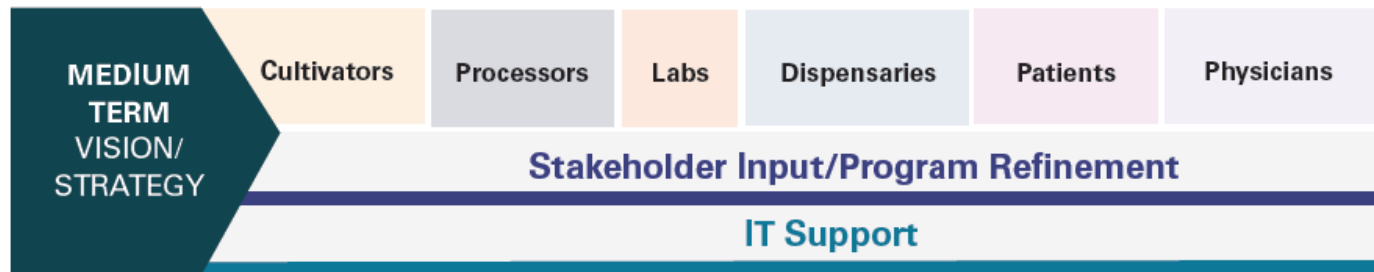
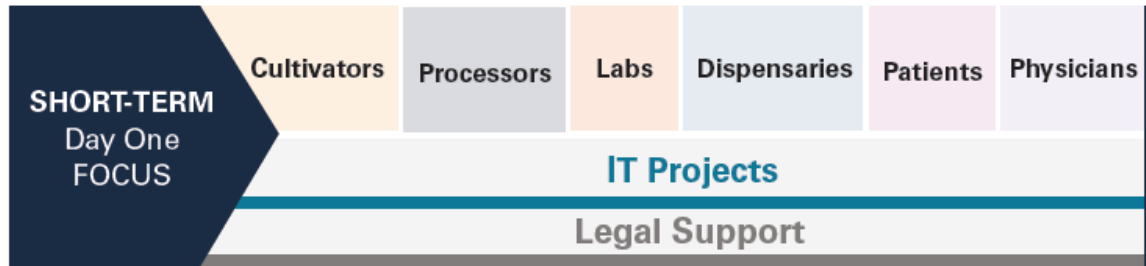


# Ohio Medical Marijuana Control Program





# Strategy





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# Operational Status



- ▶ Cultivators
  - ▶ Product Availability
  - ▶ Twenty-six provisional licenses
  - ▶ Ten Certificates of Operation
- ▶ Processors
  - ▶ Fourteen provisional licenses
  - ▶ Round 2 Processor Applications
- ▶ Testing Labs
  - ▶ Inspection Timeline



# *State of Ohio* *Board of* Pharmacy

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# Operational Status



## ■ Dispensaries

- Scheduling and conducting pre-inspections
- Scheduling final inspections
- Continued communications and guidance
- Limited product quantities, varieties and locations

## ■ Communications Plan

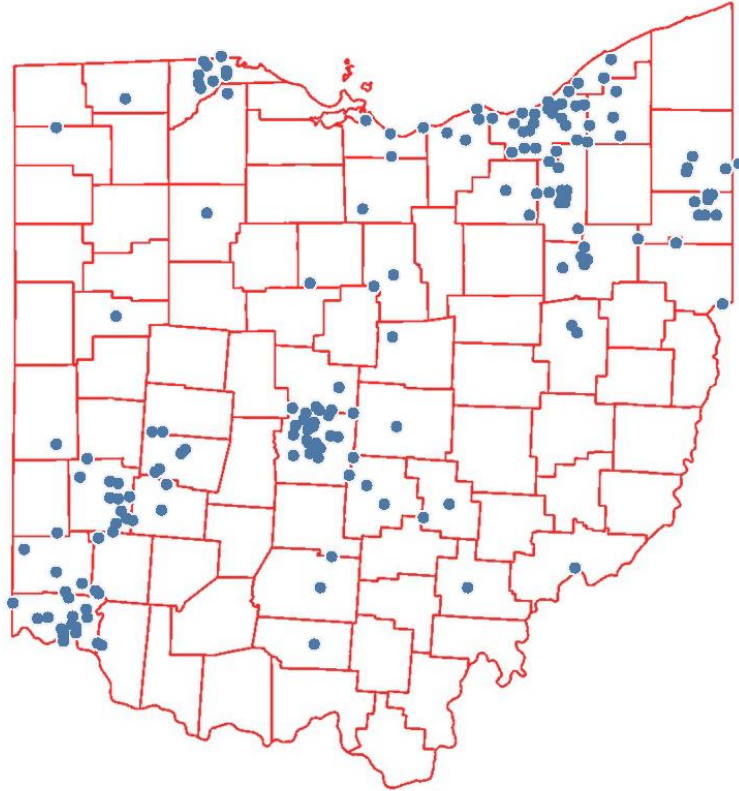
- Physician video available on website, patient video forthcoming
- Additional guidance and FAQs will be published before activation



# *State Medical Board of Ohio*

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# Physician Certificates to Recommend Medical Marijuana



- 319 active CTRs
- Expect approximately 17 more during the November 14 board meeting





# Communication to CTR Physicians

- How to enter a patient or caregiver into the Patient and Caregiver Registry so you are prepared to make entries once the registry is activated
- Review SMBO's Standard of Care rules in Ohio Administrative Code 4731-32-03
- Be aware – and advise your patients – of limited medical marijuana availability
- Advise patients that their registration is good for one year from date of payment in the BOP registry



# Petitions to Add Qualifying Conditions

- Petition window open November 1 - December 31, 2018
- Submissions via webform on [MedicalMarijuana.ohio.gov](http://MedicalMarijuana.ohio.gov)
- 7 petitions received
- Petitions require (per 4731-32-05 OAC):
  - Information from experts who specialize in condition
  - Relevant medical, scientific evidence
  - Are conventional medical therapies insufficient?
  - Evidence supporting use of medical marijuana to treat condition, other types of medical/scientific documentation
  - Letters of support provided by physicians

The petitions received so far request consideration for:

- Severe arthritis (2)
- Liver failure
- “Lots of pain”
- Premenstrual dysphoric disorder
- Fibromyalgia and Nephropathy
- Interstitial Cystitis (inflames the bladder)