**Section 2081.70 Designated Medications**

For tracking purposes, the Department, by recommendation of the PMPAC may designate and list drugs, other substances or immediate precursors as:

a) A Schedule I, if the Department finds that:

1) *the substance has high potential for abuse; and*

2) *the substance has no currently accepted medical use in treatment in the United States or lacks accepted safety for use in treatment under medical supervision* [720 ILCS 570/203].

b) A Schedule II, if the Department finds that:

1) *the substance has high potential for abuse;*

2) *the substance has currently accepted medical use in treatment in the United States, or currently accepted medical use with severe restrictions; and*

3) *the abuse of the substance may lead to severe psychological or physiological dependence.* [720 ILCS 570/205]

c) A Schedule III, if the Department finds that:

1) *the substance has a potential for abuse less than the substances listed in Schedule II;*

2) *the substance has currently accepted medical use in treatment in the United States; and*

3) *abuse of the substance may lead to moderate or low physiological dependence or high psychological dependence.* [720 ILCS 570/207]

d) A Schedule IV, if the Department finds that:

1) *the substance has a low potential for abuse relative to substances in Schedule III;*

2) *the substance has currently accepted medical use in treatment in the United States; and*

3) *abuse of the substance may lead to limited physiological dependence or psychological dependence relative to the substances in Schedule III.* [720 ILCS 570/209]

e) A Schedule V, if the Department finds that:

1) *the substance has low potential for abuse relative to the controlled substances listed in Schedule IV;*

2) *the substance has currently accepted medical use in treatment in the United States; and*

3) *abuse of the substance may lead to limited physiological dependence or psychological dependence relative to the substances in Schedule IV, or the substance is a targeted methamphetamine precursor as defined in the Methamphetamine Precursor Control Act* [720 ILCS 648]. [720 ILCS 570/211]