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# Transfer of the PMP Program Texas State Board of Pharmacy

November 2015

RFP for the new PMP issued by TSBP.

February-May 2016

System installation at TSBP.

September 1, 2016

NEW PMP goes live.

January 2016

Appriss (now Bamboo Health) selected as the vendor.

May/June 2016

Testing of the program.





### PMP Staff

PMP Manager Three PMP Specialists Two Research Analysts One Research Specialist





# Official Prescription Form for Schedule II Drugs



#### **Increased Security For Online Orders**

Required validations prior to processing order

#### Added Security Features September 2018

Watermark added to paper and thermochromic ink (RX) added to front

Eliminated previous versions of Official Prescription Form

Effective June 2019

E-prescribing required for Controlled Substances

Effective January 2021



#### PMP LOOKUP MANDATE

Effective March 2020 requirement to access PMP before prescribing or dispensing opioids, benzodiazepines, barbiturates, or carisoprodol

Exceptions: patient in hospice care, diagnosis of cancer or sickle cell - noted on prescription, and documented attempt to access system



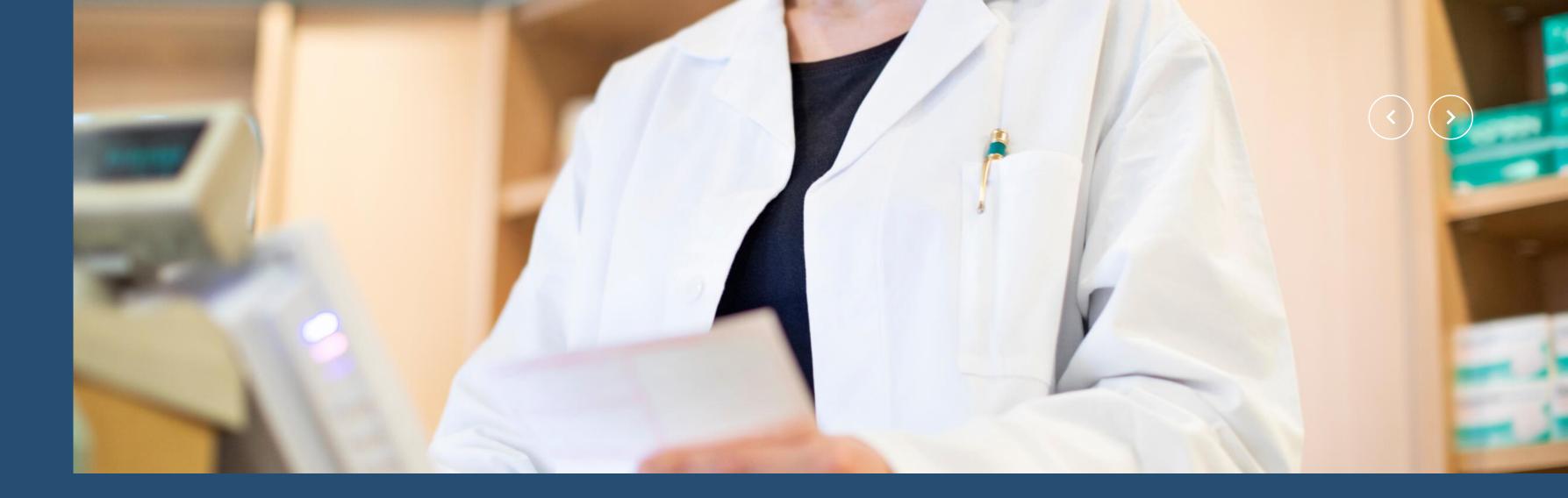
Physician (MD, DO)	58,989
Pharmacist	35,235
Nurse Practitioner / Clinical Nurse Specia	20,902
Prescriber Delegate - Unlicensed	19,597
Dentist	14,244
Pharmacist's Delegate - Licensed	8,941
Physician Assistant	8,555
Medical Resident with Prescriptive Auth	2,643
Prescriber without DEA	2,021
Veterinarian	1,580
Optometrist	1,140
Podiatrist (DPM)	938
Medical Examiner/Coroner	58
Board of Medicine Investigator	44
Board of Pharmacy Investigator	33
Board of Nursing Investigator	8
Board of Veterinarians Investigator	7
Board of Podiatry Investigator	4
Board of Dentistry Investigator	2
Prescriber Delegate - Licensed	1
Pharmacist's Delegate - Unlicensed	1
Board of Optometry Investigator	1



# 174,944

Total Registered Users as of June 2022





4,597,339

June 2022 PMP AWAREXE Searches



2,747,436

March 2020 PMP AWARxE Searches

• Up from 1,574,767 in February 2020

414,041

Septmber 2017 PMP AWARXE Searches



17,273,852

June 2022 PMP Searches In an Integrated System All Time High and One Year After Mandate Implemented

