# HIT COMMONS
### Accelerating Health Information Technology

## Oregon's PDMP Integration Initiative Monthly Report | December 2018

*The Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP) Integration initiative brings controlled substance prescription data from PDMP registries to authorized Oregon prescribers and pharmacists electronically within their health information technology (HIT). This initiative aligns with broader state and federal efforts to increase use of PDMPs to reduce inappropriate prescriptions, improve patient outcomes, and promote more informed prescribing practices.*

### HIT Commons Celebrates Successful 2018 PDMP Integrations

HIT Commons met the PDMP Integration Steering Committee's year one goals for integrating PDMP data into prescriber and pharmacist health IT systems. As of December, **3,666 prescribers and 2 pharmacy chains (representing more than 240 pharmacists) have access to PDMP data** within their daily electronic work flows. More than 12,000 prescribers across 74 entities have started the process to connect and will likely be coming on in 2019.

Additional successes include:

- ✓ **134% increase** in the total number of PDMP queries submitted through integration, EDIE and web browser in 2018 (compared to 2017). This exceeded our year one goal.

- ✓ HIT Commons is supporting **widespread interest and adoption of PDMP integration:**

  - o Electronic health record (EHR) or Health Information Exchange (HIE) integrations: **13 entities live, 14 in integration phase, and 60 in application phase**

  - o EDIE: **27 hospitals live**

  - o Pharmacies**: 2 retail pharmacy chains live**

- ✓ HIT Commons and OHA PDMP program staff have presented across Oregon on the PDMP Integration, **effectively getting the word out about the statewide subscription and enrollment process**.

## Overview of the Initiative

The PDMP Integration initiative leverages shared funding to cover a statewide subscription allowing integration of PDMP data into health IT systems, is built upon a public/private governance model, and is focused on transitioning authorized Oregon prescribers and pharmacists from accessing PDMP data through a web portal to through their HIT over the next three years.

*PDMP Integration Initiative Goals:*
*- **Increased** use of PDMP data at the point of care*
*- **Improved** access and prescriber efficiency*
*- **Minimized** changes to current workflow*
*- **Optimized** prescribing practices*

## Initiating a PDMP Integration Request

Interested health care organizations can start the integration request process and find more information at **orhealthleadershipcouncil.org/pdmp-integration**

## Other Information

– To review previous monthly reports; or
– To review a list of organizations currently integrated with the PDMP; or
– For more information about Oregon's PDMP Integration initiative, visit:
  orhealthleadershipcouncil.org/pdmp-integration

"We are thrilled with the success thus far achieved of bringing PDMP data into Oregon prescriber and pharmacist electronic health systems, thereby reducing access barriers and increasing informed patient care."

*Courtni Dresser, Chair, PDMP Integration Steering Committee and Director of Government Relations, Oregon Medical Association*

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