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State	Scheduling Body or Bodies	Authority
Alabama	State Board of Health	§ 20-2-20
Alaska	Governor with advice of the Controlled Substance Advisory Committee	§ 11.71.120 (see § 11.71.100 for make-up of Controlled Substance Advisory Comm.)
Arizona	Legislature	Not specified in statute
Arkansas	Director of the Department of Health	§ 5-64-201
California	Legislature	Not specified in statute
Colorado	Board of Pharmacy and General Assembly	§ 18-18-201
Connecticut	Commissioner of Consumer Protection with the advice of the Commissioner of Pharmacy	§ 21a-243
Delaware	Secretary of the Department of State	16 § 4711
Florida	Attorney General with medical and scientific evaluations from the Departments of Health and Law Enforcement, as well as recommendations as to the classification of the substance	§§ 893.035 & 893.0355
Georgia	State Board of Pharmacy	§ 16-13-22
Hawaii	Legislature with recommendations from the Department of Public Safety; Administrator of the narcotics enforcement division of the Dept. of Public Safety on emergency basis	§ 329-11
Idaho	Board of Pharmacy	§ 37-2702
Illinois	Department of Human Services	720 § 570/201
Indiana	General Assembly with recommendations of the Board of Pharmacy; Board may reclassify a substance by rule, and shall recommend the same reclassification to the General Assembly	§§ 35-48-2-1 & 35-48-2-14
Iowa	General Assembly with	§ 124.201

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	recommendations of the Board of Pharmacy	
Kansas	General Assembly with recommendations of the Board of Pharmacy; Board by rule on an emergency basis	§ 65-4102
Kentucky	Cabinet for Health and Family Services	§ 218A.020
Louisiana	Secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals	§ 40:962
Maine	Legislature	Not specified in statute
Maryland	Department of Health and Mental Hygiene	Criminal Law § 5-202
Massachusetts	Commissioner of Public Health	94C § 2
Michigan	Administrator Board of Pharmacy with recommendations of scientific advisory commission	§§ 333.7201 & 333.7206
Minnesota	Board of Pharmacy	§ 152.02
Mississippi	Legislature with recommendations of Board of Health	§ 41-29-111
Missouri	Department of Health and Senior Services	§ 195.015
Montana	Board of Pharmacy	§ 50-32-103
Nebraska	Legislature	Not specified in statute
Nevada	Board of Pharmacy	§§ 453.166, 453.176, 453.186, 453.196, & 453.206
New Hampshire	Commissioner of the Department of Health and Human Services	§ 318-B:1-a
New Jersey	Director of the Division of Consumer Affairs in the Department of Law and Public Safety	§ 24:21-3
New Mexico	Board of Pharmacy	§ 30-31-5
New York	Legislature and Commissioner of the Department of Health	Public Health Law § 3308
North Carolina	Commission for Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Substance Abuse Services	§ 90-88

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North Dakota	Board of Pharmacy	§ 19-03.1-02
Ohio	Board of Pharmacy	§ 3719.44
Oklahoma	Board of Pharmacy	63 § 2-201
Oregon	Board of Pharmacy	§ 475.035
Pennsylvania	Secretary of Health	35 § 780-103
Rhode Island	Director of Health	§ 21-28-2.01
South Carolina	General Assembly with recommendations of the Department of Health and Environmental Control; Department when General Assembly not in session	§ 44-53-160
South Dakota	Legislature with recommendations of Department of Health	§ 34-20B-27
Tennessee	Commissioner of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services with agreement of the Commissioner of Health	§ 39-17-403
Texas	Commissioner of Public Health with approval of the Board of Health	Health & Safety Code § 481.034
Utah	Legislature	Not specified in statute
Vermont	Board of Health	18 § 4202
Virginia	Board of Pharmacy	§ 54.1-3443
Washington	Board of Pharmacy	§ 69.50.201
West Virginia	Legislature with the recommendations of the Board of Pharmacy; Board on an emergency basis between regular legislative sessions	§ 60A-2-201
Wisconsin	Controlled Substances Board	§ 961.11
Wyoming	Attorney General as Commissioner of Drugs and Substances Control with advice of advisory board on drugs and substances control	§§ 35-7-1003, 35-7-1005, & 35-7-1011

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