

Advanced Pain Management & Spine Specialists IS NOT A "PILL MILL" "Pill Mills" Kill!

What is a Pill Mill?

A pill mill is a business that prescribes and sells prescription drugs such as Oxycontin, Roxycontin, Soma, Xanax, or Vicodin from an onsite pharmacy to anyone that can pay without proper patient medical examination, diagnostic testing, medical record review, nor proof of medical necessity.

Do Pill Mills kill?

- Yes. 11 people die a day from PRESCRIPTION medication overdose in Florida
- Teenage death rates are skyrocketing from the use of PRESCRIPTION medications
- Prescription medication is as addictive and deadly as heroin
- Pill Mills perpetuate the dispensing and distribution of prescription drugs and related crime

APMSS is a legitimate interventional pain management medical practice.

The differences between our practice and "Pill Mills" are:

- We are board certified physicians, researchers, lecturers, and national board examiners dedicated to treating patients with chronic and acute pain. For explicit details regarding our credentials, please visit www.apmss.net
- We find it reprehensible that patients are given prescription drugs to treat their pain without determining the underlying disease process. Pain is a symptom; it is not a cause.
- We accept most insurances.
- We do not see walk-in patients. The majority of our patients are referrals.
- We do background checks on all new patients. We drug test our patients in compliance to Florida law.
- We do not routinely prescribe narcotics. Our patients are seen on a regular basis and must comply with their treatment plan.
- New patients who are on high doses of pain medications are DETOXED.
- We ardently support all anti "Pill Mill" legislation and the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program implementation by the State of Florida.

Everyone in our community should take personal responsibility to keep Florida the "Sunshine State" and NOT the "Pill Ville State."



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