

Original

21 NCAC 33 .0110 is adopted with changes as published in NCR 30:13, page 1406-1407, as follows:

21 NCAC 33 .0110 REPORTING CRITERIA

(a) The Department of Health and Human Services ("Department") may report to the ~~North Carolina Midwifery Joint Committee ("MJC")~~ Committee information regarding the prescribing practices of those ~~Certified Nurse Midwives~~ midwives ("prescribers") whose prescribing:

- (1) falls within the top one percent of those prescribing 100 milligrams of morphine equivalents ("MME") per patient per day; or
- (2) falls within the top one percent of those prescribing 100 MME's per patient per day in combination with any benzodiazepine and who are within the top one percent of all controlled substance prescribers by volume.

(b) In addition, the Department may report to the ~~MJC~~ Committee information regarding ~~prescribers~~ midwives who have had two or more patient deaths in the preceding 12 months due to opioid poisoning.

(c) The Department may submit these reports to the ~~MJC~~ Committee upon request and may include the information described in G.S. 90-113.73(b).

(d) The reports and communications between the Department and the ~~MJC~~ Committee shall remain confidential pursuant to G.S. 90-113.74.

History Note: Authority G.S. 90-113.74;

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