

Delaware Professionals' Health Monitoring Program Program Guidelines

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Guideline:

1. Per Division of Professional Regulation requirements, licensees prescribed medication assisted treatment (MAT) while stabilizing in treatment may enroll and participate in DPHMP.
2. Licensees who wish to continue to work, return to work, and/or seek employment while taking a MAT will have their case reviewed to determine appropriateness and safety before returning to work.
3. DPHMP will take into consideration the medical recommendation of the licensee's prescribing physician and/or third-party evaluator.
4. It is preferred that the prescribing physician is a psychiatrist or board certified in addiction with awareness of the licensee's work history, workplace setting, responsibilities, and access to medications.
5. Licensee may be required to complete a third-party evaluation prior to returning to work.
6. If allowed to return to work while on MAT, licensee must remain under prescribing physician care and provide required medication management forms as described in the licensee's monitoring addendum.