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Chapter 40. State Medical Board.

(Words in <u>boldface and underlined</u> indicate language being added; words [CAPITALIZED AND BRACKETED] indicate language being deleted. Complete new sections are not in boldface or underlined.)

- 12 AAC 40.450(a) is amended to read:
- (a) A physician assistant who prescribes, orders, administers, or dispenses controlled substances must
- (1) have a current Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) registration number, valid for that handling of that controlled substance on file with the department; and

12 AAC 40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

- 12 AAC 40.976. Registration and reporting with the prescription drug monitoring program controlled substance prescription database. A physician or physician assistant licensed under this chapter who holds a federal Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) registration number must
- (1) register and comply with the prescription drug monitoring program (PDMP) controlled substance prescription database within 30 days of initial licensure or registration with the DEA, whichever is later; and
 - (2) comply with the requirements of AS 17.30.200 and 12 AAC 52.865. (Eff.

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Authority:	AS 08.64.100	AS 08.64.326	AS 08.64.380	
	AS 08.64.107	AS 08.64.363	AS 17.30.200	