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Status and Implementation of the Medical Marijuana Program



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The Medical Marijuana Program

- Patient Cardholder Registry
 - Cardholder/Caregiver Registry: enables approved individuals to enroll in the medical marijuana program
- Medical Marijuana Establishments
 - Establishment Program: certifies, inspects, audits, coordinates and guides the MM establishments



Patient Cardholder Registry

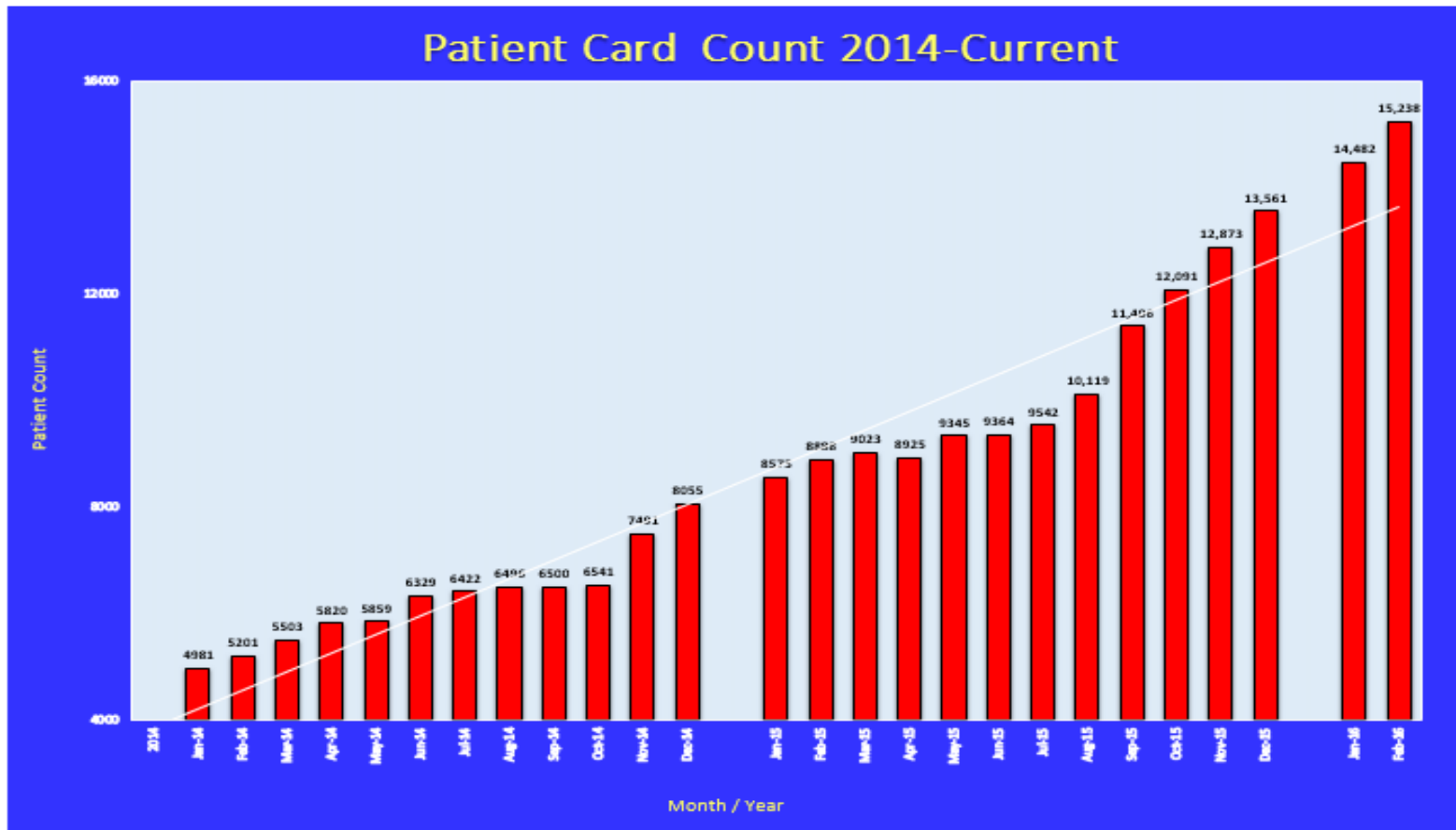


Nevada MM Patient Demographics February, 2016

- Patients with cards: 15,238
- Caregivers with cards: 1,144
- Patients 45-54 with cards: 2,755
- Patients 55-64 with cards: 3,592
- Patients 65 and older with cards: 2,875

