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We are pleased to provide this weekly update on the Department of Health, Office of Medical Marijuana Use's (OMMU) diligent work implementing the many requirements in Amendment 2 and those set by the Florida Legislature in section 381.986, F.S. The Florida Department of Health (Department) continues to focus on the health and safety of Florida's families and is dedicated to ensuring patients have safe access to low-THC cannabis and medical marijuana.

Patients

Qualified Patients (Active ID Card): 299,914
Total Patients: 423,199

Processing Time for Complete Application*: 5 business days
Processing Time for ID Card Printing: 5 business days

**Applications are not deemed to be complete until all required information is received and payment has successfully cleared*

- Check your application status:
<https://mmuregistry.flhealth.gov>
- Questions about your application:
Phone: 1-800-808-9580
- Consumer comments, and concerns:
Email: MedicalMarijuanaUse@flhealth.gov

Physicians

Qualified Physicians: 2,619

A physician must have an active, unrestricted license as a physician under Chapter 458, F.S., or osteopathic physician under Chapter 459, F.S., and complete a 2-hour course and exam before being qualified to order medical marijuana and low-THC cannabis for qualified patients.

Learn more here: <https://knowthefactsmmj.com/physicians>

- Find a qualified physician:
<https://knowthefactsmmj.com/patients>
- Verify your qualified physician:
<http://www.flhealthsource.gov>
- Health care complaint portal:
<https://www.flhealthcomplaint.gov>

Weekly Highlights

- Visit the OMMU's website at KnowTheFactsMMJ.com for the most current and accurate information about medical marijuana in Florida.

Medical Marijuana Treatment Centers

The department is charged with the licensing and regulation of medical marijuana treatment centers (MMTCs). MMTCs are vertically integrated businesses, and are the only businesses authorized to cultivate, process, and dispense low-THC cannabis and medical marijuana.

MMTC Authorization

After initial licensure, each MMTC must receive authorization at three stages prior to dispensing low-THC cannabis or medical marijuana: (1) cultivation authorization, (2) processing authorization, and (3) dispensing authorization.

Low-THC Cannabis & Medical Marijuana Dispensations

MMTCs dispense low-THC cannabis and medical marijuana to qualified patients and caregivers as recommended by their qualified ordering physician at approved dispensing locations, and via delivery. Medical marijuana is dispensed in milligrams of active ingredient tetrahydrocannabinol (THC), and low-THC cannabis is dispensed in milligrams of active ingredient cannabidiol (CBD).

For MMTC contact information and dispensing location addresses, visit <https://knowthefactsmmj.com/mmtc>.

MMTC Dispensations for December 20 – December 26, 2019:

MMTC Name	Dispensing Locations	Medical Marijuana (mgs THC)	Low-THC Cannabis (mgs CBD)	Marijuana in a Form for Smoking (oz)
Trulieve	42	44,890,155	669,622	9,765.734
Surterra Wellness	37	9,616,390	429,489	973.255
Curaleaf	28	8,436,837	141,454	1,722.655
Liberty Health Sciences	22	4,139,861	179,395	2,739.162
Fluent	18	4,373,595	257,990	735.294
Cresco Florida	13	3,212,480	108,724	193.639
GrowHealthy	12	3,632,084	126,796	784.914
AltMed Florida (MüV)	11	8,443,479	127,097	1,924.966
MedMen	10	1,258,493	14,771	89.702
Harvest	6	213,825	1,595	521.357
GTI (Rise Dispensaries)	6	1,074,400	18,965	387.020
Columbia Care Florida	6	46,650	5,400	158.426
One Plant	1	56,000	0	256.857
The Botanist	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Green Growth Brands	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
D&D Accounting Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dewar Nurseries, Inc	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Tree King-Tree Farm, Inc	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Perkins Nursery, Inc	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bills Nursery, Inc	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mount Dora Farms, LLC	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Revolution Florida	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total	212	89,394,249	2,081,298	20,252.981

General Background Information

Medical Marijuana ID Card Application Process: Once a patient has been diagnosed by a qualified physician and entered into the Medical Marijuana Use Registry, they can immediately begin the identification card application process. The department encourages applicants to complete the process online for fastest service. Patients receive an email from OMMU once their email address is added to the registry by their qualified physician, which directs them to the application. Once an application is approved, patients instantly receive an approval email which can be used to fill an order at an approved MMTC while the physical card is printed and mailed. Learn more here: <https://knowthefactsmmj.com/patients/cards>

Medical Marijuana Use Registry: All orders for medical marijuana are recorded and dispensed via the Medical Marijuana Use Registry. The Medical Marijuana Use Registry is accessible online, with real time information to ordering physicians, law enforcement and medical marijuana treatment center staff. Patients and caregivers may also access the Medical Marijuana Use Registry to submit a Medical Marijuana Use Registry Identification Card application, check the status of their application, and review orders and dispensations. Learn more here: <https://knowthefactsmmj.com/registry>

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