On September 1, 2020 the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy (BOP), through grants received from federal government and other state agencies, began providing a state-wide license to enable one-click access to view Minnesota Prescription Monitoring Program (MN PMP) reports within approved Electronic Health Record (EHR) and Pharmacy Dispensing Software (PDS) systems using Bamboo Health's PMP Gateway Solution.

Through integration, an authorized MN PMP account holder can perform a search with one-click, sending credentials and patient demographic information from their EHR or PDS and immediately returning a view of the MN PMP report within their clinical workflow. This results in the search process taking a matter of seconds, as opposed to the estimated 2-3 minutes from within the web portal.

In an effort to understand the value of this state-wide license, the program administered a survey to MN PMP account holders.

Responses by Role Type*

- **MD/DO**: 1,704
- **RPH**: 768
- **APRN**: 710
- **DDS**: 437
- **PA**: 340
- **Resident**: 34
- **DPM**: 27
- **OD**: 26

55% of respondents currently have integrated access.

45% Do not have integrated access.

Responses from 100% of Minnesota counties

Since receiving integrated access...

- **85.3%** are more likely to check a patient’s PMP report.
- **76.6%** say “the loss of integrated access would impact my ability to perform timely and well-informed patient care.”
- **75.7%** say... “less time spent locating patient controlled substance prescription records.”
- **30.5%** say... “improved provider/patient experience.”
- **51.1%** say... “increased provider or pharmacist productivity with expedited access.”

*Key to abbreviations: MD/DO = Medical Doctor, Doctor of Osteopathy; RPH = Pharmacist; APRN = Advanced Practice Registered Nurse; DDS = Doctor of Dental Surgery; PA = Physician Assistant; DPM = Doctor of Podiatric Medicine; OD = Optometrist.

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