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## PATIENT & CAREGIVER NEWSLETTER - APRIL 2023

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### BOARD OF PHARMACY AWARDS DISPENSARY CERTIFICATES OF OPERATION IN DAYTON, ASHTABULA, RAVENNA, EUCLID, KENT MILFORD, STRUTHERS, AND OXFORD

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The State of Ohio Board of Pharmacy awarded eight certificates of operation to the following dispensaries:

- Green Releaf, located in Dayton
- Italian Herbs, located in Ashtabula
- Supergood, located in Ravenna
- Nectar Medical Cannabis Dispensary, located in Euclid
- Bliss Ohio, located in Kent
- Uplift, located in Milford
- Green Leaf Therapy, located in Struthers
- Inspire Cannabis, located in Oxford

The Board has now issued 78 dispensary certificates of operation.

The following links provide information on dispensaries who have received a certificate of operation:

- [List of Ohio Medical Marijuana Dispensaries with Certificates of Operation](#)
  - [Map of Ohio Medical Marijuana Dispensaries with Certificates of Operation](#)
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## PATIENT SURVEY

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The Drug Enforcement and Policy Center (DEPC) at The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law has traced the development of the Ohio Medical Marijuana Control Program (OMMCP) since the start of legal sales in January 2019. For year five of their [ongoing project](#), they are again distributing an annual survey to medical marijuana patients and potential patients with the goal of evaluating their experiences and satisfaction with OMMCP to date. DEPC would appreciate if you could share your insights by [taking the survey](#), which will take approximately 5-10 minutes to complete. Your participation is completely voluntary and anonymous.

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## REGISTRY REMINDERS

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## **REGISTERING AS BOTH A PATIENT & CAREGIVER**

Registrants can only have one registration profile in the Registry. They can be registered as a patient, caregiver, or patient and caregiver. Individuals already registered as a caregiver can be registered as a patient and caregiver by having a recommendation added to their profile by their recommending physician. Individuals already registered as a patient can be registered as a patient and caregiver. To do so, the recommending physician will need to designate the existing patient as a caregiver in the registry.

If an individual has already paid the registration fee for a single registrant type (patient or caregiver), and they are subsequently registered as patient and caregiver, they will need to sign onto their Registry profile ([www.ohiomedicalmarijuanaregistry.com](http://www.ohiomedicalmarijuanaregistry.com)) and click the button labelled "UPGRADE CARD" to pay the fee required to upgrade their registrant type to patient and caregiver (i.e., \$50 patient fee, \$25 caregiver fee). Registrants within 30 days of their registration expiration date will click the RENEW CARD button to pay the fee.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Existing registrants WILL NOT receive an automated email from the Registry with a link to upgrade their registration. Furthermore, **upgrading** the registrant type to patient and caregiver WILL NOT change your registration expiration date. The annual registration fee entitles a registrant to a full year of registration. That expiration date will always be at the end of the month, one year from when the patient or caregiver activated or renewed the registration and paid the annual fee.

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## **PATIENT & CAREGIVER RESOURCES**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Renewing Patient Registration</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Renewing Caregiver Registration</a></li><li>• <a href="#">90 DAY Supply Guidance</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Patient &amp; Caregiver Newsletters</a></li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">How to Reset Your Password</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Caregiver Approval Process</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Other Resources and Guidance</a></li></ul> |
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