Louisiana Prescription Monitoring Program

Practitioner Diversion Awareness Conference (PDAC)

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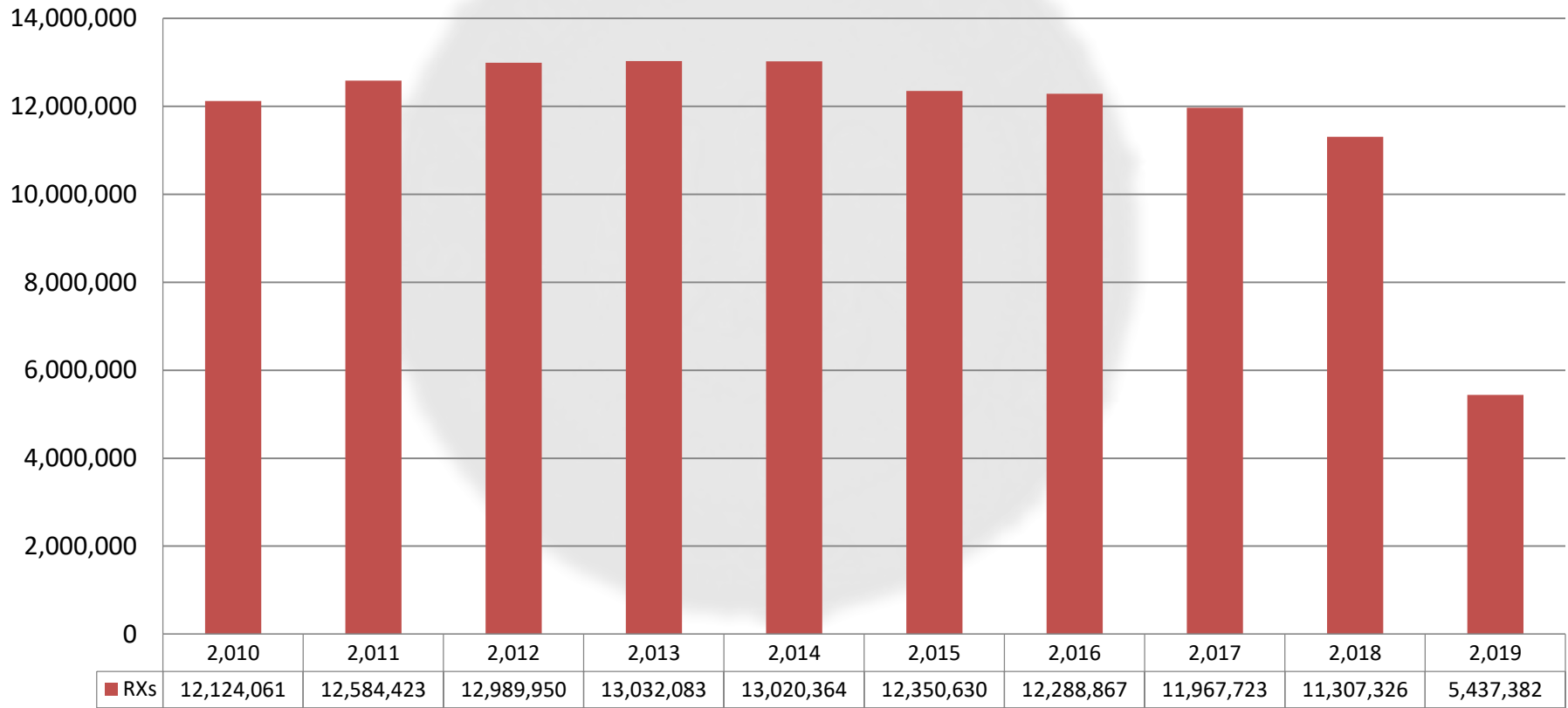- Practitioner Resources

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- Dispenser Reporting & Exclusions

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Historical Trends

- Total number of prescriptions finally trending just under one million per month.
- Opioid prescription count finally trending downward since 2015 – but look at stimulants.
- Number of prescribers and dispensers using the system continues to increase, now with 22,500 (74% of eligible clients).
- Number of queries per unit of time continues to increase, now averaging 45,000 per day.

