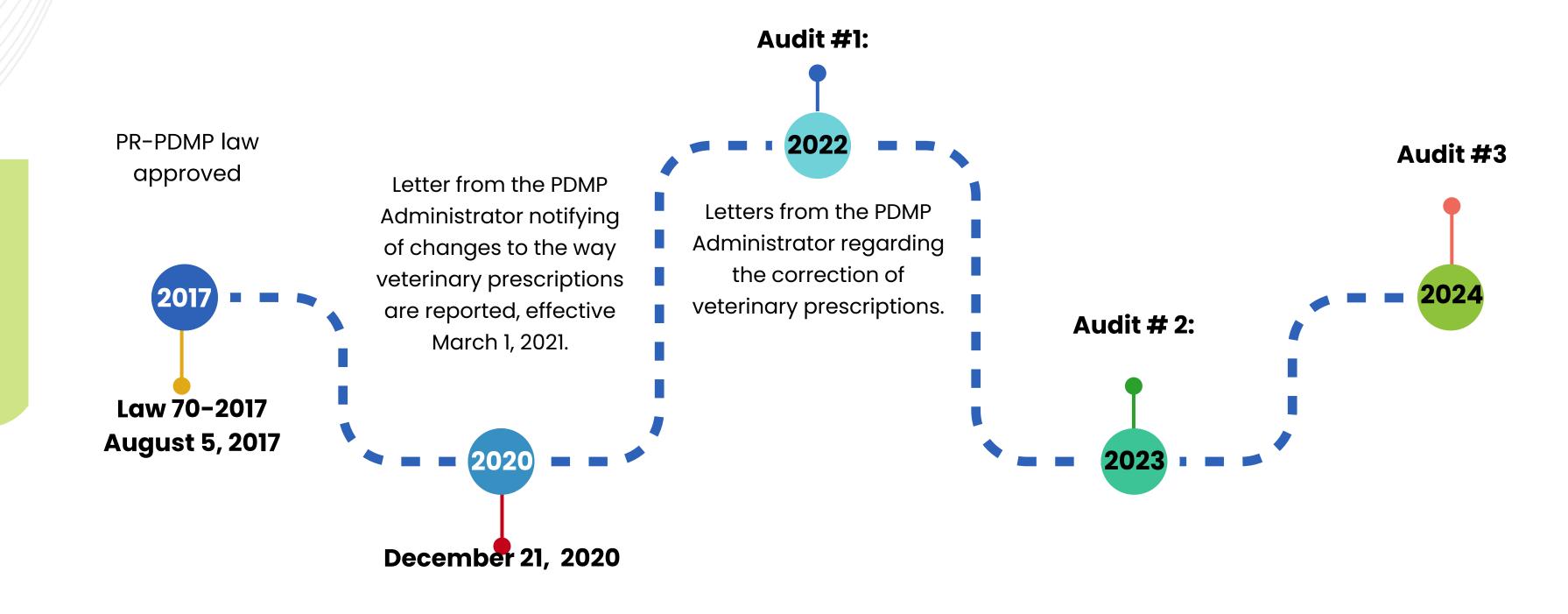




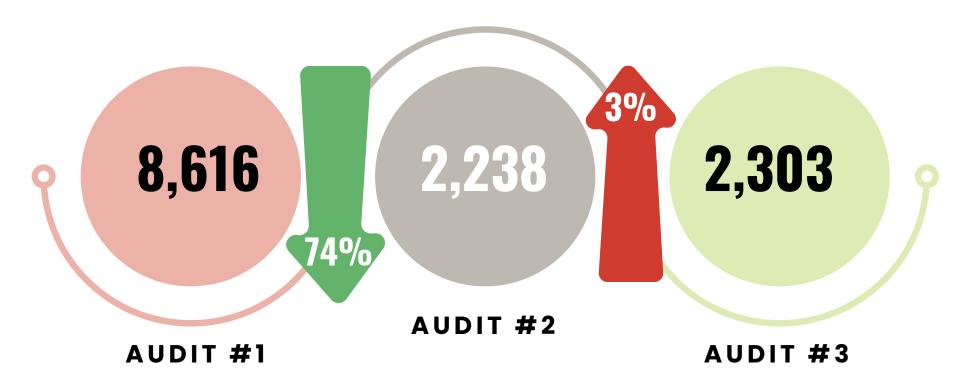
## **Veterinary Prescriptions in Puerto Rico PDMP**

In an effort to improve the quality of data received from veterinary prescriptions, Puerto Rico PDMP began announcing changes and conducting annual audits of veterinary prescriptions.



