Connecticut

PDMP acronym: CT Prescription Monitoring and Reporting System
Agency Responsible: Department of Consumer Protection, Drug Control Division
Agency Type: Consumer Protection Agency

PDMP Web Resources/Links

PDMP Website: https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/Prescription-Monitoring-Program/Prescription-Monitoring-Program
PDMP Email: dcp.pmp@ct.gov
PDMP Register Website: https://connecticut.pmpaware.net
PDMP Query Website: https://connecticut.pmpaware.net
PDMP Data Upload Website: https://pmpclearinghouse.net
Opioid Guidelines Website: https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/Drug-Control-Division/Drug-Control/Opioid-Guidelines
PDMP FAQs: https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/Prescription-Monitoring-Program/Frequently-Asked-Questions
Integration Guidance: https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/Drug-Control-Division/Prescription-Monitoring-Program/CPMRS-Integration
PDMP Statistics Website: https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/Prescription-Monitoring-Program/CTPMP-Statistics
Opioid Dashboard Website: https://data.ct.gov/browse?category=Health+and+Human+Services
Training Website:

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## Data Transmitter(s)

- Correctional Facility Pharmacy
- Dispensing Practitioner
- Dispensing Veterinarians
- Long Term Care Facility Pharmacy
- Pharmacy (In-State)
- Pharmacy (Mail Order In-State)
- Pharmacy (Mail Order Out of State)
- Pharmacy (Other Out of State)

## Substances Monitored

- Drugs of Concern
- Schedules II - V

## Alternate Data Sources

- ARCOS Reports
- Medical Marijuana Dispensations
- Naloxone/Narcan Dispensations
- Pharmaceutical Manufacturers/Distributors

## Available Reports

- Annual PDMP Reports
- Clinical Alerts
- Data Dashboards
- Dispenser Reports to Law Enforcement
- Drug Trend Reports
- Geomapping of Prescription Data
- MME Calculations
- Multiple Provider Episode Reports
- Patient Query Lists to Law Enforcement
- Patient Reports to Dispensers
- Patient Reports to Law Enforcement
- Patient Reports to Prescribers
- Patient Reports with Summary Data
- PDMP Evaluation Reports
- Peer Comparison Reports
- Prescriber Report Cards
- Prescription Drug Combinations
- Prescriber Reports to Law Enforcement
- Registrant Reports to Dispensers
- Registrant Reports with Summary Data
- Risk Scores
- Statewide Statistics
- Patient Reports to Prescribers
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- Risk Scores
- Statewide Statistics
Statistics Filtered by Geographic Location
Statistics Filtered by Gender Identification
Statistics Filtered by Ethnicity or Race
Statistics Filtered by Age or Age Range

- # of Authorized PDMP Users Enrolled
- # of Registrants in SDTC
- # of Registrants in SDTC by Practice/License Type

- # of Data Errors by Error Type
- # of Data Errors Corrected
- # of At-Risk Patients by Risk Factor
- Risk Factor Statistics by Time Frame

- # of Solicited Prescriber Reports
- # of Solicited Prescriber Reports by Requestor Type
- # of Unsolicited Prescriber Reports
- # of Unsolicited Prescriber Reports by Recipient Type
- # of Solicited Dispenser Reports
- # of Solicited Dispenser Reports by Requestor Type
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- # of Solicited Patient Reports
- # of Solicited Patient Reports by Requestor Type
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- # of Dosage Units Dispensed
- # of Dosage Units Dispensed by Drug Class
- # of Dosage Units Dispensed by CS Schedule
- 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
- # of Unique Requestors for Solicited Reports
- # of Unique Requestors by Requestor Type (sol. reports)
- # of Unique Requestors for Unsolicited Reports
- # of Unique Recipients by Recipient Type (unsol. reports)

% Out-of-State Patients:
% Out-of-State Prescribers:

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

Dispenser Delegates - Licensed/Solicited In-State
Dispenser Delegates - Unlicensed/Solicited In-State
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Medicaid Fraud and Abuse/Solicited In-State
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Prescribers/Solicited In-State
Prescribers/Solicited Out-of-State
Prescribers/Unsolicited In-State
Regulatory and Licensing Boards/Solicited In-State
State Health Departments/Solicited In-State
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Engaged PDMP Users

