STATE LEGISLATIVE RESPONSES TO THE OPIOID EPIDEMIC

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- Prescription Drug Monitoring Programs (PDMPs)
- Prescribing guidelines or limits
- Naloxone access
- Pain clinic regulation
- Provider education and training
- And more..

Prescription drug monitoring programs (PDMP) among most promising state strategies, according to CDC

- Recent state action:
  - Registration with PDMP
  - Delegates (e.g., nurse, medical assistant) and authorized users/recipient (e.g., health, public safety, licensing board)
  - Mandatory use/universal use
  - Data submission
  - Interstate data sharing