

## **ILPMP Advisory Committee**

Meeting Minutes

September 16, 2025

### **Opening**

The meeting was called to order at 12:00 p.m.

### **Roll Call**

Roll call was completed and a quorum was established. Members present: Helga Brake, Pharm D; William Campbell, DO; Raechel Ferry-Rooney, APRN; Scott Glaser, MD; Erica Ittner, OD; David Liebovitz, MD; Garry Moreland, RPh; Alma Ramic, MD; Mindy Sanders, PA; Edward Segal, DDS; Wamaitha Sullivan, DNP

Members absent: Kenneth Candido, MD; Shami Goyal, MD; Chris Herndon, Pharm D.; Tran Tran, Pharm D.

### **Approval of Minutes: Dr. David Liebovitz**

The committee approved the minutes from the March 11, 2025 meeting.

### **Reminders: Dr. David Liebovitz**

Dr. Liebovitz reminded the committee that they should complete their mandatory training and the attestation form.

### **New Member Introductions**

The Advisory Committee has 2 new members:

- Dr. Alma Ramic
- Dr. Wamaitha Sullivan (Doctoral prepared nurse practitioner)

### **Transition to Division of Behavioral Health & Recovery**

The ILPMP is now officially a part of the Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery as of July 1, 2025. (Divisions of Substance Use Prevention and Recovery + Mental Health = Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery).

### **Integration of PMP – Overdose Data Linkage: Stacey Hoferka, Health Systems Epidemiologist**

ILPMP has been working to incorporate the Department of Public Health overdose data into the PMP. The goal is to inform clinicians of overdose risk through PMP to improve the quality of care.

### **ILPMP Website Walkthrough: Andrew Whitman, Clinical Database Administrator**

As part of our DOJ23 grant, the ILPMP IT team has built a new website framework. Information and screenshots of the new website were shared.

### **ILPMP Data Dashboard Demo: Mark Cioffi, ILPMP Data Analyst**

Website now includes county-level buprenorphine dashboard. Dashboard has now refined the use of zip codes for patients per county, prescriptions per county, and prescribers per county.

### **Peer Review Committee Update: Sarah Pointer, ILPMP Clinical Director**

-FY25 Round 2 Threshold: Prescribers co-prescribing benzodiazepines and opioids to 15 or more patients for any three months during a six-month period (July-December 2024)

-Meeting was held on July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025

- 46 total prescribers identified

- Final actions

  - 17 had sufficient responses to RFI letter

  - 25 were referred to Academic Detailing

  - 4 were referred to IDFPR for no response

### **Peer Review Anonymous Referrals: Sarah Pointer, ILPMP Clinical Director**

- This feature allows users to refer prescribers to the Peer Review Committee (PRC) while remaining anonymous

- The PRC would then review the prescribing data that the ILPMP has pertaining to the referral and decide whether to send a "Request for Information" letter to the subject of the referral

- Stats to Date:

  - 12 total referrals submitted (3 same prescriber referred)

    - 1 pending referral

    - 4 referred to Academic Detailing

    - 1 received additional educational resources

    - 1 referred to IDFPR for further investigation

    - 3 deemed sufficient; no further action was taken

### **Discussion on Expanding Authorized Designee Types to Access ILPMP: Sarah Pointer, ILPMP Clinical Director**

- Current statute outlines specific list of roles who can serve as authorized designees:

  - Registered Nurse

  - Licenses Practical Nurse

  - Pharmacy Technician

  - Student Pharmacist

  - Certified Medical Assistant

  - Dental Hygienist

  - Dental Assistant

- Possibly expand designee types to other roles involved in patient care

  - Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor

  - Licensed Social Worker

  - Certified Nurse Assistant

-Clinic Manager

Discussion: Dr. Sullivan agreed that LCPCs and LSWs should have access. Rachel Ferry Rooney asked about the CNA request – Sarah to follow up on that request and reach back out to the APRNs with further info.

**Open Discussion/Public Comments**

None

**Next Advisory Committee**

- March 2026