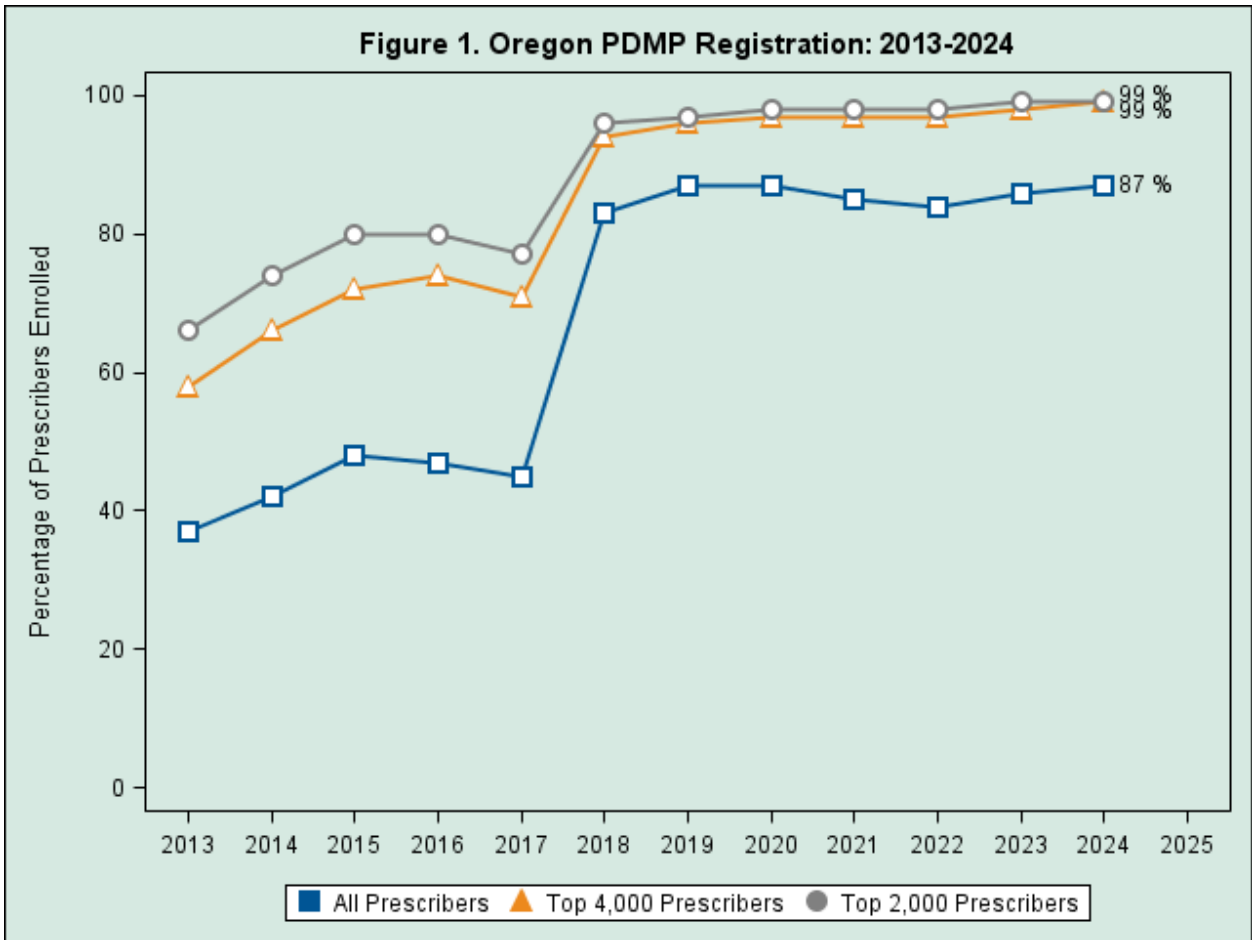


3rd Quarter 2024 Report (July 1 – September 30)

