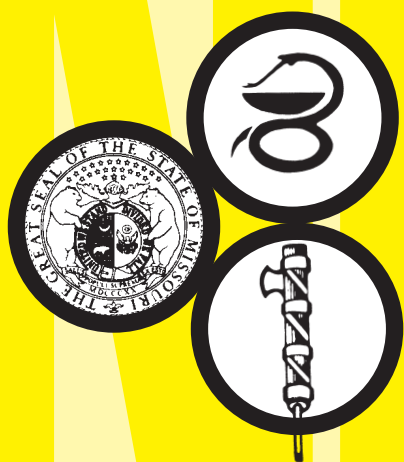


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Pharmacist License Renewal Notices

Renewal notices for pharmacists were mailed out around August 1, 2002. All licenses will be renewed for a two-year (biennial) period. No increase in licensure fees is being made for this renewal cycle. It is important to note that the Missouri Board of Pharmacy has not increased fees for licensure since 1995. Licenses expire on **October 31**. It will be illegal to practice as a pharmacist in this state without proper renewal of the license before the expiration date. Completion and submission of the renewal form along with the appropriate fee and continuing education documentation should be done as soon as possible after receipt of the renewal notice in order to allow time for processing and return of the renewal notice for the correction of any errors or omissions. While renewal notices will continue to be accepted or rejected due to errors up to the expiration date, it will not be possible to correct a rejected renewal notice during the last few days before the expiration date. Any pharmacist not receiving a renewal notice by September 1 should contact the Board office immediately. **It is the responsibility of the licensee to ensure that his or her license is renewed prior to its expiration.** Any pharmacist continuing to practice without a current license will be subject to investigation and possible disciplinary action by the Board.

Revisions to Regulations

Changes to the following regulations took effect on June 30, 2002.

4CSR 220-2.020(9)(J) Pharmacy Permits: This rule was amended to provide for a definition for Class J: Shared Services Pharmacy.

4CSR 220-2.650 Standards of Operation for a Class J: Shared Services Pharmacy: This rule provides for minimum standards of practice for this class of pharmaceutical services. Both regulations can be viewed by visiting the Board of Pharmacy Web site at www.ecodev.state.mo.us/pr/pharmacy and clicking on the Rules and Regulations icon.

Compounding Issues

Board members recently reviewed regulatory standards and compared them with some compounding practices observed in the field and provided guidance as concerns the following:

♦ Many pharmacies are now compounding in anticipation of prescriptions, which results in an inventory of product being maintained. Compounded products are limited to distribution by **patient-specific prescription**. Any excess product must be proportional to the history of prescriptions for that prod-

uct within the pharmacy prescription files. Any amount of excess product that represents more than what is needed for a three-month period would be considered batching of a product and beyond the scope of the practice of pharmacy.

- ♦ While the Supreme Court has thrown out the federal law concerning the ability of pharmacies to advertise compounding, state law still addresses this issue. While state law does not prevent the provision of general information about what compounding services are available through a pharmacy, pharmacists and pharmacies cannot make specific claims as to product effectiveness or compare efficacy of products to other manufactured drugs. In most cases, no scientifically accepted data on compounded products will be available since such information has not been evaluated by a government agency. In addition, compounding methods and expertise can vary from pharmacy to pharmacy thus the same product may actually be different in purity and/or effectiveness.
- ♦ All compounding, regardless of the type of product, is to be done by prescription. Prescription drugs, herbal products, or over-the-counter products that require compounding must only be done when a prescription is presented. The Board is aware that occasionally and on an individual basis, some compounding of an over-the-counter type product will need to be done. However, no routine compounding of this type or compounding of products that are intended to be exposed for sale to the public is permitted.

Licensing Actions

Pharmacists

Angela J. Deiters-Martinez, #43545, Collinsville, IL – May 8, 2002. Probation for two (2) years, until May 7, 2004. Misappropriated a legend product from employer for self-administration, and offered a pharmacy technician a legend product for self-administration. Section 338.055.2(5), (6), (13), and (15), RSMo Supp. 1999.