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## Budget

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## Funding Source(s)

- BJA Grant
- CDC Grant
- State General Fund

## Technologies

- Data Collection Entity: Vendor
- Data Collection Vendor name: Bamboo Health
- Data Storage Entity: Vendor
- Data Storage Vendor name: Bamboo Health
- Report Generation Entity: Vendor
- Report Generation Vendor name: Bamboo Health
- Data Access Method: Web Portal/On-Line
- Data Access Entity: Vendor
- Data Access Vendor name: Bamboo Health

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## Patient Matching

- Referential Matching
- Deterministic Matching
- Manual Matching
- Probablistic Matching
- Probablistic and Manual Matching

- Access to patient matching algorithms
- True positive matches, False positive matches
- Patient last name, Patient first name, Patient address, Patient date of birth

## Integration(s) Available

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### Interstate Data Sharing Partner(s)

- Alabama PMPi Hub
- Alaska PMPi Hub
- Arizona PMPi Hub
- Arkansas PMPi Hub
- Colorado PMPi Hub
- Delaware PMPi Hub
- District of Columbia PMPi Hub
- Florida PMPi Hub
- Idaho PMPi Hub
- Illinois PMPi Hub
- Illinois RxCheck Hub
- Indiana PMPi Hub
- Iowa PMPi Hub
- Kansas PMPi Hub
- Louisiana PMPi Hub
- Maine PMPi Hub
- Maryland PMPi Hub
- Massachusetts PMPi Hub
- Michigan PMPi Hub
- Minnesota PMPi Hub
- Montana PMPi Hub
- Nebraska RxCheck Hub
- Nevada PMPi Hub
- New Hampshire PMPi Hub
- New Jersey PMPi Hub
- New Jersey RxCheck Hub
- New Mexico PMPi Hub
- New York PMPi Hub
- North Carolina PMPi Hub
- North Dakota PMPi Hub
- Ohio PMPi Hub
- Oklahoma PMPi Hub
- Pennsylvania PMPi Hub
- Pennsylvania RxCheck Hub
- Puerto Rico PMPi Hub
- Rhode Island PMPi Hub
- South Carolina PMPi Hub
- South Dakota PMPi Hub
- Texas PMPi Hub
- Utah RxCheck Hub
- Vermont PMPi Hub
- Virginia PMPi Hub
- Washington PMPi Hub
- Washington RxCheck Hub
- West Virginia PMPi Hub
- Wyoming PMPi Hub
PDMP Policies

Enabling legislation enacted: 2006
PDMP operational: 2008
User access date (any method): 
User electronic access date: 
Date received electronic data: 2008
Interstate sharing start date: 2012
Law/Statute citation: CT Gen Statute §§21a-254; 21a-254a; 21a-265; 21a-274; 20-578; 20-626
Regulation/Rule citation: CT Agency Regs §§21a-254-2 to -7
Dr Shopper law/statute: CT Gen Statute §21a-266(h)

Pill Mill law/statute:
Pain Clinic law/statute:
Unauthorized Use or Disclosure:
Enacted 42 CFR Part 2: Enacted
42 CFR Part 2 Details: In development early stages.

☑ 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 Dispenser
☐ 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
Patient Breach Notification Method:
Patient Breach Notification Method Other:
E-prescribing required substances:
E-prescribing exemptions/waivers:
Authority to enforce PDMP mandates: PDMP

☑ 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
☑ PDMP Disaster Recovery Plan

ID Types Reported:
☐ Written Notification of Breach
Supervisor Review/audit of Delegate Accounts  Number of Delegates allows:  
Auto Enroll with License Renewal or App

Enrollment Method:

Practitioner IDs for PDMP Account:
• DEA controlled substance registration number; National Provider Identifier; State controlled substance registration number

2 Factor Authentication:
Required to use 2 factor authentication

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:
PDMP 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:

Law Enforcement Access Requirements:  Court Order/Approval

PDMP users validated with DEA Registration File
PDMP users validated with NPI File
PDMP users validated with State Licensing Board File

PDMP Access without DEA Number
Validation Process for users without DEA #:
Enrollment Mandates

