licensee, regardless of practice specialty, shall review the MPMP at each patient encounter in which an opioid is prescribed for acute and/or chronic noncancerous pain. Those licensees whose practice is not a pain management practice as defined previously shall utilize the MPMP upon initial contact with new patients and at least every three (3) months thereafter on any and all patients who are prescribed, administered, or dispensed controlled substances. Reports generated on such patients should span the length of time from the previous review of the MPMP so that adequate information is obtained to determine patient compliance with treatment. Documentation, such as a copy of the report itself and/or reflection in the chart dictation and/or notes, shall be kept within the patient’s record and made available for inspection upon request. In addition, licensees required to register under this section shall also utilize the MPMP to generate a global report to review their entire practice as a whole at least yearly. Documentation of the global report shall be kept in a separate file to be available for inspection upon request.

Pursuant to authority granted in Mississippi Code, Section 41-29-125, the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure hereby adopts, in lieu of a separate registration with the Board, the registration with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration as required in the above paragraph. In the event, however, a physician licensee has had limitations or other restrictions placed upon his or her license wherein he or she is prohibited from handling—ordering, dispensing, or prescribing controlled substances in any or all schedules, said physician—licensee shall be prohibited from registering with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration for a Uniform Controlled Substances Registration Certificate without first being expressly authorized to do so by order of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure.

Persons registered to prescribe, administer, dispense or conduct research with controlled substances may order, possess, prescribe, administer, dispense or conduct research with those substances to the extent authorized by their registration and in conformity with the other provisions of these rules and in conformity with provisions of the Mississippi Uniform Controlled Substances Law, Mississippi Code, Sections 41-29-101 et seq.

The registration requirement set forth in these rules does not apply to the distribution and manufacture of controlled substances. Any physician—licensee who engages in the manufacture or distribution of controlled substances or legend drugs shall register with the Mississippi State Board of Pharmacy pursuant to Mississippi Code, Section 73-21-105 and shall be subject to all applicable federal statutes and regulations controlling such practices. For the purposes herein, “distribute” shall mean the delivery of a drug other than by administering, prescribing or dispensing. The word “manufacture” shall have the same meaning as set forth in Mississippi Code, Section 41-29-105(q).


Rule 1.4 Maintenance of Records and Inventories. Every physician licensed to practice medicine, osteopathic medicine or pediatric medicine in the state of Mississippi licensee shall maintain inventories, logs, and records prescribed in this rule.

A. Controlled substances inventory record. All controlled substances classified under Schedules II, IIN, III, IIIN, IV and V which are purchased by the physician—licensee must