


Below is a sample Rx form illustrating placement of the seal of approval. The seal must appear in the lower right corner within the borders of the prescription form directly below the required two signature lines.

Prescriber's Name Clinic Name (if applicable) Practice Site Address Phone Number	
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Substitution Permitted	Dispense as Written
	

We've listed below items that must appear on a prescription form. Washington laws or rules do not define the format or size of a prescription. However, you must position the seal and the two signature lines as shown above.

The following is required to be on the form, either imprinted or added at the time the prescription is issued:

- Date of issue
- Patient's name and address (address required only on controlled substance prescriptions and electronically transmission of prescription information)
- Practitioner's name, address, and DEA registration number*
- Drug name
- Drug strength
- Dosage form
- Quantity prescribed
- Directions for use
- Number of refills, if any, authorized
- Manual signature of prescriber

*** Note:** The DEA discourages the imprinting of the DEA number on the Rx form. A designated place for the prescriber to enter the information is appropriate. If you have one, we encourage you to use your National Practitioner Identification number (NPI number).

- Two-part or NCR forms – Seal must appear on original form. It is not required on a copy.
 - Vendors may provide legitimate requestors with blank stock of the commission-approved tamper resistant paper, with the seal, to print prescription specific information in the office.
 - Minimize all overlay of text or obstruction of the seal of approval.

Specifications for the seal of approval (various shades of black):

- The Washington State outline map is center within a mortar and pestle watermark behind the seal.
 - 20 percent black for the “watermark” *mortar and pestle*
- State of Washington
 - Text – Black
 - Mortar and Pestle – W by H = 1.125 inches by 1.125 inches