Percent change evaluated relative to 3rd Quarter 2023

Summary

- The percentage of prescribers enrolled and querying the PDMP system has stayed consistent compared to the 3rd quarter of 2023 (*Figure 1 and Table 1*).
- Gateway integration usage is increasing with automated queries increasing 14.7% and reports viewed increasing 39.3% indicating steady and increasing PDMP usage (*Table 3*).
- Queries through the web portal declined by 10.5% in the 3rd quarter of 2024 (*Table 3*).
- Overall, the total number of prescriptions for controlled substances increased (4.1%) since the 3rd quarter of 2023. Gabapentin is the most prescribed substance in the system with a slight decrease (-0.9%) in prescriptions over Q3 2023.
- While most top prescriptions decreased, stimulant prescriptions increased with amphetamine prescriptions up 8.1% and methylphenidate prescriptions increasing 11.3% (*Table 5*). Amphetamine is now the second most prescribed controlled substance.
- Active facilities and active users accessing Gateway integration continue to increase in Oregon (*Figure 2 and Figure 3*).



- Figure 1 shows the number of prescribers enrolled in the PDMP over time from 2013-2024. Registration remains consistent since 2018.

Table 1. Oregon Prescriber Enrollment and Use¹: July 1 – Sept. 30, 2024.

User Type	Prescribers	Enrolled	Web Query	Automated Query	Total Query
All Prescribers (by DEA)	19,687	17,182 (87.3%)	1,170 (6.8%)	12,786 (74.4%)	12,912 (75.1%)
Top 4,000 Prescribers	4,000	3,950 (98.8%)	786 (19.9%)	3,485 (88.2%)	3,550 (89.9%)
Top 2,000 Prescribers	2,000	1,985 (99.3%)	491 (24.7%)	1,790 (90.2%)	1,826 (92.0%)

¹Counts provided by unique DEA number. Providers may have multiple DEA numbers.

- Controlled substances were prescribed by 19,687 Oregon providers in the 3rd quarter of 2024.

- At the close of the 3rd quarter of 2024, 75.1% of enrolled prescribers, 89.9% of the top 4,000 prescribers, and 92.0% of the top 2,000 prescribers queried using the web portal and/or gateway integration.
- The percentage of enrolled prescribers who querying decreased since the 3rd quarter of 2023 when 81.2% of enrolled prescribers submitted queries.

Table 2. Special Requests: July 1 – Sept. 30, 2024.

Measure	Count
Patient Records	10
Healthcare Boards	37
Law Enforcement	1
Total Special Requests	59

- 59 special requests were received and processed by PDMP staff.
- Healthcare boards were the most frequent originators of these requests.

Table 3. PDMP Activity Summary Statistics: July 1 – Sept. 30, 2024.

User Type	Web Portal		Gateway Integration			
	Query ¹	% Change ²	Automated Query ¹	% Change ²	Report Viewed ¹	% Change ²
Healthcare providers	79,650	-3.6%	5,796,451	12.3%	962,392	16.8%
Pharmacies	62,190	-33.3%	1,473,767	25.3%	1,099,306	67.5%
Delegates	162,165	-1.1%	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total²	304,110	-10.5%	7,270,218	14.7%	2,061,698	39.3%

¹Percent change evaluated relative to same time period during the prior year.

²Query data from Appriss AWARxE web portal, PMPi Gateway audit file and EDIE audit file.
Queries de-duplicated using last name, date of birth, prescriber ID, and date of query

- Web portal queries decreased with pharmacy queries decreasing most (-33.3%).

- Gateway integrated automated queries increased (14.7%) and reports viewed increased significantly (39.3%) over the last year indicating that providers are increasingly checking patient records.
- Pharmacies had the largest decrease in web portal usage and increase in integration usage.

Table 4. Activity for PDMP-Enrolled Providers: July 1 – Sept 30, 2024.

