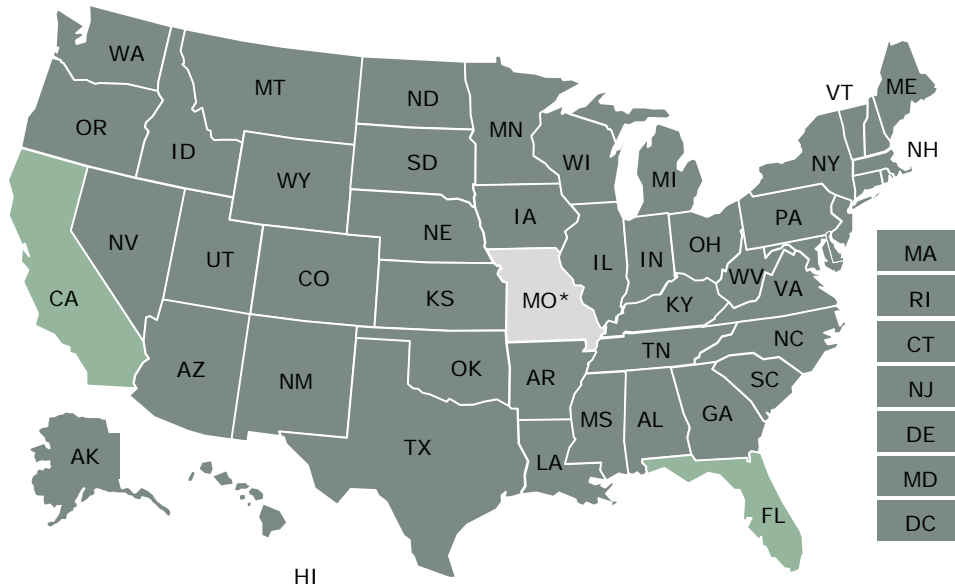


Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP/PMP) Basics

Status of PDMPs








**Missouri does not have a statewide PDMP. However, St. Louis County operates a PDMP in which other counties in Missouri can participate. Current participating counties contain over 79% of Missourians.*

- States have an established PDMP
- States have an established PDMP but don't share data with other PDMPs
- No established PDMP

Common Questions

- **What is a PDMP?** A publicly administered information tool that provides decision support regarding dispensed addictive prescription drugs for health care professionals, public health officials, public safety agencies and others
- **Do PDMPs cooperate with one another?** Yes, there is an existing PDMP national network involving over 45 PDMPs that enables the timely and efficient exchange of information to accomplish national goals while allowing individualized responses to local concerns regarding the opioid crisis

PDMPs have a lot in common. All PDMPs:

-  • Provide data upon request to authorized entities at any time via secure websites
-  • Collect information about dispensed controlled substance prescription drugs
-  • Use the data format developed by the American Society for Automation in Pharmacy
-  • Utilize HIPAA-compliant security systems to defend sensitive information
-  • Are operated by public servants who act as stewards to protect patient confidentiality