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Dear Licensee:

On July 3, 2018, we sent an email directing you to verify your registrations with the Georgia Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP). Many who received the letter had already registered with the program and were using it. The email was meant to address the 15% of DEA holders we license who were not registered and could face penalty for noncompliance.

If you had not complied already, please use this courtesy notice as an opportunity to register, as well as make use of this effective tool for monitoring your patients and their prescriptions.

The PDMP can help eliminate duplicate prescribing and overprescribing of controlled substances and provide the prescriber and pharmacist with critical information regarding a patient's controlled substance prescription history and protect them from the risk of abuse.

If you have any questions about the PDMP or registering, please send an email to pdmpsupport@dph.ga.gov. Due to high call volumes, we suggest emailing for quicker response.

Sincerely,

LaSharn Hughes, MBA

Executive Director