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Greetings Metrc Users,

Effective immediately, DC-licensed dispensaries may sell medical cannabis to patients enrolled in [South Dakota's medical cannabis program](#), increasing the number of U.S. states and territories whose registrations DC recognizes to 37. The determination was made following South Dakota's initial issuance of medical cannabis registrations to qualifying patients on Thursday, November 18, 2021.

[A list of all jurisdictions whose patients are extended reciprocity, including Maryland and Virginia, is available on ABRA's website.](#)

All DC patients and non-resident patients extended reciprocity may purchase medical cannabis in-person or for delivery or curbside pickup (as offered) from any of [DC's seven \(7\) licensed dispensaries](#). This permission does not extend to non-resident caregivers.

To purchase, non-resident patients must present their government-issued digital or physical registration and photo ID.

[The seven \(7\) licensed dispensaries in DC include:](#)

- Ward 1—[Capital City Care at 1115 U Street NW](#)
- Ward 2—[Herbal Alternatives at 1710 Rhode Island Avenue NW, Third Floor](#)
- Ward 2—[National Holistic Healing Center at 1636 Connecticut Avenue NW](#)
- Ward 4—[Takoma Wellness Center at 6925 Blair Road NW](#)
- Ward 6—[Kinfolk Dispensary at 433 Massachusetts Avenue NW](#)
- Ward 7—[Cannabliss at 4721 Sheriff Road NE](#)
- Ward 8—[Anacostia Organics at 2022 Martin Luther King Jr Avenue SE](#)

Any other business selling cannabis in DC other than those listed above is an illegal operation and should be reported to ABRA.enforcement@dc.gov. Tips may be made anonymously.

If you have any questions regarding the District's medical cannabis program, email medicalcannabis@dc.gov. Inquiries are responded to Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Turnaround Thursdays, Two-Year Registrations

All persons who submit a medical cannabis patient or caregiver registration application (initial or renewal) to ABRA by 11:59 p.m. EST on Monday, January 31, 2022 will be eligible for a two (2)-year registration at no cost, if approved.

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Applicants can [submit applications](#) online 24/7, by mail, or in-person Thursdays as part of ABRA's expedited same-day registration initiative.

Every Thursday through December 16, excluding Thanksgiving Day, applicants may submit their application packets in-person at ABRA's office without an appointment and be issued their digital and physical registration during their visit, if approved. Service hours are 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

ABRA's office is located at 2000 14th Street NW, Suite 400 South (Fourth Floor), Washington, DC 20009.