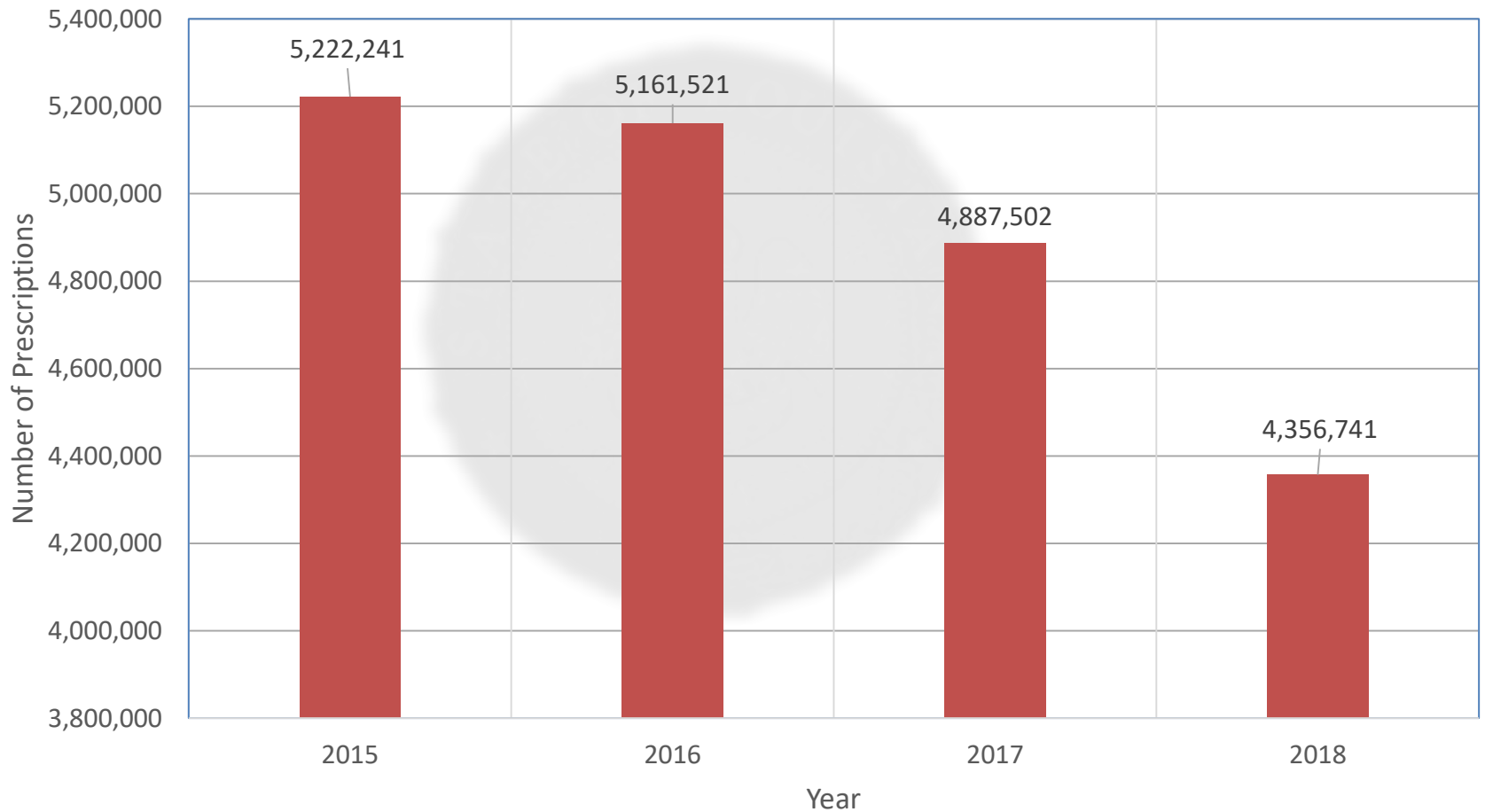# Number of Eligible Prescription Transactions Reported to the PMP

Total Reported: 134,277,579
(01/01/2008 through 06/30/2019)