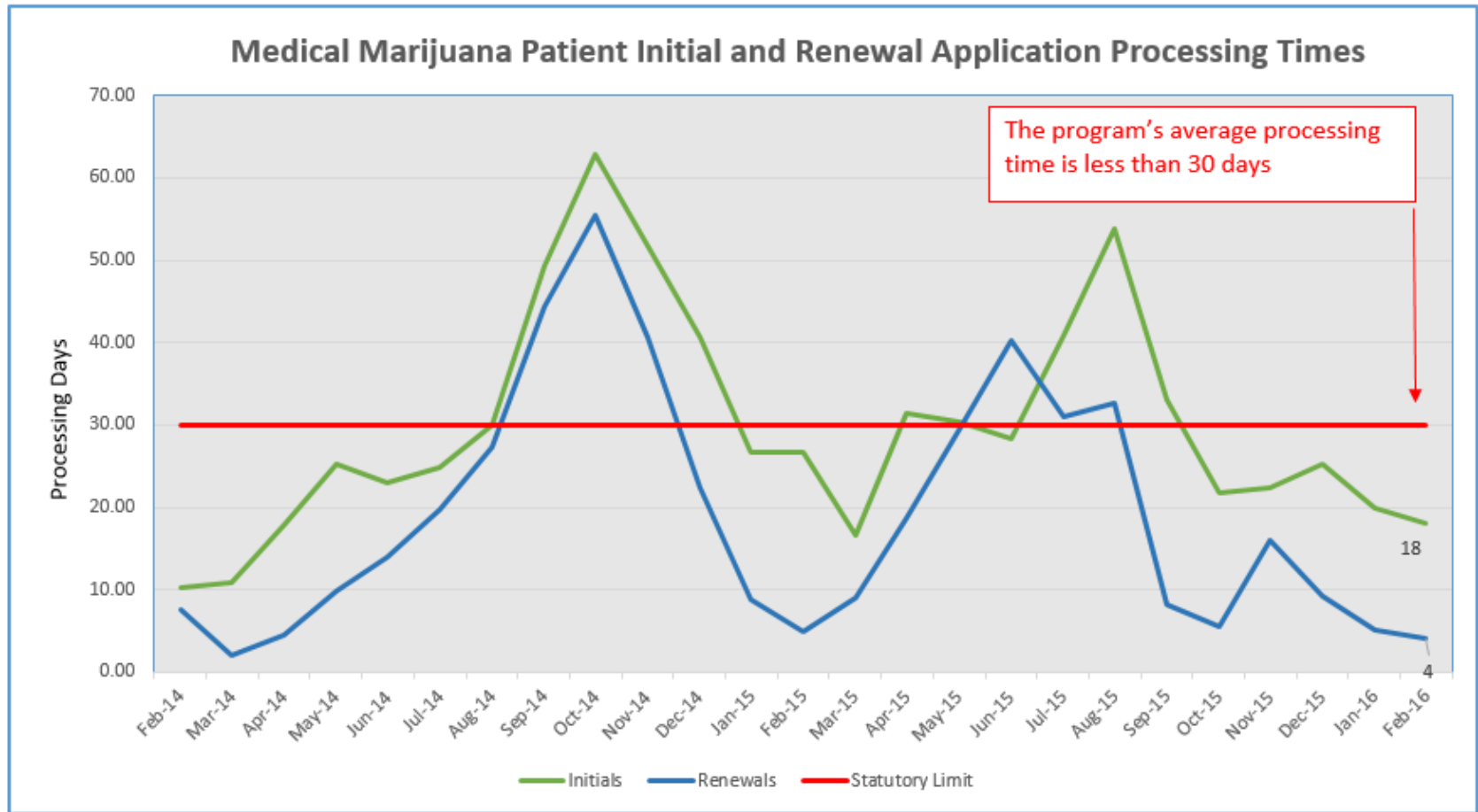


Patient Card Count 2014-Current





Application Processing





Division Fees for a MM Card

- Purchase an application packet : \$25.00
- Have an application processed: \$75.00
- Have DMV print the card: \$13.25
- Total cost \$113.25





New Online Cardholder Registry

- Now Allows Applicants to
 - Register and create their profile
 - Scan and upload their driver's license
 - Download and print the medical marijuana card application
 - Save a lot of back-and-forth mail time



New Online Cardholder Registry

- Will Soon Allow Applicants to
 - Make registration or renewal payments online
 - Upload application documents
 - Check on the status of their card application
 - Renew online
 - View history of their dispensary purchases



Medical Marijuana Establishments





Establishment Update

March 16, 2016

Northern Nevada Establishments with Final Certificates

- Dispensaries: 3
- Cultivators: 9
- Production: 7
- Laboratories: 2
- At this time, all are in Washoe County



Establishment Update

March 16, 2016

Southern Nevada Establishments with Final Certificates

- Dispensaries: 19
- Cultivators: 29
- Production: 10
- Laboratories: 5
- 4 in Nye County, the rest in Clark County



Who is “fully operational”?

