

Retail FAQs

I operate a dispensary and have been selling recreational marijuana since October last year, so that makes me an OLCC retailer right?

No. You are still an Oregon Health Authority Oregon Medical Marijuana Program registered dispensary. You need to follow all rules and regulations under the OMMP.

OMMP released a [bulletin on September 9, 2016](#) explaining the rule changes that apply to your dispensary.

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I am a medical marijuana dispensary, do I need to apply with the OLCC to become a recreational store?

Yes. You can apply for an OLCC license on the [OLCC website](#).

You do not become an OLCC licensee until you apply, go through the application process, have a final site inspection, are approved for a license by the OLCC and pay your licensing fee.

Can I continue to sell medical marijuana after I have an OLCC Retailer license?

After you receive an OLCC Retailer license you may register with the OLCC to sell marijuana for medical purposes. This will allow you to sell medical grade cannabinoid extracts, concentrates, and products to OMMP cardholders and usable marijuana to OMMP cardholders tax-free.

You will only be able to obtain new marijuana items from other OLCC licensees and will only be able to obtain medical grade cannabinoid items from a Processor registered with the OLCC to produce medical grade products.

Do I automatically become an OLCC licensee on October 1st or January 1, 2016?

No. OHA dispensaries are not automatically grandfathered to receive an OLCC retail license. OHA dispensaries need to apply in the same manner as other retail license applicants.

I own a medical dispensary, and plan to stay medical, what rules do I follow?

You need to follow all of the OHA OMMP medical marijuana rules.

The rules can be found on the [OMMP website](#).

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Once I am licensed by the OLCC who can I receive product from? Can I still take product from patients?

To receive your Oregon Liquor Control Commission (OLCC) license you are required to surrender your OHA registration. Once you receive an OLCC recreational marijuana license, you can no longer operate as an OMMP dispensary.

As an OLCC licensee you can no longer accept product from the medical system, you can only receive product from other OLCC licensees that are using a Metrc (Cannabis Tracking System) account; all transfers between licensees require the use of a Metrc transfer manifest.

You must follow all rules and regulations listed in [OLCC Division 25 Rules](#).

How do I know if I am licensed by the OLCC?

One easy way to find out is to determine if you have an OLCC license posted at your store. This is what an OLCC license looks like:



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