Electronic Prescribing of Controlled Substances (EPCS)

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EPCS in Virginia

- CII-V allowed (all schedules)
- Pharmacy EPCS readiness in Virginia is 83 percent
- Virginia prescriber EPCS enablement is 0.4 percent

Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)

- Interim Final Rule (IFR)
- Approved Certification Processes
 - InfoGard Laboratories, Inc.
 - Drummond Group Inc.
 - iBeta LLC
 - Global Sage Group, LLC
 - ComplySmart, LLC
 - Electronic Healthcare Network Accrediation Commission (EHNAC)

Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)

- Practitioner requirements
- Identity proofing

Questions?