Discipline	Total Accounts (by DEA)	% Change ¹	Web Users	% Change ¹	Integrated Users	% Change ¹
MD/PA/DO	21,540	5.0%	1,463	-9.3%	15,452	7.7%
NP/CNS-PP	5,676	15.5%	1,167	6.1%	3,988	18.5%
RPh	3,587	7.2%	1,274	-8.0%	593	27.0%
Delegates	2,843	-9.5%	1,743	-3.0%	NA	NA
DDS/DMD	2,733	1.3%	298	-18.1%	324	15.3%
ND	655	17.8%	171	3.0%	428	20.9%

¹Percent change evaluated relative to the same time period during the prior year.

- *Table 4* represents usage for only Oregon providers who are registered in the PDMP.
- In general, the total accounts for most disciplines increased, with large account gains in NP/CNS-PP and ND disciplines.
- In general, users decreased usage of the web portal and increased usage of the Gateway integrated system.

Table 5. Top Prescriptions: July 1 – Sept. 30, 2024.

Drug	Number of Rx	% of all Rx	% Change
All	1,728,673	100%	4.1%
Gabapentin	235,575	13.6%	-0.9%
Amphetamine	231,925	13.4%	8.1%
Oxycodone	228,408	13.2%	2.5%
Hydrocodone	197,736	11.4%	-4.9%
Methylphenidate	103,865	6.0%	11.3%
Lorazepam	79,058	4.6%	-1.9%
Tramadol	72,372	4.2%	-4.0%
Testosterone	65,252	3.8%	15.0%
Zolpidem	55,862	3.3%	-4.9%
Alprazolam	54,390	3.1%	-2.7%

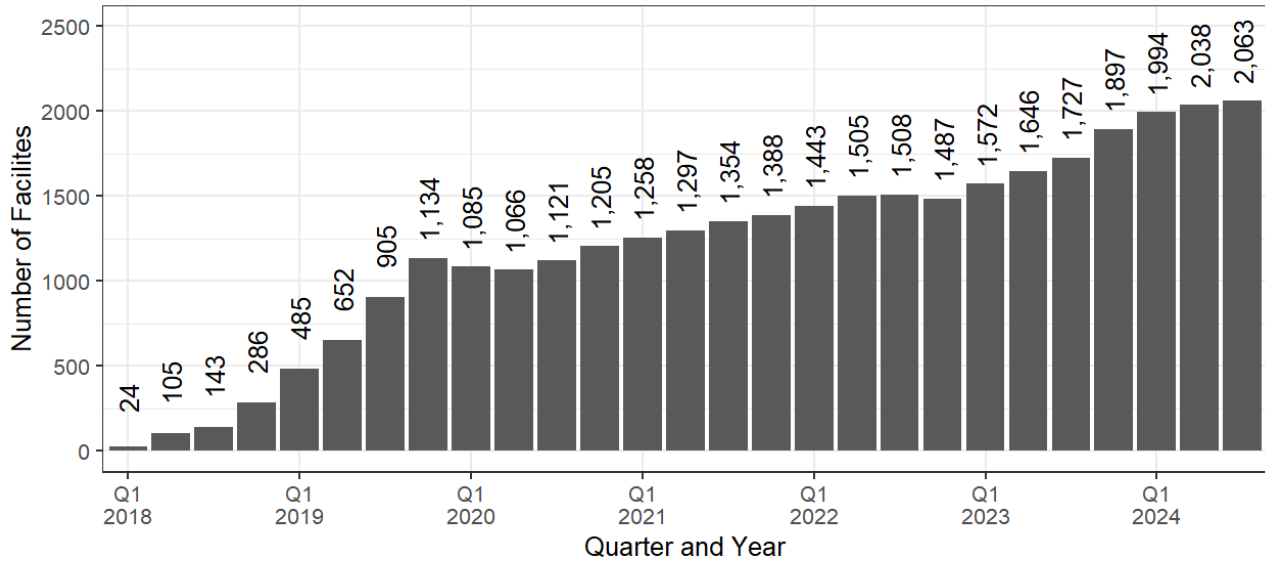
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- Controlled substance prescriptions increased 4.1% over the same quarter last year. Prescriptions for gabapentin slightly decreased (-0.9%) during this time. Gabapentin is the top prescribed drug (13.8% of all prescriptions) in the PDMP. The addition of gabapentin as a PDMP-covered substance was effective as of January 1st, 2020.
- The stimulant Amphetamine is the second most prescribed controlled substance with an 8.1% increase over the year. Methylphenidate prescriptions also increased (11.3%) over this time period.
- Prescriptions for commonly prescribed benzodiazepines decreased (i.e., lorazepam, and alprazolam). Testosterone prescriptions account for 3.8% of all controlled substance prescriptions and increased 15% over the last year.