### **AUDIT RESULTS**

#### VETERINARY PRESCRIPTIONS INCORRECTLY REPORTED



#### **AMONG THE MOST COMMON ERRORS FOUND ARE:**

Prescription not reported as veterinary

Submit the prescription with the pet's name instead of the owner's name

Submit the prescription with the pet's DOB instead of the owner's

# FFFORTS MADE TO IMPROVE VETERINARY PRESCRIPTIONS DATA

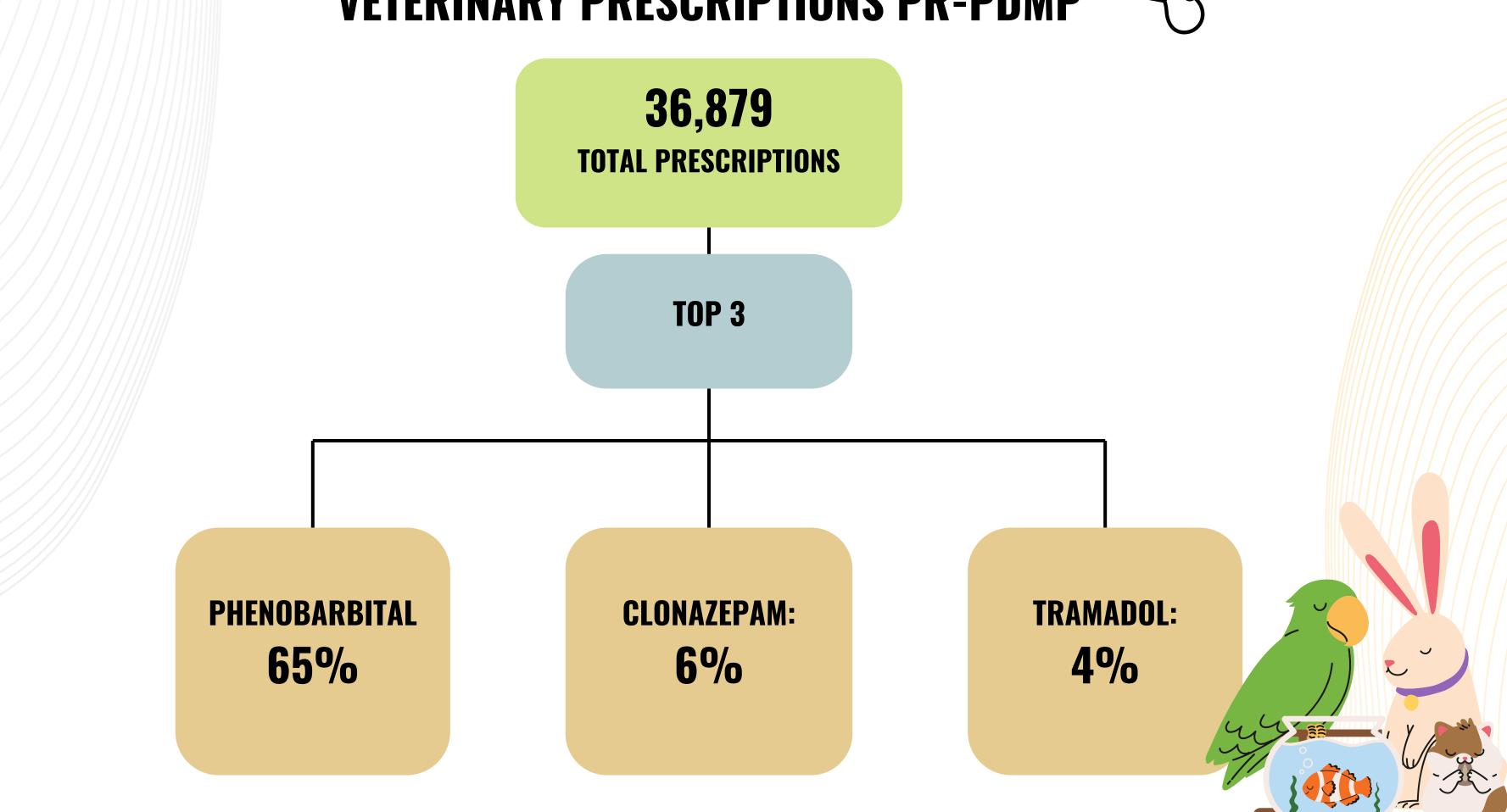
In- person "interactive" training to PDMP users and their vendors - 2023

