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- (3) THE DATE OF DISPENSING;
- (4) THE QUANTITY DISPENSED;
- (5) THE PRESCRIBER; AND
- (6) THE PHARMACY FROM WHICH THE DRUG IS DISPENSED; AND
- (7) THE PRESCRIBER'S DIAGNOSIS CODE, IF SUCH CODE IS PART OF THE ELECTRONIC RECORD CREATED BY THE DISPENSER.
- (B) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION, A DISPENSER SHALL SUBMIT PRESCRIPTION MONITORING DATA TO THE PROGRAM BY ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION.
- (C) THE PROGRAM, FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN, MAY AUTHORIZE A DISPENSER TO:
- (1) SUBMIT PRESCRIPTION MONITORING DATA BY AN ALTERNATIVE FORM OF SUBMISSION; OR
- $\hspace{1cm}$  (2) OMIT ONE OR MORE ELEMENTS OF PRESCRIPTION MONITORING DATA.
- (D) THE BOARD AND THE SECRETARY MAY NOT CHARGE A FEE OR IMPOSE AN ASSESSMENT ON A HOSPITAL, DISPENSER, OR PRESCRIBER FOR:
- (1) THE ESTABLISHMENT, MAINTENANCE, OR ADMINISTRATION OF THE PROGRAM; OR
- (2) THE TRANSMISSION OF INFORMATION TO OR FROM THE PROGRAM. 21–2A–06.
  - (A) PRESCRIPTION MONITORING DATA:
- (1) ARE CONFIDENTIAL AND PRIVILEGED, AND NOT SUBJECT TO DISCOVERY, SUBPOENA, OR OTHER MEANS OF LEGAL COMPULSION IN CIVIL LITIGATION;
  - (2) ARE NOT PUBLIC RECORDS; AND
- (3) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTIONS (B) AND (D) OF THIS SECTION OR AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY LAW, MAY NOT BE DISCLOSED TO ANY PERSON.
- (B) THE PROGRAM MAY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH REGULATION, DISCLOSE PRESCRIPTION MONITORING DATA TO AN AUTHORIZED RECIPIENT:
  - (1) IN CONNECTION WITH THE MEDICAL CARE OF A PATIENT;
- (3) FOR THE PURPOSE OF FURTHERING AN EXISTING BONA FIDE INDIVIDUAL INVESTIGATION.