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National Association of State  
Controlled Substances Authorities

**NASCSA Resolution 2017-02**  
**October 2017**  
**San Antonio, Texas**

**A Resolution Encouraging the United States Department of Defense to Submit Controlled Substance Dispensations to State Prescription Monitoring Programs**

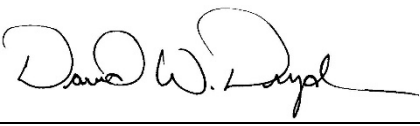
**WHEREAS**, use of Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) information assists prescribers and dispensers to make informed treatment and dispensing decisions; and

**WHEREAS**, use of PMP information serves as a valuable tool to inform policy, investigate inappropriate prescribing, dispensing and obtaining by fraud or deceit, and evaluate prevention measures to combat prescription drug abuse; and

**WHEREAS**, PMPs are more effective healthcare tools when they include all available controlled substance dispensing information for all patients;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the National Association of State Controlled Substances Authorities (NASCSA) strongly encourages the United States Department of Defense (DoD) to submit prescription dispensation information on schedules II-V controlled substances filled in DoD facilities in the United States to the respective State PMP; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that NASCSA encourages the passage of federal legislation if needed to authorize DoD to submit prescription dispensation information on schedules II-V controlled substances filled in DoD facilities in the United States to state PMP's in which the DoD facility resides in accordance with state reporting requirements.

ATTEST:   
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President

DATE: October 19, 2017