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## Boardman Podiatrist Indicted on 79 Charges including Drug Trafficking

BOARDMAN, Ohio – On February 7, 2019, James E. Prommersberger, DPM was indicted on charges including drug trafficking and Medicaid fraud by a Mahoning County Grand Jury.

Dr. Prommersberger, a Boardman podiatrist, was charged in a 79-count indictment that included charges of trafficking, illegal processing of drug documents and Medicaid fraud. The Board of Pharmacy collaborated on this investigation with the Mahoning Valley Law Enforcement Task Force, Mahoning County Sheriff's Office, Mahoning County Prosecutor's Office, Boardman Township Police Department, and the Attorney General's Medicaid Fraud Control Unit.

"I am proud of the work done by Board staff in collaboration with state and local partners," said State of Ohio Board of Pharmacy Executive Director Steve Schierholt. "Through this collaborative effort, we have put a stop to criminal behavior that endangered the community."

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