Prescriber - Mandatory PDMP Enrollment

Effective Date(s): June 21, 2013; 7-1-2022

Details:
Sec. 3. Section 21a-317 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective July 1, 2022):
Every practitioner who distributes, administers or dispenses any controlled substance or who proposes to engage in distributing, prescribing, administering or dispensing any controlled substance within this state shall (1) obtain a certificate of registration issued by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection in accordance with the provisions of this chapter, [and] (2) if the practitioner is engaged in prescribing a controlled substance, register for access to the electronic prescription drug monitoring program established pursuant to subsection (j) of section 21a-254[. Registration for access to said program shall be in a manner prescribed by said commissioner, and (3) if the practitioner is engaged in transporting a controlled substance for the purpose of treating a patient in a location that is different than the address that the practitioner provided to the Department of Consumer Protection as a registrant, as defined in section 21a-240, as amended by this act, notify the department, in a manner prescribed by the commissioner, of the intent to transport such controlled substance and, after dispensing such controlled substance, return any remaining amount of such controlled substance to a secure location at the address provided to the department. If the practitioner cannot return any remaining amount of such controlled substance to such address, the commissioner may approve an alternate location, provided such location is also approved by the federal Drug Enforcement Agency, or any successor agency. The practitioner shall report any dispensation by the practitioner of a controlled substance that occurs at a location other than the address provided to the department to the prescription drug monitoring program pursuant to subsection (j) of section 21a-254 upon returning to such address.

Use Mandates

Prescriber - Mandatory PDMP Use

Effective Date(s): October 1, 2015

Details:
Prior to prescribing greater than a 72-hour supply of any controlled substance to any patient; when prescribing a controlled substance, other than a Schedule V non-narcotic substance, for the continuous or prolonged treatment of any patient, shall query the PDMP not less than once every 90 days; when prescribing a Schedule V non-narcotic substance, shall query the PDMP at least annually. If the PDMP isn’t operational, may prescribe greater than a 72-hour supply during the time of the program’s inoperability, providing the practitioner or authorized agent reviews the PDMP for the patient not more than 24 hours after regaining access to the program.
Training on Enrollment and Use

Prescriber - Training Provided
In-person; online video; webinar

Law Enforcement - Training Provided
In-person; online video; webinar

Law Enforcement - Training Provided
In-person; online video; webinar

Dispenser - Training Provided
In-person; online video; webinar

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PDMP Queries

☐ Ability to search for multiple patients in one query

Patient Query Date Range: 3 years

Minimum data elements to query for healthcare user:
First Name, Last Name, Date of Birth

Query by partial data elements by healthcare user:
If the Partial Spelling feature is used, at least the first three characters of the first and last name.

Optional data elements to query by healthcare user:
street address, city, state, zip code

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:

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Unsolicited Reports/Push Notifications

Frequency unsolicited alerts/reports generated:

Delivery method for unsolicited alerts/reports: Notification 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:  
Weekly

Criteria for veterinarian queries:  
Animal's Name and Animal Owner's Last Name

 Veterinarian access to owner's prescription history

 Veterinarian Icon on PDMP Report

Reporting Specifications

Reporting Method:  
Web Portal

Data Fields:  
PAT07 - Last Name, PAT08 - Animal's First Name, PAT18 - Animal's Date of Birth, PAT19 - Animal's Gender, PAT20 - Species Code

Reporting Description:  
Veterinarians are required to report

 Reporting Mandate Compliance

Reporting Compliance Details:  
Compliance letters are issued.

Reporting Mandate Actions:

Reporting Issues:

Reporting Misc Information:

Enrollment Description:  
Veterinarians are required to enroll as data requesters with the PDMP, if they are dispensing controlled substances

Enrollment Mandate Compliance

Enrollment Mandate Compliance Details:  
Compliance letters.

Enrollment Mandate Criteria:  
As with any prescriber, if the veterinarian holds a CT Controlled Substance Practitioner (CSP) registration they are required to enroll in the PMP

Query Description:  
Veterinarians are required by statute/rule/policy to query

Query Mandate Compliance

Query Mandate Compliance Details:  
Compliance letters.

Query Mandate Criteria:  
Same as other prescribers.