To better understand the users and facilities accessing Gateway, *Figure 2* and *Figure 3* show usage over time.

- Active facilities steadily increased with 2,063 current active Oregon facilities in Q3 2024.

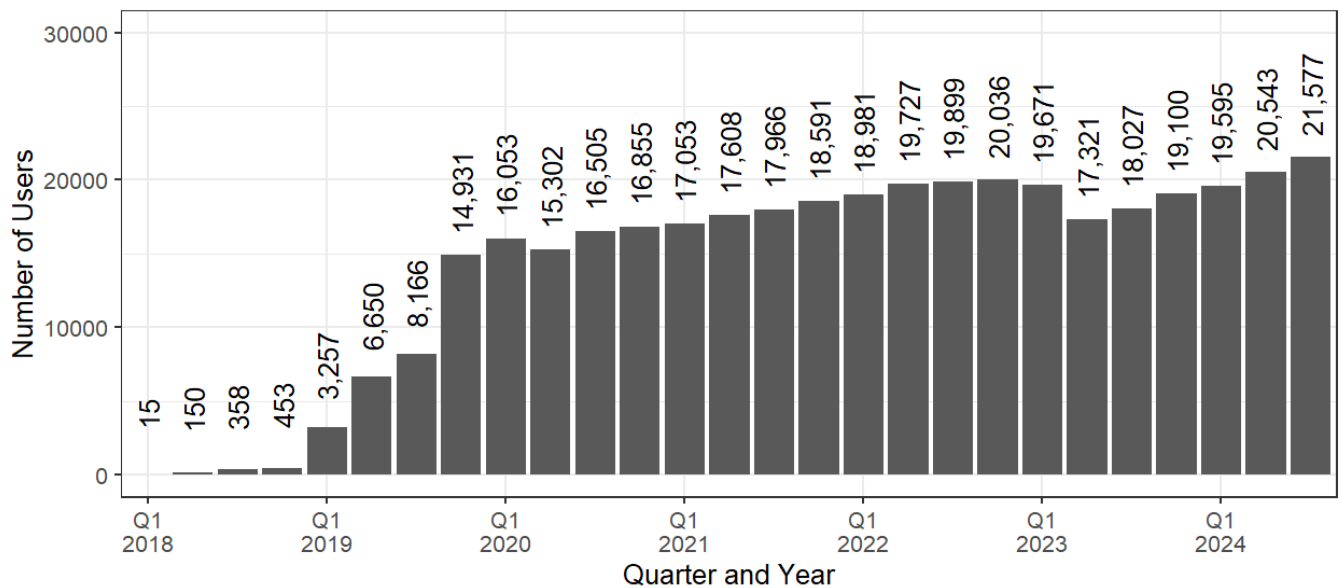
Figure 2. Active facilities accessing Gateway integration: 2018-2024



Oregon facilities only: Active status requires submission of at least one quarterly query, unique by facility ID.

- Active users slightly decreased in 2023 but has recovered in 2024 with 21,577 active users in Q3 2024.

Figure 3. Active users accessing Gateway integration: 2018-2024



Oregon users only: Active status requires submission of at least one quarterly query, unique by NPI or DEA number.

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