

Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

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Important Notice for all Controlled Substance Licensees

Beginning January 1, 2018, Public Act 100-0564 requires all prescribers with an Illinois controlled substance license to enroll in the Illinois Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) through the Illinois Department of Human Services.

Prescribers are additionally required to attempt to check the PMP prior to writing an initial prescription for a Schedule II narcotics, such as opioids. That attempt must be documented in the patient's medical record.

The Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR) will work with prescribers to ensure education and compliance with the new mandate. Prescribers not in compliance may be subject to disciplinary action by IDFPR.

For more information and to enroll in the PMP, please visit <u>www.ilpmp.org</u>.

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