

U.S. Department of Justice * Drug Enforcement Administration Diversion Control Division

Status of Print Services for DEA Registrants (June 9, 2025)

As we reported on April 24 (and again on May 2), beginning on May 14, 2025, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Diversion Control Division migrated its hardware and software infrastructure to a new location. This physical move was the result of contractual matters negotiated by the Government Services Administration (GSA) and is part of DEA's ongoing effort to improve service efficiency and reliability. Operations related to the receipt, printing, and distribution of various forms – especially U.S. Official Order Form (DEA Form 222) – were reported as being temporarily affected.

As of June 3, 2025, the hardware has been relocated to a "temporary" area and printing services have been partially restored. The temporary location allows for printing of DEA-222s (only) on an emergency basis, i.e. instances in which the DEA registrant has zero order forms on hand. DEA will remain in this posture during the construction of the permanent space which we anticipate being completed in mid-July. Engineering and physical facility teams are working diligently to restore full printing functionality. We will update registrants as work proceeds and continue to press for the earliest, safest, implementation date.

While we recognize that this is less than ideal for some registrants, we are encouraged that most controlled substances orders are performed utilizing the **Controlled Substances Ordering System** (CSOS) which permits electronic ordering.

If you are in need of DEA-issued 222 forms and have none on hand, please contact the Diversion Control Division Help Desk at 1-800-882-9539 or via email at: **DEA.Registration.Help@dea.gov**

Alternatively, you may also call your local DEA office who may submit that order on your behalf.