



Executive Director Report January 2023

LICENSING

License Type	Active*	Detail	Renewal	Issued Last 30 Days
Pharmacist	22,573			50
Pharmacy Intern	3,131			14
Pharmacy Technician	25,183	Trainee – 6,272 Registered – 7,673 Certified – 11,238 Conditional Approval Trainees – 469		823
Terminal Distributor	22,217		<i>*opens 1/30/2023</i>	89
Drug Distributor	2,247			12
Home Medical Equipment	847	License – 169 Registration – 678		7
Medical Marijuana Dispensary - Provisional	72			-
Medical Marijuana Dispensary – Certificate of Operation	60			2
Medical Marijuana Dispensary Employees	2,285	Associated Key – 320 Key – 778 Support – 1,187		135

*Counts as of 12/22/2022

Compliance

STATISTICS

In-Take Panel Statistics

Cases Assigned	2- Dec	9- Dec	13- Dec	16- Dec	20- Dec	22- Dec
MMJ Consumer Complaint	3	3	2	1	1	1
MMJ Theft of Product						1
MMJ Patient Background		2	1	3	2	
Minimum Qualifications of TDDD/WDDD		2	1	3	2	
Background Investigation						
Consumer Complaint	8	9	3	7	4	1
Questionable Prescribing	1	1				1
Questionable Dispensing		1		1		
Error in Dispensing	2	4	2	2	1	
Illegal Processing of Drug Documents		3	4	1	2	2
Abusing/Addicted/Unfit						
Conduct/Gross Immortality						
Drug Security	1				1	
Trafficking in Drugs	1		1		1	
Working Conditions/Minimum Standards	2	4		1		
Error in Administration			1	1		1
Manner of Processing Prescription			1			1

Manner of Issuance of Prescription	1					
Total	19	29	15	17	12	7

All Open Cases	New Cases Opened in Past 30 Days	Number of Summary Suspensions in December	Cases Closed in Past 30 Days
658	153	2	186

Top 10 Cases Opened in December 2022

Case Type	December Cases Opened
Questionable Dispensing	19
Theft of Drugs	18
Drug Security	14
Error in Dispensing	11
Minimum Qualifications of TDDD/WDDD	9
MMJ Consumer Complaint	8
Working Conditions/Minimum Standards	7
Consumer Complaint	7
Illegal Processing of Drug Documents	6
Suspicious Purchases	6

FISCAL

Fund	Appropriation	Year-to-date Expenditures	Encumbered	Unexpended
OARRS Grants (3HD0)	\$ 1,550,000	\$ 532,040	\$ 1,291	\$ 1,016,669
Medicaid/OARRS Integration (3HH0)	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 1,099,360	\$ 99,814	\$ 1,300,826
Equitable Sharing Treasury (3HM0)	\$ 5,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,000
Equitable Sharing Justice (3HN0)	\$ 30,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 30,000
Law Enforcement Fund (4A50)	\$ 50,000	\$ 292	\$ 5,000	\$ 44,708
Operating (4K90)	\$ 13,136,776	\$ 5,320,961	\$ 1,340,081	\$ 6,475,734
Drug Database Fund (5SG0)	\$ 100,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100,000
Medical Marijuana Fund (5SY0)	\$ 3,309,264	\$ 1,186,247	\$ 746,047	\$ 1,376,970
All Funds Total	\$ 20,681,040	\$ 8,138,900	\$ 2,192,233	\$ 10,349,907

COMMUNICATIONS AND OUTREACH

- Executive Director Schierholt participated in the following:

- Board Members joined the BOP staff for an All-Staff meeting on December 5th for BOP updates for 2022.
- The NABP Monthly Executive Officer Call.
- BOP attended various meetings with the Governor's office, including a RecoveryOhio Drug Trends meeting.
- Senior Staff continues to hold daily conference calls.