(as of March 16, 2016)

- Dispensaries 33% (22/66)
 - Cultivation Facilities 20% (38/182)
 - Production Facilities 14% (17/118)
 - Laboratories 41% (7/17)
 - Aggregate 22% (84/383)
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- May 3, 2016 is just around the corner



Fees for Final Certificates

- Dispensaries \$ 30,000.00
- Laboratories \$ 5,000.00
- Cultivation Facilities \$ 3,000.00
- Production Facilities \$ 3,000.00



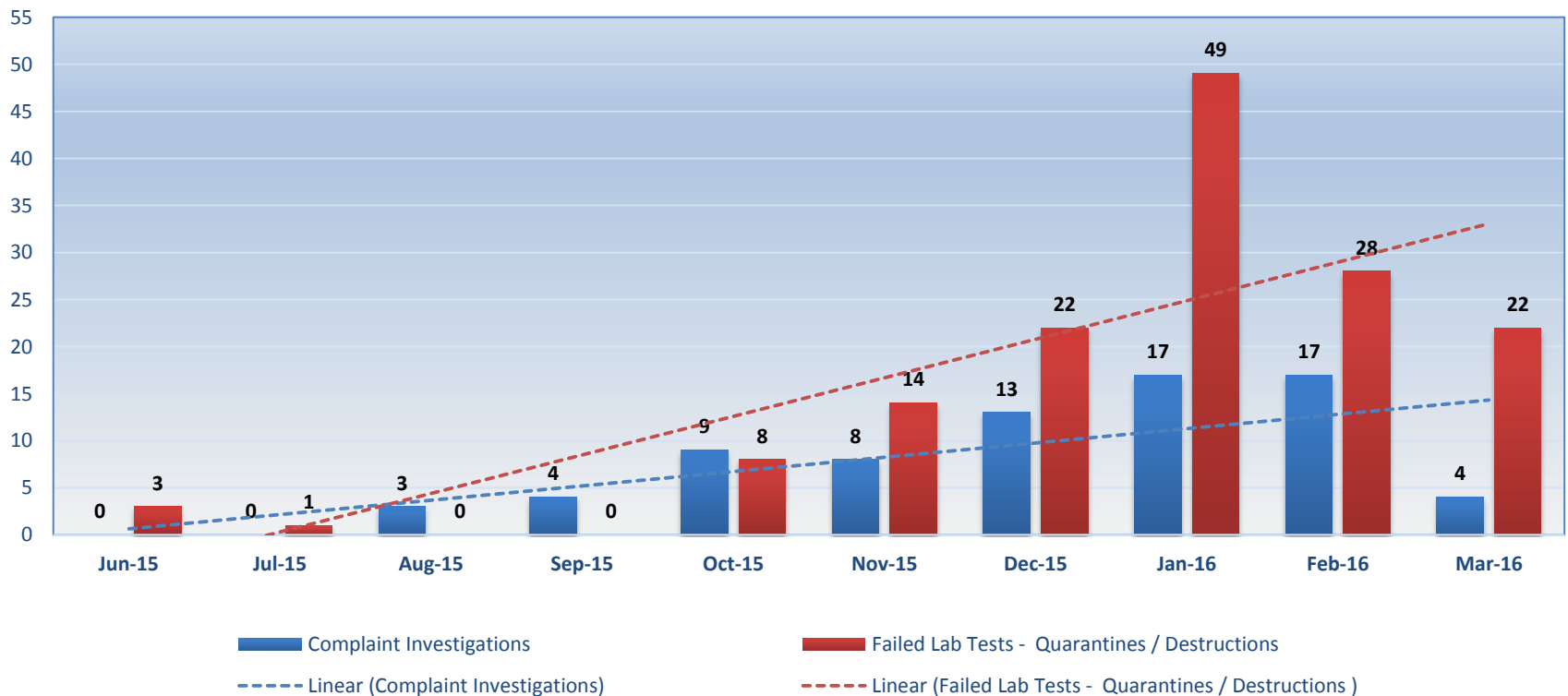
Annual Renewal Fees

- Dispensaries \$ 5,000.00
- Laboratories \$ 3,000.00
- Cultivation Facilities \$ 1,000.00
- Production Facilities \$ 1,000.00



Complaint Data

Medical Marijuana Program Complaint Investigations & Failed Lab Tests
Data through 3/08/16





Reasons for Complaints

- Some complex in nature, some more simple
 - Lack of agent cards
 - Unapproved advertisements
 - Patient reactions to products
 - Illegal transactions
 - Mutual interest with a MM laboratory
 - Stolen product



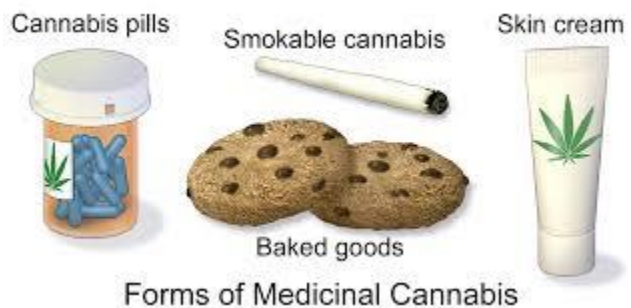
Wax



Trichomes on flower



Kief



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Thank you!



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