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MEETING NOTICE:	Prescription Monitoring Program Advisory Committee
DATE AND TIME:	11/7/2018 at 3:00pm
PLACE:	Buena Vista Conference Center Dupont Conference Room New Castle, DE

Members Present-

Cindy Cunningham, Public Member
Cindy Denemark, Patients' Rights Representative- Department of Health and Social Services
Matt Denn, Department of Justice
Don Keister, Public Member
Kevin Musto, Delaware Pharmacists Society

Members Absent-

John Goodill, Medical Society of Delaware
Pete Sawyer, Department of Homeland Security

Division Staff and Deputy Attorney General-

Jason Staib, Deputy Attorney General
David Mangler, Director- Division of Professional Regulation
Geoff Christ, Director- Office of Controlled Substances
Jason Slavoski, PMP Administrator
Paul DelPrato, PMP Data Analyst

- 0.0 Call to Order
Don Keister called the meeting to order at 3:05pm.
- 1.0 Review of Minutes
Cynthia Denemark made a motion to approve minutes. The motion was seconded by Kevin Musto. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.
- 2.0 New Business
Don Keister called upon the PMP Administrator, Jason Slavoski, to discuss the following:

2. 1 Discuss Changes in Statute Related to PMP Advisory Committee and Addiction Action Committee

Dr. Slavoski provided a copy of Senate Bill 206 to the Committee. He discussed the amendments and the addition of language to 16 *Del. C. §§ 4798*. Governor Carney signed this bill into law in September. Both the PMP Advisory Committee and Addiction Action Committee are now able to receive identified prescriber and dispenser information. It was discussed that this would allow for the PMP Advisory Committee to make recommendations for referral for investigation and for the Addiction Action Committee to be able to receive information on prescribers who would benefit from education.

2.2 Discussion Regarding Updates on PMP Operational Improvements

- Prescriber Tools
 - Prescriber report card changes were discussed. This included providing better comparisons among same or similar prescriber specialties.
- Administrative/Analytic Tools
 - The PMP Administrator and Data Analyst received SAS as another tool capable of advanced analytics.
 - The purchase of requested prescribing pattern reports from the PMP vendor that are vital to the identification of high risk prescribers was also discussed.
- Interstate Interoperability
 - A map and list of the 20 states that Delaware is currently able to exchange PMP data with was provided to the Committee. Ms. Denmark asked how the particular states we are connected with were selected. Dr. Slavoski informed the committee that states closest to Delaware were chosen first as patients were most likely to utilize providers in those states. Then, we expanded outward until we connected with as many states along the Interstate 95 corridor as possible. Upon request from providers, agreements with additional states were made.
- Electronic Health Record Information Systems Integration
 - The status of current EHR integrations via Gateway in the State was discussed. Currently, EHR connections exist with Kroger, Walmart, St. Francis Healthcare, and University of Pennsylvania Health System. The upcoming addition of Christiana Care Health System, Bay Health, and Penn State Health was discussed as well.
 - Dr. Slavoski also discussed the grant funding for in-state health systems to cover the Gateway licensing

fees, as well as the possibility of an additional year of grant funding. Ms. Denmark asked about the differences between EHR integration for prescribers compared to dispensers. The difference between pharmacy system patient profile integration and electronic health record integration was explained.

3.0 Executive Session

A motion was made to enter Executive Session by Don Keister and seconded by Matt Denn at 3:25pm.

- 3.1 Discussion of New Indicators Available for Specific Referral Criteria Relating to High Risk Prescribing Pursuant to 29 *Del. C.* §§ 10002(l)(6), 10004(b)(6) and 16 *Del. C.* §§ 4798(v)(1), (w)(2).
- 3.2 Approval of Specific Referral Criteria Relating to High Risk Prescribing Pursuant to 29 *Del. C.* §§ 10002(l)(6), 10004(b)(6) and 16 *Del. C.* §§ 4798(v)(1), (w)(2).

No action was suggested or taken as a result of Executive Session. A motion to exit Executive Session was made by Don Keister and seconded by Kevin Musto at 4:25pm.

4.0 Other Business

No other business was discussed.

5.0 Public Comment

No public comment was made.

6.0 Next Meeting

The next meeting will be in February 2019 with a confirmed date distributed to Committee members and published on the State calendar.

7.0 Adjourn

A motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Keister and seconded by Ms. Cunningham at 4:30pm.

Submitted,



Jason Slavoski, Pharm.D.
PMP Administrator