MEDICAL MARIJUANA CONTROL PROGRAM

Dispensaries		Total (by the numbers)	
Dispensaries with Certificates of Operation		60	
Provisional Dispensary Licenses		69	
Registration		Total (by the numbers)	
Patient Recommendations (a patient may have multiple recommendations)		624,506	
Registered Patients (historical)		323,968	
Patients with active recommendation and active registration		163,849	
With Veteran Status		19,927	
With Indigent Status		21,068	
With Terminal Diagnosis		1,233	
Caregivers		32,633	
Patients By Age		Total (by the numbers)	Total (%)
Under 18		522	.16%
Age 18-29		48,108	14.85%
Age 30-39		77,828	24.02%
Age 40-49		68,773	21.23%
Age 50-59		53,373	16.47%
Age 60-69		49,107	15.16%
Over 70		26,257	8.10%
Patients by Qualifying Condition (*)		Total (by the numbers)	
Huntington's Disease		25	
Terminal Illness		124	
ALS		214	
Sickle Cell Anemia		262	
AIDS		297	
Chronic Traumatic Encephalopathy		394	
Alzheimer's Disease		511	
Cachexia		595	
Spasticity		865	
Tourette's Syndrome		973	
Parkinson's Disease		1,616	
Positive for HIV		1,816	
Ulcerative Colitis		2,527	
Glaucoma			

Crohn's Disease	3,548
Multiple Sclerosis	3,962
Traumatic Brain Injury	3,975
Inflammatory Bowel Disease	4,552
Hepatitis C	5,405
Epilepsy or Another Seizure	5,948
Spinal Cord Disease or Injury	7,460
Cancer	8,125
Fibromyalgia	19,046
Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder	20,203
Pain-Chronic and Severe or Intractable	80,128
	230,948
* Some patients are registered with multiple conditions.	
* Data current through November 2022.	

Policy and Communications

HIGHLIGHTS

- HB37** **EMERGENCY PRESCRIPTION REFILLS** (MANNING G) Regarding emergency prescription refills.
Current Status: **ENACTED**; eff. May 30, 2022
- HB60** **PERMIT MEDICAL MARIJUANA FOR AUTISM** (BRENT J, SEITZ B) To authorize the use of medical marijuana for autism spectrum disorder.
Current Status: 3/30/2022 – Senate Health, (First Hearing)
- HB103** **REGARDS ADOPTION/DURATION EMERGENCY RULES** (MERRIN D) Regarding the adoption and duration of emergency administrative rules.
Current Status: 3/24/2021 - House State and Local Government, (Second Hearing)
- HB122** **TELEHEALTH SERVICES** (FRAIZER M, HOLMES A) To establish and modify requirements regarding the provision of telehealth services, to establish a provider credentialing program within the Medicaid program, to revise the law governing the State Medical Board's One-Bite Program, and to extend the suspension of certain programs and requirements under the state's insurance laws until January 1, 2026.
Current Status: **ENACTED**; eff. March 21, 2022
- HB153** **PRESCRIPTION DRUGS, MEDICATION SWITCHING** (LISTON B, CARRUTHERS S) Regarding prescription drugs and medication switching.
Current Status: 6/16/2021 - House Insurance, (Third Hearing)
- HB193** **ELECTRONIC PRESCRIPTIONS, SCHEDULE II SUBSTANCES** (CUTRONA A, PAVLIGA G) Regarding electronic prescriptions and Schedule II controlled substances.
Current Status: **ENACTED**; eff. 9/21/2022
- HB203** **REQUIRE OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE IF EXPERIENCED IN OTHER STATE** (POWELL J) To require an occupational licensing authority to issue a license or government certification to an applicant who holds a license, government certification, or private certification or has satisfactory work experience in another state under certain circumstances and to amend the version of section 3319.22 of the Revised Code that is scheduled to take effect on April 12, 2023, to continue the changes on and after that date.
Current Status: 11/15/2022 – Referred Committee Senate Workforce and Higher Education
- HB236** **REGULATE KRATOM** (FRAIZER M, LIPPS S) To regulate the processing, sale, and distribution of kratom.
Current Status: 3/23/2022 - Senate Health, (First Hearing)
- HB356** **REDUCE ABUSE OF PRESCRIPTION OPIOIDS** (LOYCHIK M, BIRD A) Regarding a proposal to reduce the abuse of prescription opioids, to establish addiction treatment facilities, to increase penalties for drug trafficking violations, to modify penalties for drug possession, to require an offender convicted of a drug possession or drug trafficking offense involving certain drugs to be subject to ten years of post-release control, to allow a criminal defendant who has a severe substance use disorder involving certain drugs to be confined by a state detoxification provider while awaiting trial, to create restitution work programs, and to make an appropriation.
Current Status: 4/6/2022 - House Criminal Justice, (Fourth Hearing)
- HB382** **ALLOW POSSESSION, CULTIVATION OF MARIJUANA** (WEINSTEIN C, UPCHURCH T) To allow for the cultivation and possession of marijuana, to modify possession, cultivation, and trafficking penalties, to allow for expungement of certain marijuana convictions, and to levy a tax.
Current Status: 9/21/2021 - Referred to Committee House Finance
- HB448** **PRESCRIPTION DRUG READERS** (BROWN R) Regarding prescription drug readers for visually impaired patients.
Current Status: 3/30/2022 - House Insurance, (Second Hearing)

