

We would like to make sure that everyone has an awareness of the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP) Use Mandate **effective July 1, 2018** and access to all information.

This announcement is to:

- 1) provide you with information about our outreach efforts to remind affected providers of the upcoming mandate, and
- 2) deliver links and materials you may want to disseminate.

MASS EMAIL to Providers: Sent 5/30/2018 to all PDMP-registered CDS prescribers, using the email address of record linked to their PDMP account.

- 1) [Cover letter](#) signed by the MDH Secretary
- 2) [Prescriber Fact Sheet](#)
- 3) [CDC Guidelines](#) handouts
- 4) [Suicide risk assessment](#) billing information

MASS MAILING to Prescribers: To be sent week of 6/11/2018 to all CDS prescribers regardless of their PDMP registration status, using the mailing address on file with the Office of Controlled Substances Administration (OCSA). Same contents as the email to go out via USPS.

PDMP WEBSITE UPDATES: Updates to the PDMP website went live 5/30/2018 and include:

- 1) PDMP Use Mandate Description:
<https://bha.health.maryland.gov/pdmp/Pages/pdmp-use-mandate-information.aspx>
- 2) PDMP Use Mandate FAQs: <https://bha.health.maryland.gov/pdmp/Pages/PDMP-Use-Mandate-Use-FAQs.aspx>
- 3) PDMP Registration FAQs (for those who still need to register):
<https://bha.health.maryland.gov/pdmp/Pages/PDMP-Registration-FAQs.aspx>

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