11,883,390

March 2020 Lookup Mandate
PMP Searches in an Integrated System

• Up from 9,590,409 in February 2020

326,702

Septmber 2017 PMP Searches in an Integrateted System

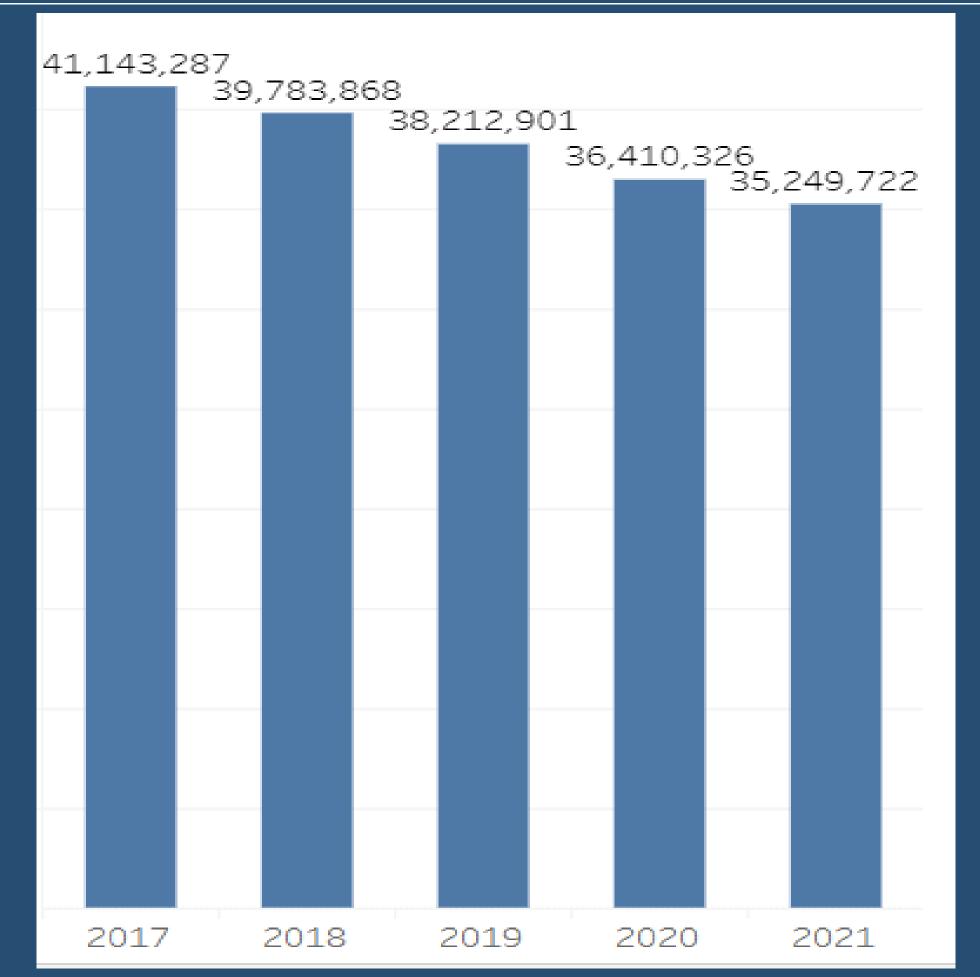


#### TX PMP Dispensation Count By Fiscal Year

## Controlled Substance Dispensations

- Effective September 2017, pharmacies are required to submit dispensation data no later than the next business day after filled date
- Wholesalers required to report Required to report sales of all Controlled Substances
  - Provide TSBP investigators reports





### AWARXE Database

# Provider Tools

NarxCare added July 2019, however removed September 2021 due to loss of funding

Integration through EHR/Pharmacy Mgmt System September 2021 loss of funding for paid integration

#### **Clinical Alerts**

Alert Threshold of 5 prescribers and 3 pharmacies effective June 1, 2020.

(previously 5 prescriptions, dispensed at 3 pharmacies, issued by 5 prescribers)

#### Prescriber Delegate Oversight

Organization Management allows physicians to verify and monitor

controlled substance prescriptions issued by their Mid-Level delegates with prescriptive authority which they supervise.