- HB558** **PRESCRIPTION DRUGS** (ROEMER B, JORDAN K) To modify the laws governing the drug repository program for donated prescription drugs.
Current Status: 12/14/2022 – House Concurs in Senate Amendments (87-0)
- HB652** **AUTOMATED Rx REPORTING SYSTEM** (PLUMMER P, YOUNG T) Revises the law governing the review of patient information in the Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System.
Current Status: 11/29/2022 - House Health, (Second Hearing)
- HB680** **PREVENTATIVE CARE ACT** (YOUNG T, STEIN D) Regards certain off-label use of drugs, products, and devices approved or authorized by the United States Food and Drug Administration.
Current Status: 5/18/2022 – Referred to Committee House Health
- SB9** **REDUCE REGULATIONS** (MCCOLLEY R, ROEGNER K) To require certain agencies to reduce the number of regulatory restrictions in their administrative rules.
Current Status: **ENACTED**; eff. June 7, 2022
- SB25** **ENHANCE PENALTIES FOR CERTAIN DRUG TRAFFICKING OFFENSES** (GAVARONE T) To enhance penalties for certain drug trafficking offenses committed in the vicinity of a substance addiction services provider or a recovering addict, to prohibit defrauding an alcohol, drug, or urine screening test, and to name the act's provisions the Relapse Reduction Act.
Current Status: **ENACTED**; eff. July 19, 2022
- SB48** **CULTURAL COMPETENCY-HEALTH CARE** (MAHARATH T, ANTONIO N) To require certain health care professionals to complete instruction in cultural competency.
Current Status: 6/16/2021 - Senate Health, (First Hearing)
- SB131** **LICENSURE RECIPROCITY** (ROEGNER K, MCCOLLEY R) To require an occupational licensing authority to issue a license or government certification to an applicant who holds a license, government certification, or private certification or has satisfactory work experience in another state under certain circumstances and to amend the version of section 3319.22 of the Revised Code that is scheduled to take effect on April 12, 2023, to continue the changes on and after that date.
Current Status: 12/14/2022 – Senate Concurs in House Amendments (28-0)
- SB261** **LAW CHANGES-MEDICAL MARIJUANA** (HUFFMAN S) To amend the law related to medical marijuana.
Current Status: 11/17/2022 – House Government Oversight, (Fifth Hearing)
- SB296** **NARCOTICS** (MANNING N, HUFFMAN S) To revise the laws governing access to naloxone and certain narcotic testing products.
Current Status: 4/6/2022 – Senate Health, (Fourth Hearing)
- SB304** **ABORTION** (HUFFMAN S) Regards abortion-inducing drugs.
Current Status: 3/2/2022 – Referred to Committee Senate Health
- SB321** **ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES** (ROMANCHUK M) Regards the authority of advanced practice registered nurses.
Current Status: 12/14/2022 – Senate Health (First Hearing)

Change Healthcare (eRx Network) OHIO EDI_FAX ACTIVITY REPORT- August 2022

Monthly mandatory report per Ohio BOP Approval of eRx Network as a Third-Party Intermediary, pursuant to paragraph (H)(6) of rule 4729-5-30.

