

Steps to Take to Add Schedule II (Medications Containing Hydrocodone only) to Your Controlled Substance Prescriptive Authority

Effective August 28, 2015, section 334.104.2 RSMo grants permission for APRNs who have been deemed eligible for controlled substance prescriptive authority by the Board of Nursing to prescribe Schedule II medications containing Hydrocodone. This change will permit APRNs in a collaborative practice arrangement (arrangement) with a physician to prescribe only medications containing Hydrocodone from Schedule II if delegated in the arrangement. The prescription is limited to a 120 hour supply without refill just like the Schedule III narcotics.

The Board of Nursing will not require any additional information from those who already have controlled substance prescriptive authority eligibility from the Board. New applicants will utilize an updated statement of controlled substance delegation form when applying for eligibility.

Those already registered with Missouri Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs (BNDD) may fax, email or mail a request to BNDD to have Schedule II medications containing hydrocodone added to your existing registration. BNDD will amend and update the registration for no fee.

Those who are re-applying with BNDD will have a Schedule II box to check on the updated renewal application. See below for BNDD contact information.

BNDD Fax number – 573-526-2569

BNDD Email address – bndd@health.mo.gov

BNDD mailing address – Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services PO Box 570 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

For other information about BNDD, go to <http://health.mo.gov/safety/bndd/>

Once you have updated your BNDD registration, you may go to the DEA website and make a similar request. <http://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/>

IMPORTANT: Don't forget to amend the controlled substance drug list in your collaborative practice arrangement to include Schedule II –medications containing Hydrocodone.