Requirements: Court Order/Approval

Subpoena

☐ PDMP users validated with DEA Registration File
☐ PDMP Access without DEA Number

☐ PDMP users validated with NPI File

Validation Process for users without DEA #:

☐ PDMP users validated with State Licensing Board
Enrollment Mandates

Prescriber - Mandatory PDMP Enrollment

Effective Date(s): July 13, 2014
Details:
Requires each physician owning or practicing in a pain management clinic to register with the PMP; all prescribers with a DEA registration number enroll in the PDMP no later than January 1, 2018 or within 30 days of attaining DEA registration if such regi

Use Mandates

Prescriber - Mandatory PDMP Use

Effective Date(s): July 13, 2014
Details:
Requires each physician owning or practicing in a pain management clinic to regularly check the PMP on all new and existing patients. Required to check when first prescribing a controlled substance or benzodiazepines and thereafter once every 90 days wit
Training on Enrollment and Use

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**PDMP Queries**

☐ Ability to search for multiple patients in one query
☐ Maximum number of patients in one query

**Patient Query Date Ran:** 2 years

**Other Query Date Range:**

Minimum data elements to query for healthcare user:
Query by partial data elements by healthcare user:
Optional data elements to query by healthcare user:
Minimum data elements to query for non-healthcare user:
Query by partial data elements by non-healthcare user:
Optional data elements to query by non-healthcare user:

**Unsolicited Reports/Push Notifications**

**Frequency unsolicited alerts/reports generated:**

**Delivery method for unsolicited alerts/reports:** Report sent via email

**Delivery method for unsolicited alerts/reports - LE:**

**Delivery method for unsolicited alerts/reports - Boards:**

☐ Unsolicited alerts/reports to practitioners not enrolled in PDMP
Veterinary Policies

Data transmission frequency for Veterinarians: **Daily**

Criteria for veterinarian queries:

- Veterinarian access to owner's prescription history
- Veterinary Icon on PDMP Report

Reporting Specifications

- Reporting Method:
- Reporting Specifications:
- Data Fields:
- Reporting Description:

Reporting Mandate Compliance

- Reporting Compliance Details:
- Reporting Mandate Actions:
- Reporting Issues:
- Reporting Misc Information:

Enrollment Mandate Compliance

- Enrollment Description:
- Enrollment Mandate Compliance Details:
- Enrollment Mandate Criteria:

Query Mandate Compliance

- Query Description: Veterinarians are not permitted by statute/rule/policy to query
- Query Mandate Compliance Details:
- Query Mandate Criteria:
PDMP Effectiveness Measures

Substance Use Disorder Activities

Tools or Resources
- MAT Services
- MOUD Services
- Harm Reduction Strategies
- Mental Health Assistance Services
- Employee Assistance Programs
- Housing Assistance Programs
- Re-Entry Programs

Other:

Surveillance Activities
- Emergency Department Data

Data Sources for Surveillance Activities:
- Medical Examiner/Coroner Data

Initiated Actions
- Resources to Affected Areas
- Directed Training on Prescribing
- Prescription Drug Tool Kits
- Risk Evaluation/Analysis on PDMP Reports
- Referrals to SUD Organizations
- Referrals to OFR Teams
- Prevent disruption of patient services