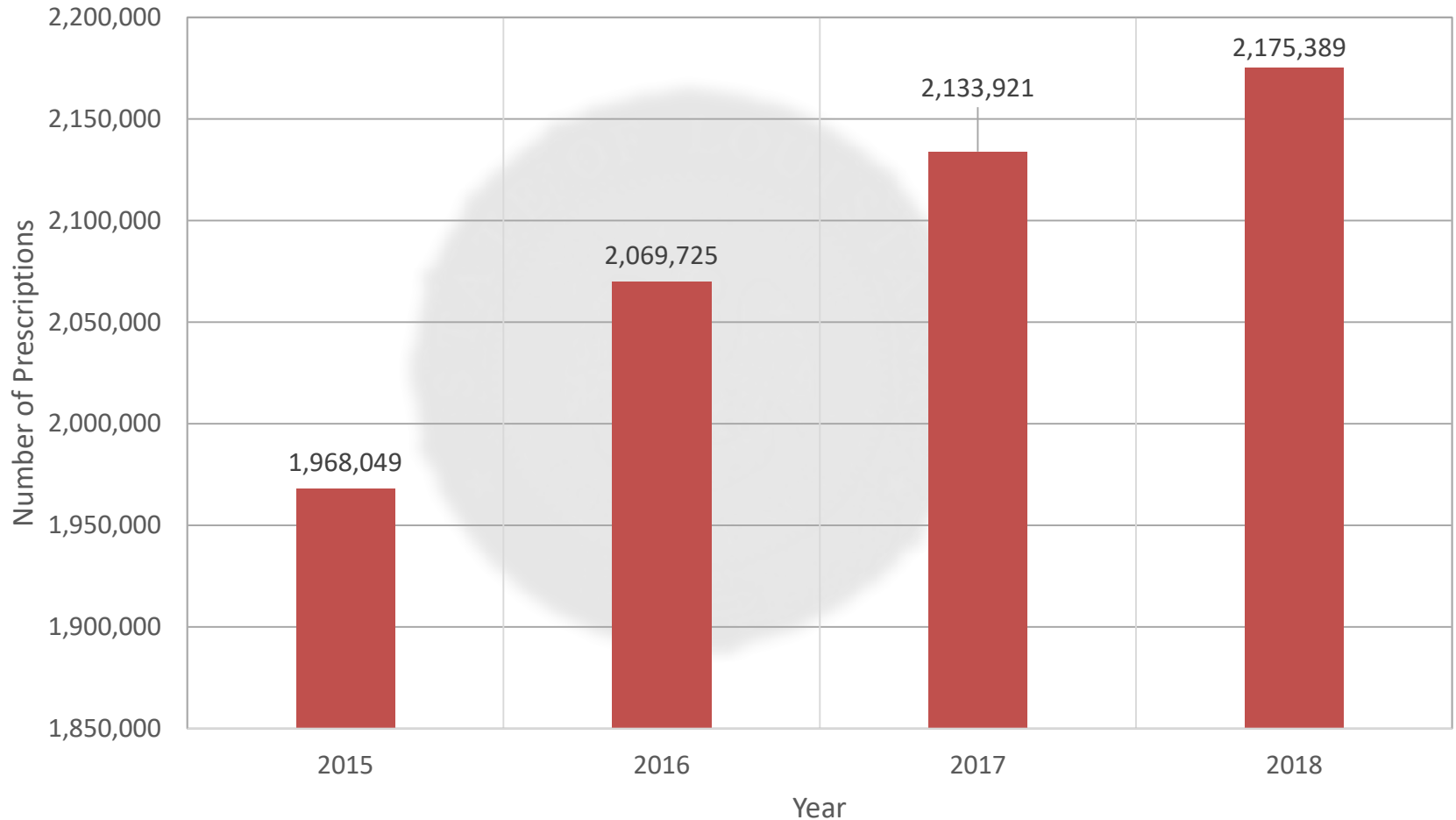|	2,010	2,011	2,012	2,013	2,014	2,015	2,016	2,017	2,018	2,019
■ RXs	12,124,061	12,584,423	12,989,950	13,032,083	13,020,364	12,350,630	12,288,867	11,967,723	11,307,326	5,437,382

Opioid Prescriptions*
Dispensed to Louisiana Residents
(*Prescription counts based on the following AHFS Drug Classes:
Opiate Agonist and Antitussives without DM products. Opiate Partial Agonist not included)

