

## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Department of Health Requests Letters of Intent for Proposed Medical Marijuana Compassion Centers**

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Department of Health (NDDoH), Division of Medical Marijuana requests that any entity interested in submitting a proposal to become a registered compassion center submit a letter of intent.

A compassion center is a medical marijuana grower/manufacturing facility or a medical marijuana dispensary. In accordance with North Dakota Century Code 19-24.1, the department will issue a Request for Proposal (RFP) for purposes of registering up to two manufacturing facilities and up to eight dispensaries in the state of North Dakota.

The letter of intent serves to notify the department of your intention to submit a proposal in response to the RFP. Please note that a non-refundable application fee of \$5,000 is required with the submission of a proposal. The submission of a letter of intent does not obligate the department to register or select the entity as a compassion center.

Guidelines for the Letter of Intent to Apply can be found here: <https://www.ndhealth.gov/mm/>. Questions regarding the Letter of Intent to Apply can be emailed to [medmarijuana@nd.gov](mailto:medmarijuana@nd.gov) or via phone at 701.328.1311.

The Letter of Intent to Apply can be submitted via email or standard mail to:

North Dakota Department of Health  
Division of Medical Marijuana  
600 East Boulevard Ave, Dept. 301  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0200  
Email: [medmarijuana@nd.gov](mailto:medmarijuana@nd.gov)

The Letter of Intent to Apply can also be hand-delivered to the Division of Medical Marijuana, which is located on the 2nd floor of the Judicial Wing (Room 202) at the state Capitol.

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