



## Need EPCS (to ePrescribe Controlled Substances)?

WENO Online found at [online.wenoexchange.com](http://online.wenoexchange.com) is the most economical stand-alone ePrescribing system to help practitioners all over electronically prescribe all drugs including controlled substances. It's free to register for an account and users are free unless they have an ePrescribing role (as low as \$99/year).

WENO Online has an approved US Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) audit which can be viewed at [online.wenoexchange.com](http://online.wenoexchange.com) at the bottom of the page. DEA registrants are required to use systems with this type of audit for EPCS purposes.

## Steps for accounts that need EPCS:

1. DEA rules state that a DEA registrant cannot grant themselves permission or manage settings for an EPCS role. It is a good idea for a non- DEA registrant to initially sign up.
2. Whoever signed up for the account will become the 1st administrator user & can manage locations and users, including the ability to add other users who can also manage the account or be granted an EPCS role.
3. After an EPCS user is added, then they will get 2 emails. One to verify their WENO Online account and the other is for ID proofing required for EPCS.
4. They must 1<sup>st</sup> verify their WENO account & set up their password.
5. Then they must use access the 2<sup>nd</sup> email about ID proofing. This email has a special link to get started which ties ID.me to WENO. If they go to ID.me without using this email they will not be successful.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Prescribers may experience some initial pharmacy call backs as they may not have heard of WENO before. When they ePrescribe using WENO, the pharmacies that are not already connected to WENO, will receive a fax instructing them how to access & process the legal ePrescription on WENO Online until their system can connect. They are required by state and federal law (Information Blocking is not allowed) to follow WENO's process for ePrescribing. Our contact information is on their fax instructions, tell them to contact us if they need help. It is also a good practice to always provide patients with a copy of their electronic prescription. It contains a COPY ONLY watermark on it per DEA rules, so it is suitable for patients. This helps resolve issues at the pharmacies as well.