March 15, 2018

Dear Dr.,

In our efforts to meet our compliance obligations, our pharmacists' corresponding responsibility under 21 CFR §1306.04, and our mission to help combat prescription drug abuse and diversion, we routinely review the prescribing patterns and practices of prescribers whose controlled substance prescriptions are presented to us for filling at our Walmart and Sams' Club pharmacies.

We request the opportunity to review your controlled substance prescribing practices and general patient base. We ask that you please provide information about your medical practice, including but not limited to patient prescribing information, patient population, and any additional information that you believe may help Walmart better understand your practices and procedures for prescribing controlled substances.

It would also be helpful if you share any actions you take with your patients to prevent abuse, diversion or addiction to controlled substances. Please send this information to RXCSComply@wal-mart.com within five (5) business days of receipt of this letter. If we do not hear from you, we may not be able to continue dispensing your controlled substance prescriptions at Walmart/Sam's Club pharmacies.

Sincerely,

Health & Wellness Practice Compliance
May 25, 2018

Re: Controlled Substance Prescriptions

Dear Dr.,

We are writing to inform you that Walmart and Sam’s Club pharmacies will no longer be able to fill prescriptions that you write for controlled substances (Schedules II-V).

In our efforts to meet our compliance obligations, our pharmacist’s corresponding responsibility under 21 CFR §1306.04, and to help combat prescription drug abuse and diversion, we routinely review the prescribing patterns and practices of the prescribers whose prescriptions are presented to us for filling. In reviewing your controlled substance prescribing patterns and other factors, we have determined that we will not be able to continue filling your controlled substance prescriptions. We will continue to review information related to controlled substance prescribing, and will inform you if our policies change. We regret any inconvenience this may cause to you or your patients.

Please direct any questions regarding this matter to RXCSComply@wal-mart.com or (479) 204-3461.

Sincerely,

Health & Wellness Practice Compliance