Stimulant Prescriptions*
Dispensed to Louisiana Residents
(*Prescription counts based on the following AHFS Drug Classes:
Amphetamines, Amphetamine Derivatives, and Respiratory & CNS Stimulants)

PMP User Stats for 2019Q2 (04/01/2019 - 06/30/2019)

PMP Role Title - Healthcare Provider	Number of Providers Eligible for PMP Access (as of 06/30/2019)	Number of Providers with PMP Active Access Privileges (as of 06/30/2019)	Number of PMP Requests by Providers through AWARxE™ During 2019Q2	Number of PMP Requests by Providers through GATEWAY™ During 2019Q2
Physician (MD, DO)	13,149	8,767	401,705	2,023,067
Nurse Practitioner (APRN)	3,435	2,675	94,087	317,520
Dentist (DDS)	2,224	1,531	6,249	657
Physician Assistant (PA)	928	688	30,021	34,675
Optometrist (OD)	360	154	7	0
Podiatrist (DPM)	163	111	520	0
Medical Psychologist (MP)	91	83	5,469	0
Medical Intern/Resident	1,047	1,029	2,790	0
Prescriber's Delegate	NA	2,368	204,522	NA
Pharmacist (PST)	9,255	4,246	522,828	364,003
Pharmacist's Delegate	NA	926	41,913	NA
Totals	30,652	22,578	1,310,111	2,739,922

PMP User Stats for 2019Q1 (01/01/2019 - 03/31/2019)

PMP Role Title - Healthcare Provider	Number of Providers Eligible for PMP Access (as of 03/31/2019)	Number of Providers with PMP Active Access Privileges (as of 03/31/2019)	Number of PMP Requests by Providers through AWARxE™ During 2019Q1	Number of PMP Requests by Providers through GATEWAY™ During 2019Q1
Physician (MD, DO)	13,047	8,748	373,300	1,483,241
Nurse Practitioner (APRN)	3,322	2,575	88,031	60,903
Dentist (DDS)	2,226	1,525	5,479	22
Physician Assistant (PA)	895	668	27,013	7,354
Optometrist (OD)	359	155	15	0
Podiatrist (DPM)	163	112	348	0
Medical Psychologist (MP)	91	81	4,708	0
Medical Intern/Resident	1,157	1,017	2,763	288
Prescriber's Delegate	NA	2,239	199,711	NA
Pharmacist (PST)	8,894	4,189	504,328	349,849
Pharmacist's Delegate	NA	854	38,361	NA
Totals	30,154	22,163	1,244,057	1,901,657

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PMP Interstate Data Sharing

As of October 1, 2019, the Louisiana PMP is sharing with 29 states and the U.S. Military Health System – Department of Defense

Alabama	Kansas	North Carolina
Alaska	Maine	North Dakota
Arizona	Massachusetts	Oklahoma
Arkansas	MHS-DOD	Pennsylvania
Connecticut	Michigan	South Carolina
Delaware	Minnesota	South Dakota
D.C.	Mississippi	Tennessee
Florida	Montana	Texas
Georgia	Nevada	Virginia
Idaho	New Mexico	West Virginia

Interstate Data Sharing, Louisiana User Requests to Other State PMPs, 2019.09

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Reports

Your state's search requests to another state and the type of response that was received.
Map colored by the number of search responses from the disclosing state. **Excludes Gateway requests.**