Bruce S. Greenwald, #40550, St Louis, MO – May 7, 2002. Complaint and request for Expedited Hearing filed by the board pursuant to 338.055.4, licensee consented to practice restrictions on license pending Administrative Hearing Commission hearing.

Jill C. Hanson, #2002007826, Kansas City, MO – April 8, 2002. Restricted license issued on probation for five (5) years, until April 7, 2007. Voluntary surrender of previous license due to violation of discipline on that license. Section 338.055.2(5), (13), (15), RSMo 2000.

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Timothy A. Lesch, #44574, High Ridge, MO – May 17, 2002. Suspended for 30 days, until June 15, 2002, immediately followed by Probation for five years, until June 15, 2007. Diversion of controlled substances from employer for personal use, impaired pharmacist. Section 338.055.2(1), (5), (6), (13), (15), and (17), RSMo Supp. 2001.

Jill R. Morton, #2002009861, St Louis, MO – May 9, 2002. Intern pharmacist license previously issued on probation due to possession and consumption of marijuana, licensee passed pharmacist licensure exam, and restricted pharmacist license issued on probation until October 23, 2003. Section 338.055.2(15), RSMo 2000.

Nicole A. Rogan, #2002007307, Broken Arrow, OK – April 2, 2002. Restricted license issued on probation for one (1) year, until April 1, 2003. Performed district supervisor duties which constitute the practice of pharmacy before licensed as a pharmacist. Section 338.055.2(6), RSMo 2000.

Gold Certificates

The following pharmacists received gold certificates in honor of maintaining a license with the Board for 50 years. Each gold certificate is signed by the Board members, the executive director, and Governor Bob Holden, and is accompanied with a letter of congratulations from the Board. Congratulations to those who have served the public for 50 years as a licensed pharmacist.

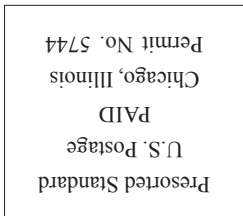
- Billings, Chester D. St Louis, MO
- Blair, Richard E. St Louis, MO
- Bower, Shelton E. Kansas City, MO
- Clayton, John T. St Louis, MO
- Clinton, Halbert L. Vandalia, MO
- Cohen, Jerome A. Creve Coeur, MO
- Dinwiddie, William H. Tipton, MO
- Evans, Henry F., Jr Neosho, MO
- Fadem, Harold St Louis, MO
- Faught, Doris V. Shalimar, FL
- Gibson, Ewing M. Branson, MO
- Gordon, Irving B. St Louis, MO
- Greco, Joseph A. Bridgeton, MO
- Henderson, William E. Glasgow, MO
- Hesselberg, Ben St Louis, MO
- Hitt, Albert C. Cape Girardeau, MO

- Holding, Richard G. Kansas City, MO
- Honigberg, David St Louis, MO
- Jones, Billy D. Sikeston, MO
- Kean, David St Louis, MO
- Kinkead, Roscoe H. Centralia, MO
- Levison, Jack A. Chesterfield, MO
- Louis, Frederick J. St Louis, MO
- McCallon, James N. Springfield, MO
- McDonald, Kenneth M. St Joseph, MO
- Mikoliza, Zolton J. Joplin, MO
- Miller, Bernard S., Jr Granite City, IL
- Misko, Charles B. Camdenton, MO
- Mitchell, James San Antonio, TX
- Mizes, Harvey Chesterfield, MO
- Norrid, William E. Malden, MO
- Otto, William E. St Louis, MO
- Porter, Theodore J., Jr St Charles, MO
- Reichert, Harold L. Kansas City, MO
- Roper, Harold J. Springfield, MO
- Ruffner, John H. Salisbury, MO
- Short, Mary L. Litchfield, IL
- Simpson, Robert L. St Louis, MO
- Stoker, Gloria H. Murphysboro, IL
- Verzino, Nicholas J. Richmond Height, MO
- Werner, Alvin L. St Louis, MO
- Windham, Forrest D. Trophy Club, TX
- Wood, Floyd E., Jr Kirkwood, MO
- Zoellner, Richard L. Coronado, CA

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