

Prescribers and Credentialing Agents Only: Read the following requirements prior to submitting a new application or renewing your Hawaii Controlled Substance Registration (Hawaii CSR).

- 1. A prescriber MUST be physically within the borders of the State of Hawaii when issuing a prescription for a controlled substance.**

Hawaii Revised Statute restricts a practitioner from prescribing while physically out of the State of Hawaii. For your review and reference refer to the following excerpt from Hawaii Revised Statute 329-38:

(i) Prescriptions for controlled substances shall be issued only as follows:

(1) All prescriptions for controlled substances shall originate from within the State and be dated as of, and signed on, the day when the prescriptions were issued and shall contain:

Refer to full statute contained in:

[Hawaii Revised Statute 329-38](#)

This requirement is also reiterated under Hawaii Revised Statute 329-41 Prohibited acts B--penalties. For your review, refer to the following excerpt from Hawaii Revised Statute 329-41:

(a) It is unlawful for any person:

(8) Who is a practitioner to facilitate the issuance or distribution of a written prescription or to issue an oral prescription for a controlled substance when not physically in the State.

(c) Any person who violates this section is guilty of a class C felony.

Refer to full statute contained in:

[Hawaii Revised Statute 329-41](#)