Montana

PDMP acronym: MPDR
Agency Responsible: Montana Board of Pharmacy
Agency Type: Pharmacy Board
Website: https://boardsbsd.dli.mt.gov/pharmacy/mpdr/
Email: dlibsmpdr@mt.gov
Register Website: www.mpdr.mt.gov
Query Website: www.mpdr.mt.gov
Data Upload Website: www.mpdr.mt.gov
Statistics Website: www.MPDRInfo.mt.gov
Opioid Dashboard Website: www.mpdr.mt.gov
Training Website: www.MPDRInfo.mt.gov
Statute/Regulation Website: https://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca/title_0370/chapter_0070/part_0150/sections_intex.html;
Opioid Guidelines Website:

PDMP Contact Information

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State Population and Number of Registrants

| State population: 1,085,407 | DEA Prescriber total: 7,228 | DEA Dispenser total: 247 |
## Data Transmitter(s)

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## Substances Monitored

- Schedules II - V

## Alternate Data Sources

- Substance Use Disorder Treatment Options

## Available Reports

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Statistical Capabilities

- # of Prescription Filled
- # of Prescriptions Filled by CS Schedule
- # of Prescriptions Filled by Drug Class
- Statistics Filtered by Age or Age Range
- Statistics Filtered by Ethnicity or Race
- # 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
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- # of Solicited Patient Reports
- # of Solicited Patient Reports by Requestor Type
- # of Unsolicited Patient Reports
- # of Unsolicited Patient Reports by Recipient Type
- # 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 Requestor 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:
Authorized PDMP Users

Dispenser Delegates - Licensed/Solicited In-State
Dispenser Delegates - Licensed/Solicited Out-of-State
Dispensers - Pharmacists/Solicited In-State
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Law Enforcement - Federal/Solicited In-State
Law Enforcement - Local/Solicited In-State
Law Enforcement - State/Solicited In-State
Medicaid Drug Utilization and Review/Solicited In-State
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Medical Examiners and Coroners/Solicited In-State
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Prescribers/Solicited Out-of-State
Prescribers/Unsolicited In-State
Prosecutors/Solicited In-State
Regulatory and Licensing Boards/Solicited In-State
Researchers/Solicited In-State
State Health Departments/Solicited In-State
Engaged PDMP Users

Dispenser Delegates - Licensed/Solicited In-State
Dispenser Delegates - Licensed/Solicited Out-of-State
Dispensers - Pharmacists/Solicited In-State
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Budget

Total Annual Budget: $350,000.00

PDMP Staff: 1

# of Employees - Operational: 1

# of Employees - Technical: 0

# of Employees - Analytical: 0

Funding Source(s)

Licensing Fee

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

- State HIE in place
- RxCheck Integration Allowed
- VHA VISTA integration
- HL7 FHIR connectivity
- ASAP Version Utilized: 4.2A

Patient Matching

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

Access to patient matching algorithms

Patient Matching Metrics Available:

Patient matching data elements:

Integration(s) Available

Integration Type % Providers Hub Used Paid by Fed Gov't Paid by State Gov't Paid by Facility Paid by Provider

EHR Integration Unknown PMPI

- Data Downloaded/Stored
- Data Incorporated with Interstate Data

Integration Standards:

- Multistate Integrations Allowed

PDS Integration Unknown PMPI

- Data Downloaded/Stored
- Data Incorporated with Interstate Data

Integration Standards:

- Multistate Integrations Allowed
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- 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
- Patient ID Required to be Presented to Dispenser
- Ability to de-id data
- Authority to release de-id data

**Data Retention Policy**

- Data Retention Time: 3 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

**Record Retention Details:**

- We keep data for 3 years from the date it was reported to us, not the date it was dispensed. This means that, since we began collecting data in March, 2012, we will not begin purging until March, 2015, even though the data goes back to 2011 dis

**Patient Notification of Breach**

**Written 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:**

- c) Authority to enforce MPDR mandates will be managed through the State’s professional licensing complaint process
Enrollment and Accounts

☑️ Supervisor Review/audit of Delegate Accounts  Number of Delegates allows:  Not limited
☐ Auto Enroll with License Renewal or App

Enrollment Method:

1. If user is a Montana-licensed prescriber or pharmacist, they complete an online, fully automated registration process.  
2. If user is an agency employee (VA, IHS, etc.) who is not licensed in Montana, they submit a paper application to MPDR staff.  