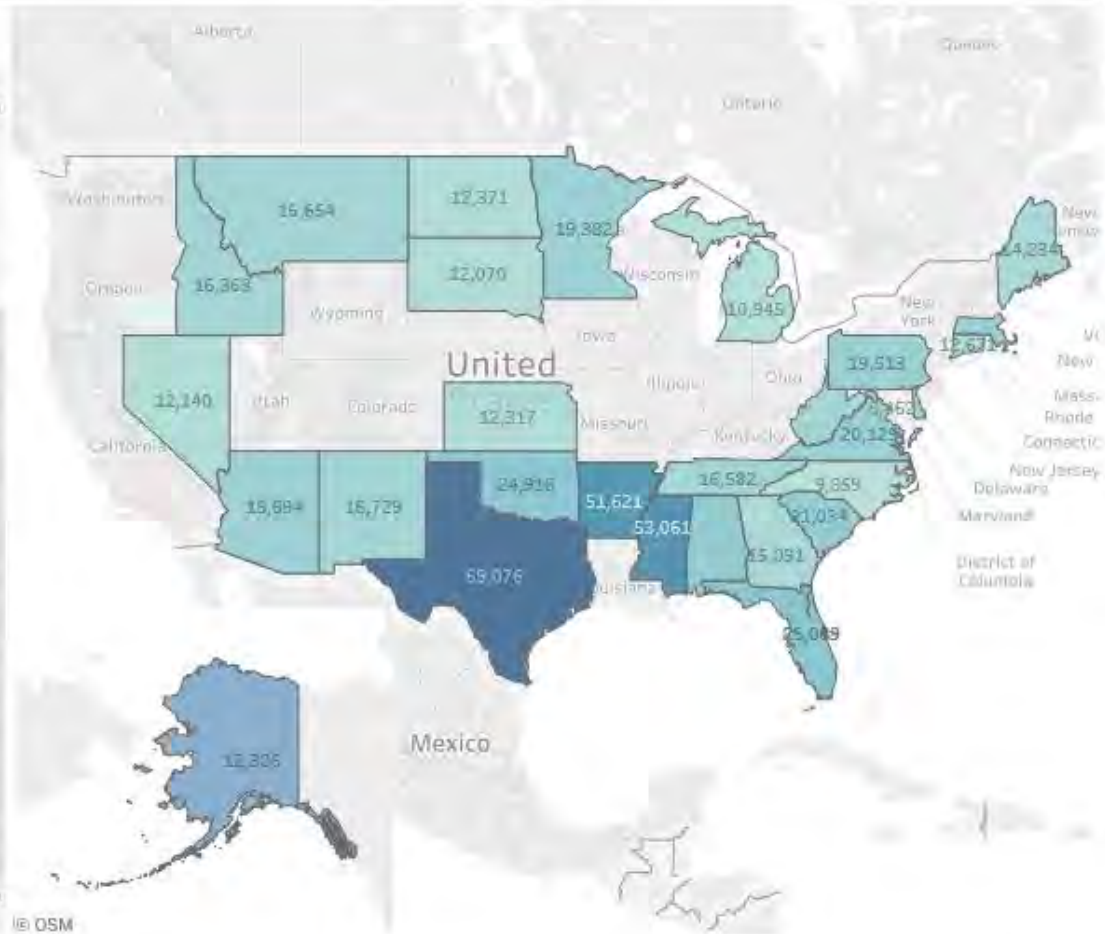| Year | 2019 ▼ |
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A request is defined as a search for patient information generated from within AWARxE.
A search response is defined as a return transaction that was generated due to a request.

Disclosure Successful	Response Type	User: Role Groupings	User: Role
(Multiple values) ▼	(Multiple values) ▼	(All) ▼	(All) ▼

	Provided Data	Provided No Data
Florida	341	24,728
Georgia	99	14,992
Idaho	8	16,355
Kansas	47	12,270
Maine	2	14,232
Massachusetts	27	19,712
Michigan	27	10,918
Military Health Sy..	531	37,826
Minnesota	17	19,365
Mississippi	3,845	49,216
Montana	10	16,644
Nevada	23	12,117
New Mexico	22	16,707
North Carolina	59	9,800
North Dakota	6	12,365
Oklahoma	97	24,819
Pennsylvania	81	19,432
South Carolina	50	20,984
South Dakota	22	12,048
Tennessee	120	16,462
Texas	3,084	65,992
Virginia	58	20,067
West Virginia	17	16,480
Grand Total	10,031	622,872

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Interstate Data Sharing, Requests from Users in Other States for LA PMP Data, 2019.09

Your state's disclosures by searching state and response type. **Excludes Gateway requests.**

Map colored by number of disclosures from the searching state.

