

Medical Marijuana Program Implementation Status Update

Manufacturing Facility Applications Open:

Applications for entities interested in becoming a registered manufacturing facility under the North Dakota Medical Marijuana Program are now open. All application information can be viewed on the division's website. The instructions/Appendix A document details specific dates and other relevant information. Potential applicants should thoroughly read through the instructions/Appendix A document prior to completing and submitting an application.

Contract signed with BioTrackTHC:

BioTrackTHC was selected through the state procurement process as the information tracking system for the Division of Medical Marijuana. Seed-to-sale tracking and registration of all cardholders will be included in the new system. The state has executed the contract with BioTrackTHC. Contract amounts include approximately \$160,000 for implementing the system and \$80,000 annually for technical support, software maintenance, and hosting.

Administrative Rules:

The Legislative Administrative Rules Committee reviewed the proposed rules at their March 12 meeting. The Division of Medical Marijuana is excited to announce that the rules were not held over by the Committee which means they will become effective on April 1, 2018. The rules can be viewed on the division website.

Division Website:

Please continue to check the division website www.ndhealth.gov/MM/ for updated information regarding program implementation. Remember, you can subscribe to updates in order to be notified when changes have been made to the website. In addition, don't forget to check out the program snapshot, which is a visual guide to help understand where the division is at in program implementation.