Practitioner IDs for PDMP Account:
DEA controlled substance registration number; Licensing Board number; National Provider Identifier;

2 Factor Authentication:
Required to use 2 factor authentication

Criteria for Dispensers to get account to upload data
Complete online registration; enter security code upon 1st login.

Criteria for Prescriber delegates to get account:
Supervising Provider must complete online training and establish online relationship with authorized agent (Delegate). 
Delegate must complete online training and login using Delegate ID created when registered by Supervising Provider; agree to Terms of U

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Criteria for PAs to get account:
Complete online training; complete online registration & attestations; enter security code upon 1st login.

Criteria for Nurse Practitioners to get account:
Complete online training; complete online registration & attestations; enter security code upon 1st login. License must have prescriptive authority endorsement.

Criteria for other users to get account:
Any individual may submit a notarized request form to MPDR staff in order to obtain a copy of their own MPDR prescription history.

Requirements for Patients to get PDMP Report:
Any individual may submit a notarized request form to MPDR staff in order to obtain a copy of their own MPDR prescription history.

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:
Subpoena
Enrollment Mandates

Dispenser - Mandatory PDMP Enrollment
Prescriber - Mandatory PDMP Enrollment

Effective Date(s): 1-2019

Details:
Each person licensed under Title 37 to prescribe or dispense prescription drugs

Use Mandates

Prescriber - Mandatory PDMP Use

Effective Date(s): 7-1-2021

Details:
A prescriber or agent of a prescriber is required to query the PDMP before the prescriber issues a prescription for an opioid or a benzodiazepine for a patient unless: (1) the patient is receiving hospice care; (2) the prescription is for a number of doses that is intended to last the patient seven days or less and cannot be refilled; (3) the prescription drug is lawfully administered to a patient in a health care facility; (4) due to an emergency, it is not possible to review the patient’s records in the PDMP before the prescriber issues the prescription for the patient; (5) the patient is being treated for chronic pain and the prescriber reviews the patient’s records under the PDMP every three months; or (6) it is not possible to review the patient’s records because the PDMP is not operational or because of other technological failure if the failure is reported to the board.
### 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: 1
  - Other Query Date Range:
- **Patient Query Date Range**: 3 years
- **Minimum data elements to query for healthcare user**: Date of birth
- **Query by partial data elements by healthcare user**: 1 or more characters may be entered in the last name and/or first name fields to trigger a partial name search
- **Optional data elements to query by healthcare user**: First name, last name, city, gender, time frame (6 months to 3 years of history)
- **Minimum data elements to query for non-healthcare user**: For patient histories: patient first and last name, date of birth. For prescribing histories: prescriber first and last name, DEA#
- **Query by partial data elements by non-healthcare user**: 1 or more characters may be entered in the last name and/or first name fields to trigger a partial name search
- **Optional data elements to query by non-healthcare user**: First name, last name, city, gender, time frame (6 months to 3 years of history)

### Unsolicited Reports/Push Notifications

- **Frequency unsolicited alerts/reports generated**: 
- **Delivery method for unsolicited alerts/reports**: 
- **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:
Criteria for veterinarian queries: Vets do not have access to the MPDR.

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

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

Reporting Compliance Details:
Reporting Mandate Actions:
Reporting Issues: Veterinarians don't report, but other pharmacies do report pet prescriptions.
Problems: Pharmacies do not use a consistent format for this information, many do not include owner's name or birthdate, and I believe some are using the prescribing Veterinar

Reporting Misc Information:
- Enrollment Mandate Compliance

Enrollment Description: Veterinarians are not required to report to the MPDR and are not allowed to access MPDR patient histories.

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
- Medical Examiner/Coroner Data

Data Sources for Surveillance Activities:

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

Other Actions: