

DEA In a Community Pharmacy — Part 1

1. **Federal control of pharmaceutical products that contain controlled substances is based on:**
 - a. DESI Amendments
 - b. Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention Act
 - c. Food and Drug Act of 1938
 - d. Controlled Substances Act
2. **Pharmacies that handle controlled substances are required to:**
 - a. keep accurate inventories and records
 - b. report the theft on controlled substances
 - c. assess the legitimacy of controlled substance prescriptions
 - d. all of the above are correct
3. **If a pharmacist feels that a prescription written for a controlled substance will be used to support a drug habit, federal regulations require that he/she:**
 - a. call the police
 - b. confiscate the prescription
 - c. not fill the prescription
 - d. none of the above are correct
4. **Physicians have a liability to assure that controlled substance prescriptions are written for legitimate medical need that is within the scope of practice; what about pharmacists?**
 - a. have a corresponding liability to determine medical legitimacy
 - b. have to dispense within third-party program guidelines
 - c. are not doctors so there is no additional liability
 - d. none of the above are correct
5. **Which is true about DEA Form 222:**
 - a. used to order Schedule II controlled substances
 - b. used copies (2nd copy) are to be sent to the DEA monthly
 - c. is valid for 30 days after execution by a purchaser
 - d. none of the above are correct
6. **Who can sign a DEA Form 222:**
 - a. any registered pharmacist
 - b. any licensed pharmacy technician
 - c. the pharmacist in charge
 - d. none of the above are correct
7. **Which is true about pharmacy controlled substance purchase records:**
 - a. must be kept 2 years unless state requires longer
 - b. must be originals not copies
 - c. readily accessible
 - d. all of the above are correct
8. **What do the federal regulations require with regard to inventorying controlled substances:**
 - a. must be done every 24 months
 - b. recorded in trade package multiples
 - c. done only by an outside party
 - d. must be certified by pharmacy's accountant
9. **How must controlled substances be stored in a pharmacy:**
 - a. locked, substantially-built cabinet
 - b. safe or vault
 - c. dispersed throughout other inventory
 - d. all of the above are correct
10. **What is required if you want to hire a person who was denied a DEA registration if his job requires access to controlled substances?**
 - a. You cannot do it
 - b. Must obtain a waiver form the DEA
 - c. Must get permission from state board
 - d. Some other requirement
11. **Which is a requirement for Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions:**
 - a. be written and signed
 - b. contain prescriber's address
 - c. have doctor's DEA number
 - d. all of the above are correct
12. **How many times can a Schedule II prescription be refilled:**
 - a. It's not refillable
 - b. up to 60 days
 - c. 5 times in 6 months
 - d. none of the above are correct
13. **Which is correct about oral emergency Schedule II prescriptions:**
 - a. not more than 24 hours supply no matter what
 - b. can dispense up to 7 days worth on oral authority of prescriber
 - c. amount depends on duration of emergency situation
 - d. must keep telephone notes until signed prescription arrives
14. **If a pharmacist dispenses 30 tablets of a 60-tablet prescription for a Schedule II product, which is correct about filling the rest of the prescription:**
 - a. can be filled if within 72 hours
 - b. prescriber must be informed if remainder not filled
 - c. authority to dispense remaining amount lapses after 72 hours
 - d. all of the above are correct
15. **What is true about faxing Schedule II prescriptions?**
 - a. now allowed in all states
 - b. must follow Uniform Facsimile Act guidelines
 - c. automatically permitted but only if on DEA fax form
 - d. none of the above are correct

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