DELIVERY METHOD	FAX REASON	CHAIN	CHGRES	NEWRX	REFRES	TOTAL
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	ABC-PC1IND106		1	1	2
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	ACME106		25	6	31
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	COSTCO	1	198	45	244
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	FRUTH106	3	199	15	217
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	GIANT106	2	947	170	1119
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	MEIJER106		279	65	344
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	PC1-IND106		8	14	22
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	PDTS		18		18
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	VETADMIN-EMD		35		35
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX TOTAL			6	1710	316	2032
ROUTED EDI		ABC-PC1IND106		732	5	737
ROUTED EDI		ACME106	37	23790	3972	27799
ROUTED EDI		COSTCO	15	22359	4787	27161
ROUTED EDI		FRUTH106	1	32399	2177	34577
ROUTED EDI		GIANT106	176	411782	62520	474478
ROUTED EDI		MEIJER106	21	204892	42832	247745
ROUTED EDI		PC1-IND106		2600	338	2938
ROUTED EDI		PDTS		9020		9020
ROUTED EDI		VETADMIN-EMD	157	6416	14	6587
ROUTED EDI Total			407	713,990	116,645	831,042
Grand Total			413	715,700	116,961	833,074

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DELIVERY METHOD	FAX REASON	CHAIN	CHGRES	NEWRX	REFRES	TOTAL
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	ABC-RX30		2		2
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	ACME106		32	9	41
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	COSTCO		349	149	498
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	FRUTH106	7	262	15	284
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	GIANT106	7	898	136	1041
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	MEIJER106	1	1136	200	1337
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	PC1-IND106			20	20
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	PDTS		34		34
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	VETADMIN-EMD		18		18
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX TOTAL			15	2731	529	3275
ROUTED EDI		ABC-RX30		217	2	219
ROUTED EDI		ACME106	48	22851	3800	26,699
ROUTED EDI		COSTCO	1	21084	4700	25,785
ROUTED EDI		FRUTH106	4	32250	1947	34,201
ROUTED EDI		GIANT106	177	398940	58903	458,020
ROUTED EDI		MEIJER106	22	197246	38242	235,510
ROUTED EDI		PC1-IND106		1366	219	1,585
ROUTED EDI		PDTS		8343		8,343
ROUTED EDI		VETADMIN-EMD	140	6618	5	6,763
ROUTED EDI Total			392	688,915	107,818	797,125
Grand Total			407	691,646	108,347	800,400

Change Healthcare (eRx Network) OHIO EDI_FAX ACTIVITY REPORT-October 2022

Monthly mandatory report per Ohio BOP Approval of eRx Network as a Third-Party Intermediary, pursuant to paragraph (H)(6) of rule 4729-5-30.

DELIVERY METHOD	FAX REASON	CHAIN	CHGRES	NEWRX	REFRES	TOTAL
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	ACME106	1	21	2	24
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	COSTCO		68	12	80
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	FRUTH106	1	217	14	232
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	GIANT106	4	934	118	1056
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	MEIJER106		94	26	120
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	PDTS		16		16
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	VETADMIN-EMD		15		15
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX TOTAL			6	1365	172	1543
ROUTED EDI		ACME106	54	23995	3952	28,001
ROUTED EDI		COSTCO	7	22468	4868	27,343
ROUTED EDI		FRUTH106	6	33479	1960	35,445
ROUTED EDI		GIANT106	145	417975	60833	478,953
ROUTED EDI		MEIJER106	8	212889	39130	252,027
ROUTED EDI		PDTS		8169		8,169
ROUTED EDI		VETADMIN-EMD	112	6610	4	6,726
ROUTED EDI Total			332	725,585	110,747	836,664
Grand Total			338	726,950	110,919	838,207

Change Healthcare (eRx Network) OHIO EDI_FAX ACTIVITY REPORT-November 2022

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DELIVERY METHOD	FAX REASON	CHAIN	CHGRES	NEWRX	REFRES	TOTAL
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	ACME106	1	23	3	27
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	COSTCO		107	99	206
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	FRUTH106	3	267	8	278
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	GIANT106	9	977	92	1078
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	MEIJER106		956	113	1069
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	PDTS		38		38
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX	RECIPIENT COMMUNICATION ERROR	VETADMIN-EMD		49		49
EDI FAILED OVER TO FAX TOTAL			13	2417	315	2745
ROUTED EDI		ACME106	78	22783	3604	26,465
ROUTED EDI		COSTCO	17	21284	4285	25,586
ROUTED EDI		FRUTH106	14	33630	1520	35,164
ROUTED EDI		GIANT106	215	408730	54320	463,265
ROUTED EDI		MEIJER106	13	211754	35956	247,723
ROUTED EDI		PDTS		7525		7,525
ROUTED EDI		VETADMIN-EMD	97	6508	8	6,613
ROUTED EDI Total			434	712,214	99,693	812,341
Grand Total			447	714,631	100,008	815,086