

# WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §16-46-6

## **§16-46-6. Data collection and reporting requirements; training.**

(a) Beginning March 1, 2016, and annually after that the following reports shall be compiled:

(1) The Office of Emergency Medical Services shall collect data regarding each administration of an opioid antagonist by an initial responder. The Office of Emergency Medical Services shall report this information to the Legislative Oversight Commission on Health and Human Resources Accountability, Joint Committee on Health and the West Virginia Bureau for Behavioral Health and Health Facilities. The data collected and reported shall include:

(A) The number of training programs operating in an Office of Emergency Medical Services-designated training center;

(B) The number of individuals who received training to administer an opioid antagonist;

(C) The number of individuals who received an opioid antagonist administered by an initial responder;

(2) The distribution of an opioid antagonist by a governmental or non-governmental entity, granting institution, medical provider, or pharmacy whose software cannot automatically report to the West Virginia Controlled Substance Monitoring Program database must report to the West Virginia Office of Drug Control Policy on a monthly basis. Report must be generated and submitted by the 10th day of each month for the opioid antagonists dispensed or distributed in the previous month. The following information must be reported:

(A) The name and address of the entity dispensing or distributing the opioid antagonist;

(B) The name and national drug code for each formulation of opioid antagonist dispensed or distributed;

(C) The total quantity of each formulation of opioid antagonist dispensed or distributed.

(3) The West Virginia Board of Pharmacy shall query the West Virginia Controlled Substances Monitoring Program database to compile all data related to the dispensing of opioid antagonists and combine that data with any additional data maintained by the Board of Pharmacy related to prescriptions for and distribution of opioid antagonists. The aggregate data shall be reported to the West Virginia Office of Drug Control Policy by the 10th day of each month. By February 1 and annually thereafter, the West Virginia Office of Drug Control Policy shall provide a report of this information, excluding any personally identifiable information, to the Legislative Oversight Commission on Health and Human Resources Accountability, Joint Committee on Health and the West Virginia Bureau for Behavioral Health and Health Facilities.

(b) To implement the provisions of this article, including establishing the standards for certification and approval of opioid overdose prevention and treatment training programs and protocols regarding a refusal to transport, the Office of Emergency Medical Services may promulgate emergency rules pursuant to the provisions of section fifteen, article three, chapter twenty-nine-a of this code and shall propose rules for legislative approval in accordance with the provisions of said article.