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COMPOUNDING GUIDANCE DURING THE COVID-19 EMERGENCY DECLARATION

On March 9, 2020, Governor JB Pritzker declared all counties in the State of Illinois as a disaster area in response to the outbreak of COVID-19. On April 1, 2020, and again on April 30, 2020, the Governor declared all counties in the State of Illinois as a disaster area in response to the exponential spread of COVID-19. In response, the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (“Department”), Division of Professional Regulation (the “Division”) is issuing the following Guidance.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) issued a temporary policy regarding state-licensed pharmacies and federal facilities compounding certain human drugs for hospitalized patients during the COVID-19 public health emergency.

Pharmacies may follow this guidance issued by the FDA posted on the FDA’s website here.