A disclosure is a system responses that return information related to PHI data from a PDMP system. This includes responses that contain patient records as well as those that indicate no records found.
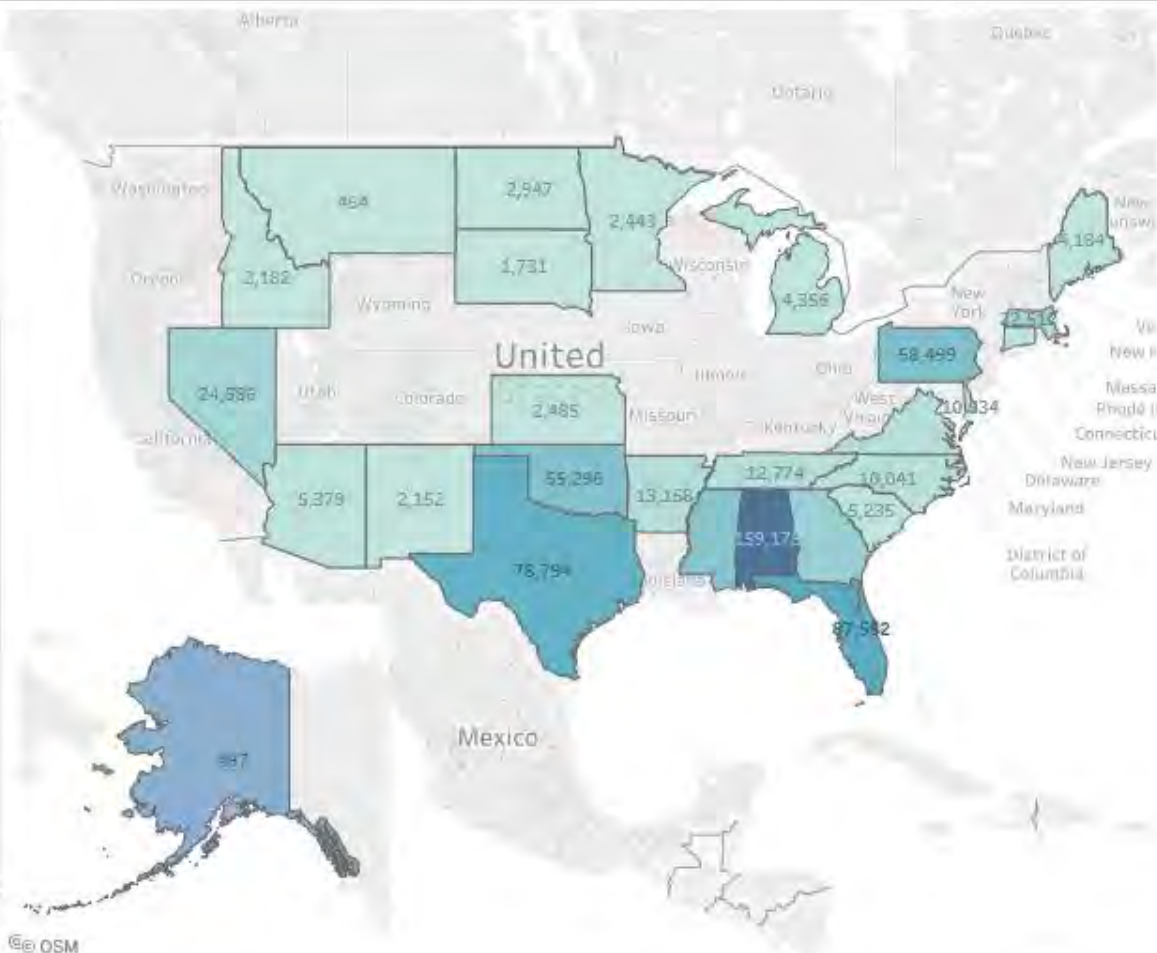
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Disclosure Successful	Response Type	Role Groupings	User Role
(Multiple values)	(Multiple values)	(All)	(All)

	Provided Data	Provided No Data
Florida	414	87,138
Georgia	85	35,719
Idaho	9	2,173
Kansas	28	2,457
Maine	43	4,141
Massachusetts	51	22,461
Michigan	19	4,337
Military Health System	2	42
Minnesota	19	2,424
Mississippi	1,872	49,901
Montana		454
Nevada	53	24,633
New Mexico	7	2,145
North Carolina	39	10,002
North Dakota	17	2,930
Oklahoma	125	55,171
Pennsylvania	76	58,423
South Carolina	15	5,220
South Dakota	3	1,728
Tennessee	89	12,685
Texas	2,286	76,508
Virginia	69	10,886
Grand Total	6,909	661,744

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FOR PHARMACY INTERNS

(CDS) CONTROLLED DANGEROUS SUBSTANCE LICENSES

(PMP) PRESCRIPTION MONITORING PROGRAM

Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) Information

To manage the technical aspects of the program, the Board has partnered with Appriss, Inc. They receive the transaction reports from all the dispensers, house the data on servers owned by the Board, and host the web portal for authorized direct access users. Appriss has also authored technical assistance documents as provided below.