Alabama

New Mexico

Arizona

New York

Arkansas

North Carolina

Colorado

North Dakota

Connecticut

Ohio

Delaware

Oklahoma

District of

Columbia

Oregon

Georgia

Pennsylvania

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Tennessee

Kansas

Virginia

Louisiana

Washington

Wyoming

Maine

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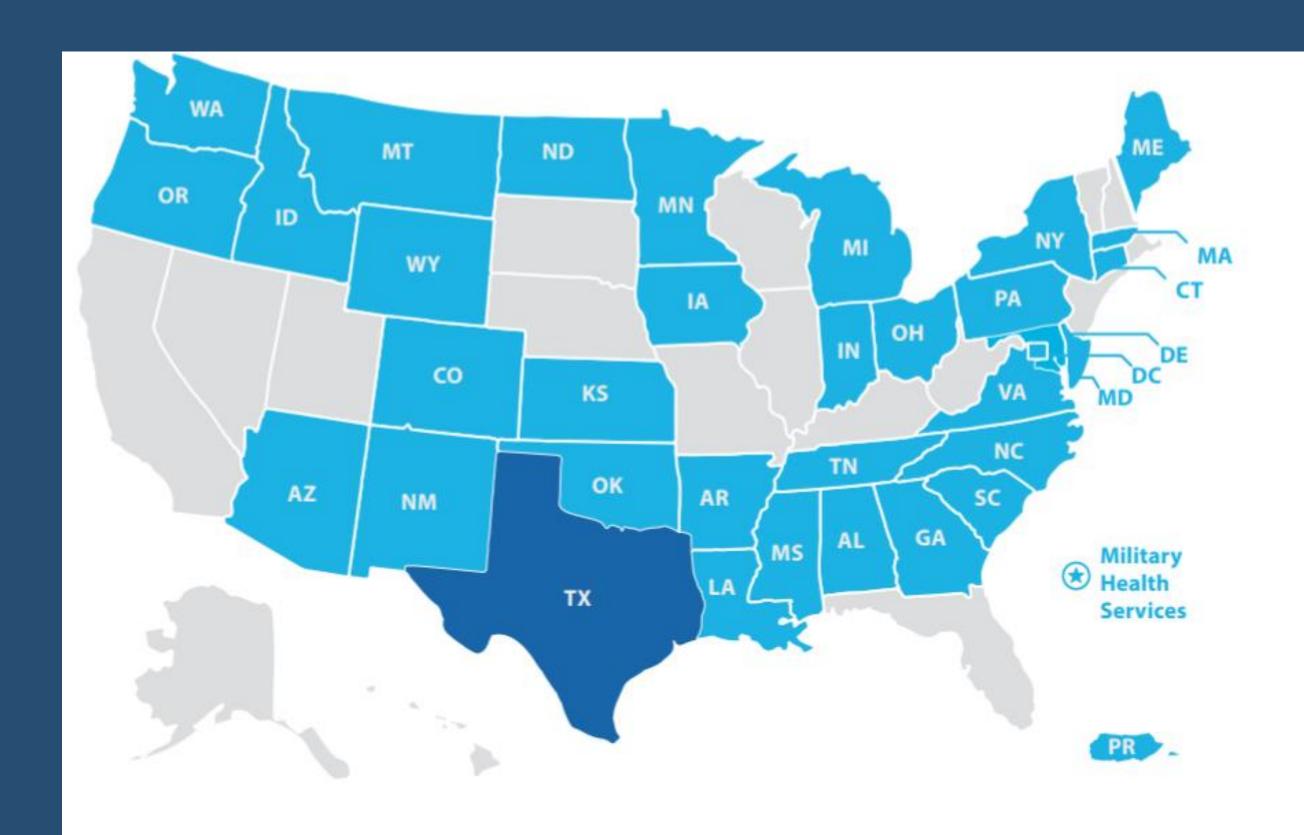
Maryland

