



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ★ DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION
DIVERSION CONTROL DIVISION

Multi-Factor Authentication added to the Registration Validation Toolset

Dear Registrant,

On February 21, 2024, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) implemented a new security feature when accessing the Registrant Validation Toolset available on the [Diversion Control Division website](#). This security feature is necessary for DEA to continue to keep our Registrants' Personally Identifiable Information (PII) safe and secure. At the same time, DEA is aware that the implementation of this security measure may present some challenges to the business operations of our Registrant community.

This security enhancement requires verification of the Registrant's identity through multi-factor authentication when accessing your registration, which also includes accessing the Registrant Validation Toolset. The verification is conducted using a token that will be sent to the email of record. This security feature requires you to keep the email address associated with your DEA registration up to date.

For users of the Registrant Validation Toolset within your organization who conduct verifications of other DEA Registrants but do not have access to your DEA Registration information, or cannot access the token when sent, they may be better served to request access to the Registrant Datasets Access (RDA) system to conduct verifications. Access requests may be made by email to DEA.CSARDA@dea.gov.

This added layer of security will help assure only those with proper credentials can access your Registrant information. For questions and inquiries, please call **1-800-882-9539** or email: DEA.Registration.Help@dea.gov.