

This report contains summary data from the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP). Data is provided as a courtesy for the board and is intended to be used for informational purposes only.

News

- We are currently advertising for a Project Assistant to continue the work on a sustainable plan to monitoring reporting compliance.
- We have launched [Statewide Gateway Integration!](#)

Upcoming Activities

- The 2023 Awareness and Feedback Questionnaire will launch this spring. An announcement will be made through AWARxE and posted to users' dashboards.
- We will be at the AK Pharmacist's Association Annual Convention & Tradeshow this weekend.

There are differences in the number of pharmacists licensed by the Board of Pharmacy and the number of pharmacists registered in the PDMP. The registration counts include the federal user role categories and non-Alaska licensed pharmacists. Some Alaska-licensed pharmacists have opted to register even though not required to by statute and regulations.

Registration

Portal (Professional license system)

Number of licensed Pharmacists: 1,043
Number of PDMP Pharmacist registrations: 847
Number of Pharmacists dispensing: 579

AWARxE (PDMP)

Number registered with the PDMP: 1,197
Pharmacists – 637
PIC – 73
IHS Dispenser – 117
IHS Dispenser PIC - 1
VA Dispenser – 18
Military Dispenser – 13
Out of State Pharmacist – 208
Out of State PIC – 13
Pharmacist Delegates – 105 (1,478 technicians and interns)
IHS Pharmacist's Delegates – 9
VA Pharmacist's Delegates – 3

Reporting Compliance

We worked with the PDMP vendor on a tool to address reporting compliance and have a finalized tool. We are testing the tools available and creating a sustainable plan.

Recommendations

- Encourage the use of authorized delegates.
- Sign up for [Statewide Gateway Integration.](#)