Massachusetts

Michigan

#### PMP Partner States





# PMP Monitoring and Compliance



Pharmacist Lookup Mandate Audits

**Pharmacy Delinquent Reporting** 

Out Of State CII Prescription Violations

PMP Data Inaccuracies

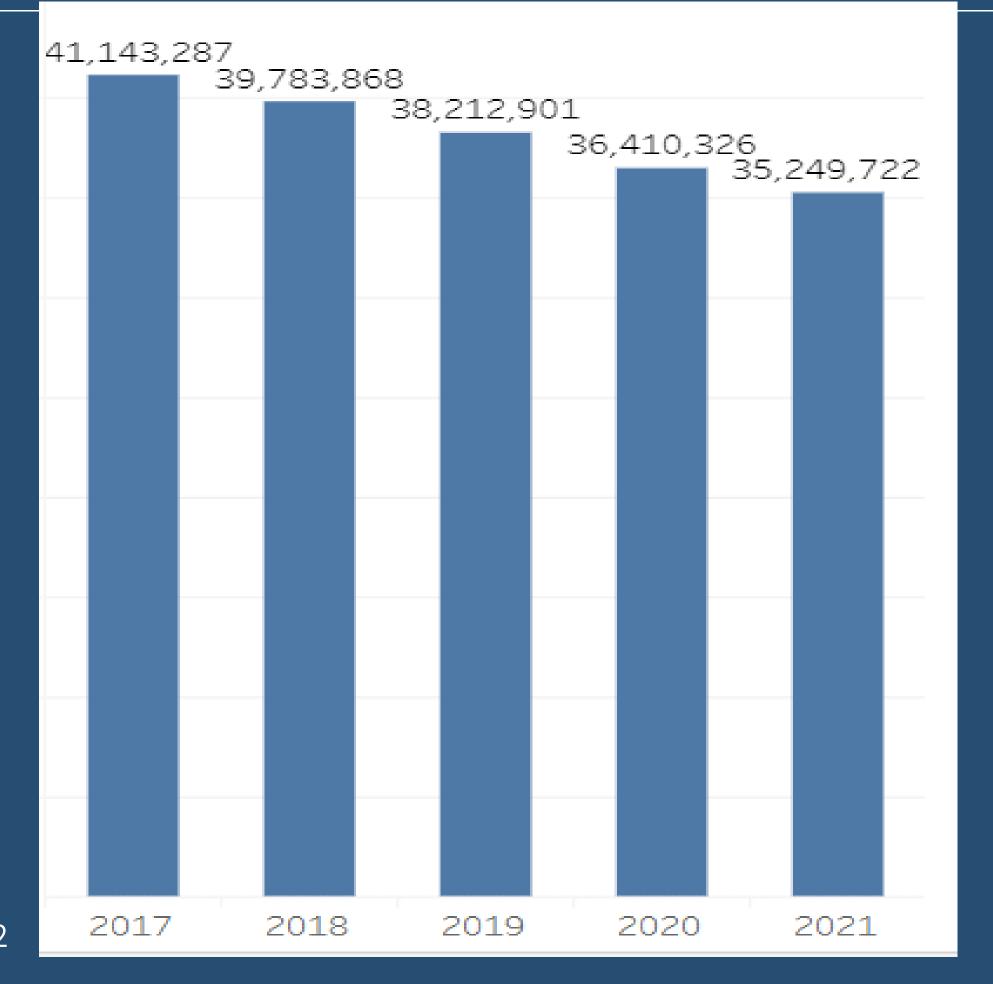
Verifying of AWARXE User Accounts



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# PMP Data Accuracy Improvement

- Delinquent Pharmacies
- Unauthorized Pharmacies Dispensing Out of State
   CII Prescriptions
- Pharmacies using wrong DEA (institutional)





### Texas PMP Data Review



⊠Patient Name, DOB, Address	THOUGH
□Rx Number	
☐The date issued must be prior to date filled	
□NDC Code	
□ Quantity	
□ Practitioner's DEA registration number	
$\square$ Prescriber DEA Suffix column should include numbers/letters for entries that have the word "hospital" or	"university" in the Prescriber
Last Name Column	
$\Box$ Pharmacy analysis shows pharmacy is reporting controlled substance (c/s) dispensations to the PMP as re	equired.
If not checked:	
□Pharmacy dispenses schedule II drugs? If Yes:	
☐ For Paper/ Phone_fax — All control numbers listed.	
*Look for prescriptions issued prior to 09/01/2018 (Control Number starts with 18243 or less), if any list prescriptions out of compliance).	ed, the pharmacy is filling old
☐ For Electronic – All Electronic Reference Numbers	
☐ Paper and electronic: Prescriber's state is TX unless pharmacy has OOS CII plan or licensed Non-Reside	ent (Not Located in Texas).
□Pharmacy has no AWARxE Rx Maintenance errors over 7 days old	
□TWDD (Texas Wholesaler Distributor database) confirms that there are records for the pharmacy (Arcos Re	ecords, select
Associate_Registrant_Number, enter DEA number).	

# PMP Data Reporting Violations

- Pharmacy Outreach
  - Pharmacist in Charge education and compliance
  - Resolving Delinquencies
    - Auto email notification
  - Zero Reporting
  - Reporting Waiver
  - Out of State CII Plan





### Enforcement

#### Texas Administrative Code Rule §315.6 Pharmacy Responsibility - Electronic Reporting

\*A pharmacy must electronically correct dispensing data submitted to the board within seven business days of identifying an omission, error, or inaccuracy in previously submitted dispensing data.



## Control Substances.

In one year, over 1,000 Texans died from prescription drug overdose. Prescribers or their delegates will soon be required to use the **Texas Prescription Monitoring Program** to review every patient's prescription history before prescribing opioids, benzodiazepines, barbiturates, or carisoprodol.

Help end this crisis.

Sign on before you sign off.







PMP provides educational presentions about the PMP and it's use.

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission and the Texas State Board of Pharmacy have partnered with the UT Austin Center for Health Communication to promote prescribers' use of the Texas Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP), with the ultimate goal of preventing prescription drug misuse and overdose.

For additional resources and information about the Texas PMP, please visit:

txpmp.org.