



# MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF PHARMACY

## PHARMACISTS IN CHARGE TOP COMPLIANCE ISSUES

Commonly observed compliance violations seen during inspections for you to be aware of. Be aware, Be compliant!

1

Unlicensed personnel or staff with expired license/registration .

2

Employment location not updated with the Board of Pharmacy (pharmacists and techs).

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Not printing the controlled substance printouts regularly. (at least every 7 days)

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Not separating Schedule II medications from Schedule III-V medications on the annual controlled substance inventory and filing separately...one file for CII's and a separate file for III-V

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Not including whether the annual inventory was done at open or close of business.

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Transfer/borrowing medication between pharmacies not done properly (by invoice)

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Using the wrong prescriber DEA number

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Expired medications in active inventory: Check your inventory regularly for outdated and/ or expired medications.

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Pharmacist-Tech ratio not followed; not understanding tasks that differentiate cashiers from pharmacy technicians

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Pharmacy technicians “stealing time” or customer coupons for personal use (both considered theft)

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Termination of employees without notifying the board

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Too many medications not used and not returned to stock appropriately