



Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection
Prescription Monitoring Program
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**ATTN: NOTIFICATION TO PHARMACIES OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
THE CPMRS DATA REPORTING PROGRAM**

April 21, 2008

Dear Pharmacist

In accordance with Connecticut General Statute: Section 21a-254 – The Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection has established a program to monitor the prescribing and dispensing of Schedule II, III, IV & V controlled substances. This **mandatory program** was designed to provide information regarding the prescription of controlled substances in order to prevent the improper or illegal use of the controlled substance and shall not infringe on the legitimate prescribing of a controlled substance by a prescribing practitioner acting in good faith and in the course of professional practice. The program will cover the entire state. All transactions must be submitted at least twice monthly.

This letter serves as official notification of your user name, password, website and instructions for reporting prescription data to the CPMRS Data Reporting Program. Please contact your corporate office for details if you are part of a large chain. Please review the enclosed reporting manual.

WEBSITE: www.ctrxreport.com
USERNAME: <license_no> (DEA License Number)
PASSWORD: default123\$ (you will be prompted to change your password upon sign-in)

The contractor for data collection is Optimum Technology, Inc.

Mailing address: Optimum Technology, Inc.
100 E Campus View Blvd
Suite 380
Columbus, OH 43235

Phone Number: **1-866-683-3246**

Email address: ctrxreport@otech.com

THE PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

Initial Reporting Period: July 1-15, 2008

Initial Reporting Deadline: July 25, 2008

The deadline for reporting dispensing between the 1st and 15th of each month is the 25th of that month. The deadline for reporting dispensing between the 16th and the last day of the month is the 10th of the next month. Dispensers are encouraged to report prior to the deadline in order to have time to correct any rejected submissions.

NOTE: Dispensers may report on a more frequent basis but must report at least twice monthly.

Sincerely,

John Gadea, Jr.
Director
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Drug Control Division