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Via Regular Mail
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Re: New Jersey Controlled Dangerous Substances Registration – **ACTION BY YOU IS REQUIRED**

Dear CONSUMER AFFAIRS TESTER,

Pursuant to law, all practitioners authorized to prescribe drugs are now required to register with the New Jersey Prescription Monitoring Program (NJMPMP). Because you are not presently registered with the NJMPMP, **when your controlled dangerous substance (CDS) registration expires in February of 2020, you will not be permitted to renew it**, unless you follow the steps below. Any prescribing of CDS after that date will render you subject to penalty. In addition, you will be unable to perform mandated look-ups of patients required when prescribing opioids or benzodiazepines.

STEP 1: Register to access the NJMPMP

In order to remove the "Active-Nonrenewable" status on your CDS registration, you must immediately register to access the NJMPMP. You may register for access to the NJMPMP platform at <https://newjersey.pmpaware.net/>, which utilizes an auto-validation process that will require you to enter your professional license number; federal Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) number; NJ CDS registration number; full name as it appears on your professional license; unique email address; and other identifying information.¹ For technical issues regarding the registration process, please contact the Division's vendor, Appriss Inc., at 844-465-4767. For all other questions regarding the NJMPMP, please contact the Program at NJMPMP@dca.lps.state.nj.us.

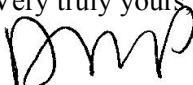
STEP 2: Notify the Drug Control Unit

Once you have registered to access the NJMPMP, please notify the New Jersey Drug Control Unit via email at CDS@dca.lps.state.nj.us.

STEP 3: Permission to renew your CDS registration

Following the verification of your NJMPMP registration, the status of your CDS registration will be updated to "Renewable" and you will receive an email permitting you to renew your CDS registration during the February 2020 renewal period.

If you do not prescribe controlled dangerous substances or do not currently hold a New Jersey Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) registration, in accordance with N.J.A.C.13:45H-1.2(m), please contact the New Jersey Drug Control Unit to place your CDS registration in "Inactive" status.

Very truly yours


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¹ The email address used must be a private, individual email address that is inaccessible to other individuals.