Annual Program Reports: 2019 2018 2017 2016 2015 2014 2013 2012 2011 2010 2009

Report of Performance Audit for 2013-2016 by Louisiana Legislative Auditor

Additional information about various aspects of the program is provided through the following links.

General Information   **Advisory Council**

Statewide Integration of PMP into Electronic Health Record Systems
The Prescription Monitoring Program is implementing a statewide comprehensive platform for healthcare professionals to review patients' controlled substance prescription history more quickly and efficiently. The goal of the integration project is to minimize any workflow disruption by providing near-instant and seamless access to critical controlled substance prescription history information to both prescribers and pharmacists. This platform utilizes current PMP prescription data and transfers it into electronic health records (EHR) and pharmacy management systems. This statewide integration is a key component of Louisiana's ongoing efforts to address the opioid crisis. Accessing and viewing a patient's PMP report obtained through the integration platform complies with Louisiana's PMP Mandatory Use Law (R.S. 40:978). EHR and pharmacy management system representatives seeking connection to the integration platform should complete the **Louisiana NarxCare EHR & Pharmacy Management System Integration Request Form**.

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Mandatory Use Law

- Prescriber or delegate shall access and review patient's record in PMP prior to initially prescribing any opioid and then every 90 days when therapy continues for more than 90 days.

- Mandate is enforced by professional licensing boards.

- There are five exceptions to this requirement:

Mandatory Use Law - Exceptions

1 – Drug is prescribed for or administered to a hospice patient or to any other patient diagnosed with a terminal illness.

2 – Drug is prescribed or administered for the treatment of cancer-related chronic or intractable pain.

3 – Drug is ordered for or administered to a patient being treated in a hospital.

Mandatory Use Law - Exceptions

4 – PMP is not functioning properly due to internal or external electronic issue. However, prescriber or delegate shall check PMP once accessibility is restored and note the cause for the delay in the patient's chart.

5 – No more than a single 7-day supply of the drug is prescribed for or administered to the patient.

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Access to PMP Information

- Prescriber access privileges

  > Automatically established with new or renewed CDS license

  > Requires activation by prescriber – visit web portal and confirm unique identifying information

- Prescriber delegates

  > Prescriber may establish and de-activate delegate credentials; responsible for their activity

Access to PMP Information

- Protected health information, not subject to public or open record laws, and not subject to disclosure.

- Not available for civil subpoena; not discoverable; not admissible as evidence in any civil proceeding for any reason.

- Professional licensing agencies may use for administrative inquiries and proceedings.

- Law enforcement agencies may use for criminal proceedings, but only pursuant to warrants or subpoenas.

<u>Direct</u> Access to PMP Information

- Prescribers providing medical care to their patients;
- Dispensers providing care to their patients;
- Medicaid staff regarding program recipients;
- Medical examiners to investigate a person's death;
- Licensed substance abuse addiction counselor providing services to a client;
- Probation or parole officer monitoring an offender's compliance with terms of sentence;
- Epidemiologist with Dept. of Health for public health surveillance.

Indirect Access to PMP Information

- An individual may obtain their own information;

  > Parent , legal guardian, or legal healthcare agents, for reviewing prescription history;

  > Executor of estate, for reviewing prescription history

- Researchers may obtain de-identified information from the PMP staff.

Unlawful Access or Disclosure

- A person authorized to possess PMP data who accesses, discloses, or uses PMP information in violation of the PMP Law shall be referred to the appropriate professional licensing board AND the appropriate district attorney.

- Upon criminal conviction, the person may be imprisoned for not more than 5 years and may be fined for not more than $5,000.

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Practitioner Resources

- Prescriber prescription history

- Prescriber report cards

- Clinical alerts

Contact Information

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