

Ohio Medical Marijuana Control Program

State of Ohio Board of Pharmacy and Ohio Department of Commerce
Product ID Assignment Training for Processor Licensees





Training Agenda

- Introductions
- Objectives
- Purpose and background of Product ID
- Overview of Product ID Assignment in METRC
- Next Steps
- Q&A and Available Resources



Training Objectives

- Understand the context and relevance of Product ID to the functioning of the program
- Understand the required Product ID naming conventions necessary for tracking dispensation history
- Review resources available to assist commerce licensees in submitting Items for Product ID Assignment
- Answer questions from Commerce licensees



Product ID Background

- All medical marijuana products must have an assigned Product ID to be accepted by a dispensary
- Without a Product ID dispensaries cannot report the dispensation to the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program
- Processors and Cultivators will not be able to transfer product without a Product ID
- This applies to each medical marijuana strain and medical marijuana form and dose
- The assignment of a Product ID is to ensure that only products in compliance with MMCP regulations are available to patients and their caregivers



Product ID - Relevant Legal Authority

- All medical marijuana strains and products must be registered with the Ohio Department of Commerce and assigned a Product ID in METRC by the Board of Pharmacy (OAC 3796:8-2-05)
- Before any medical marijuana strain or product may be sold to a dispensary, **each dose and packaged quantity** of that product must be **assigned a product identifier**.
- The Board of Pharmacy will review submissions for Product IDs. **Issuance of a product identifier serves as evidence that the registered product complies with ORC 3796.06 and OAC 3796:8.**

Non-Plant Material Product Naming Convention Overview for an Item Brand



When creating the name of an Item Brand industry needs to use the following naming convention:

[Form and Method] – [THC Content(mg) per dose] – [CBD Content(mg)
per dose]

E.G. – Oil Oral Admin – 11-0

Please note: There is a 30 character limit for this field in OARRS. All required information needs to be within those first 30 characters.

Non-Plant Material Product Naming Convention Overview for an Item



When creating the name of an Item industry needs to use the following naming convention:

[Form and Method] – [THC Content(mg) per dose] – [CBD Content(mg) per dose] - [# of doses]

E.G. – Oil Oral Admin – 11-0-10

Please note: There is a 30 character limit for this field in OARRS. All required information needs to be within those first 30 characters. The number of doses is not required for lotions and ointments.

Forms and Methods Types Definitions



| Forms and Methods Types | Item Name Convention | Unit of Measure | Max Dose |
|---|---|-----------------------|----------|
| Tier 1 (less than 23% THC content) Plant Material for Vaporization | Tier 1 Vap – [Strain] – [% THC] – [%CBD] - [# of grams] | Weight (Grams) | N/A |
| Tier 2 (23-35% THC content) Plant Material for Vaporization. | Tier 2 Vap – [Strain] – [%THC– [%CBD] - [# of grams] | Weight (Grams) | N/A |
| Oil for Oral Administration | Oil Oral Admin – [THC Content (mg) per dose] – [CBD Content (mg) per dose] – [# of doses] | Volume (Fluid Ounces) | 50 |
| Tincture for Oral Administration | Tin Oral Admin – [THC Content (mg) per dose] – [CBD Content (mg) per dose] – [# of doses] | Volume (Fluid Ounces) | 50 |
| Capsule for Oral Administration | Cap Oral Admin – [THC Content (mg) per dose] – [CBD Content (mg) per dose] – [# of doses] | Count (Each) | 50 |
| Edible for Oral Administration | Edb Oral Admin – [THC Content (mg) per dose] – [CBD Content (mg) per dose] – [# of doses] | Count (Each) | 50 |
| Metered Oil or Solid for Vaporization | Oil or Sol Vap – [THC Content (mg) per dose] – [CBD Content (mg) per dose] – [# of doses] | Weight (Ounces) | N/A |
| Patch for Transdermal Administration | Pat TD Admin – [THC Content (mg) per dose] – [CBD Content (mg) per dose] – [# of doses] | Count (Each) | 50 |
| Lotion for Topical Administration | Lot Top Admin – [THC Content(mg)] – [CBD Content(mg)] | Volume (Fluid Ounces) | N/A |

Medical Marijuana Allowable THC % Range Examples for Brand Items / Item



- The allowable range of THC % Content for medical marijuana is defined as
 - 95% below the total THC content reported when Product ID assigned
 - 105% above the total THC content reported when Product ID assigned
- THC content % is calculated by multiplying the THCA content by .877 and then add the THCA content
- CBD content should be calculated in the same manner as THC content

Product ID Item Fields in METRC



| Field | Status | Part of Item Name? |
|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------|
| Category - (i.e. Form and Method) | Already in METRC | Yes |
| THC Content (Whole Day Unit) | Already in METRC | No – dose only |
| THC Content per Dose | Relabeled Field to be added in METRC as a part of enhancement | Yes |
| CBD Content (Whole Day Unit) | Already in METRC | No – dose only |
| CBD Content per Dose | New Field to be added in METRC as a part of enhancement | Yes |
| # of Doses | New Field to be added in METRC as a part of enhancement | Yes |
| THC % (Has to be less than 70%) | Already in METRC | No |
| Supply (Days) | Already in METRC | No |
| Unit Quantity | Unit quantity will be calculated based on the Whole Day Unit for each N-PM Category * Supply | No |

Minimum Submission Requirements (From OAC 3796:8-2-05)



- Name of the medical marijuana entity
- Medical marijuana entity license issued by the department
- Name of product
- Product description
- The form and intended method or methods of administration
- An image of the product (only for Non-Plant Material)
- Product dose
- Days supply of the product for each product package that will be available
- Product ingredients
- Remit required fee of \$100+ \$2 service charge for each Item Brand

Next Steps



- Non-Plant Material Product ID Assignment Webinar and Submission Demonstration
- Updated FAQs (current functionality) based on questions received
Revised Guidance Document with updated screenshots when METRC enhancements are implemented
- Updated FAQs released (if needed) based on METRC enhancements



Q&A and Available Resources

Questions?

Licensee Resources available for Cultivators and Processors

[https://medicalmarijuana.ohio.gov/LicenseeResources:](https://medicalmarijuana.ohio.gov/LicenseeResources)

Direct Links

- [Product ID Guidance Document](#)
- [Product ID Checklist](#)
- [Product ID Submissions FAQ](#)
- [Plant Material Days Supply Reference](#)

Appendix

Medical Marijuana Day's- Supply Dispensation Reference Guide



- This is a tool for submitting Items for Product ID assignment and to a resource for dispensary employees to quickly identify the amount of product matches the number days' supply.
- These are the only increments of Medical Marijuana Plant Materials products allowed for sale as defined in OAC 3796:8-2-04
- "Tier I" refers to Medical Marijuana Plant Material products with a THC content of 23% or less.
- Tier II" refers to Medical Marijuana Plant Material products with a THC content that exceeds 23% and contains no more than 35% THC

| PRODUCT QTY* | | DAYS DISPENSED | |
|--------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| (OUNCES) | (GRAMS) | TIER I | TIER II |
| 0.1 | 2.83 | 2 | 2 |
| 0.2 | 5.66 | 3 | 4 |
| 0.3 | 8.49 | 4 | 6 |
| 0.4 | 11.32 | 5 | 7 |
| 0.5 | 14.15 | 6 | 9 |
| 0.6 | 16.98 | 7 | 11 |
| 0.7 | 19.81 | 8 | 12 |
| 0.8 | 22.64 | 9 | 14 |
| 0.9 | 25.47 | 11 | 16 |
| 1.0 | 28.30 | 12 | 17 |