Webinar: Veterinary Prescriptions: The correct way to report them - 2025

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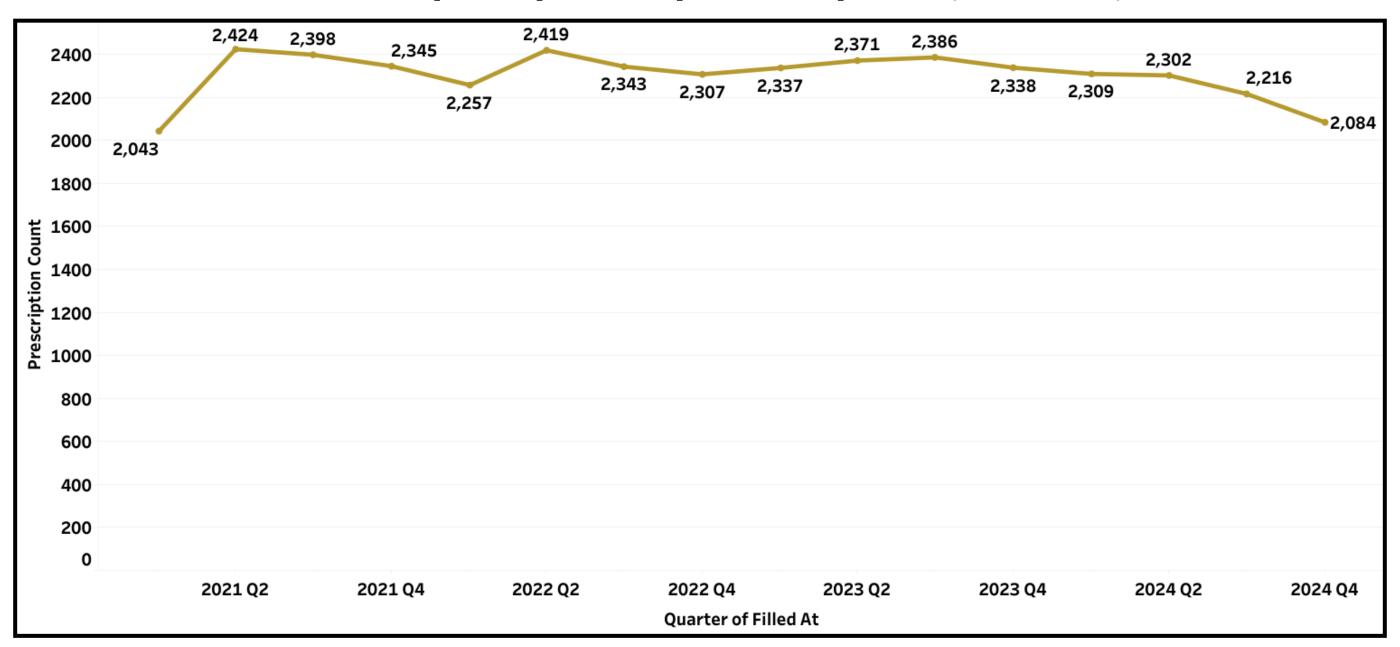




### **Veterinary Prescription Trends in Puerto Rico**

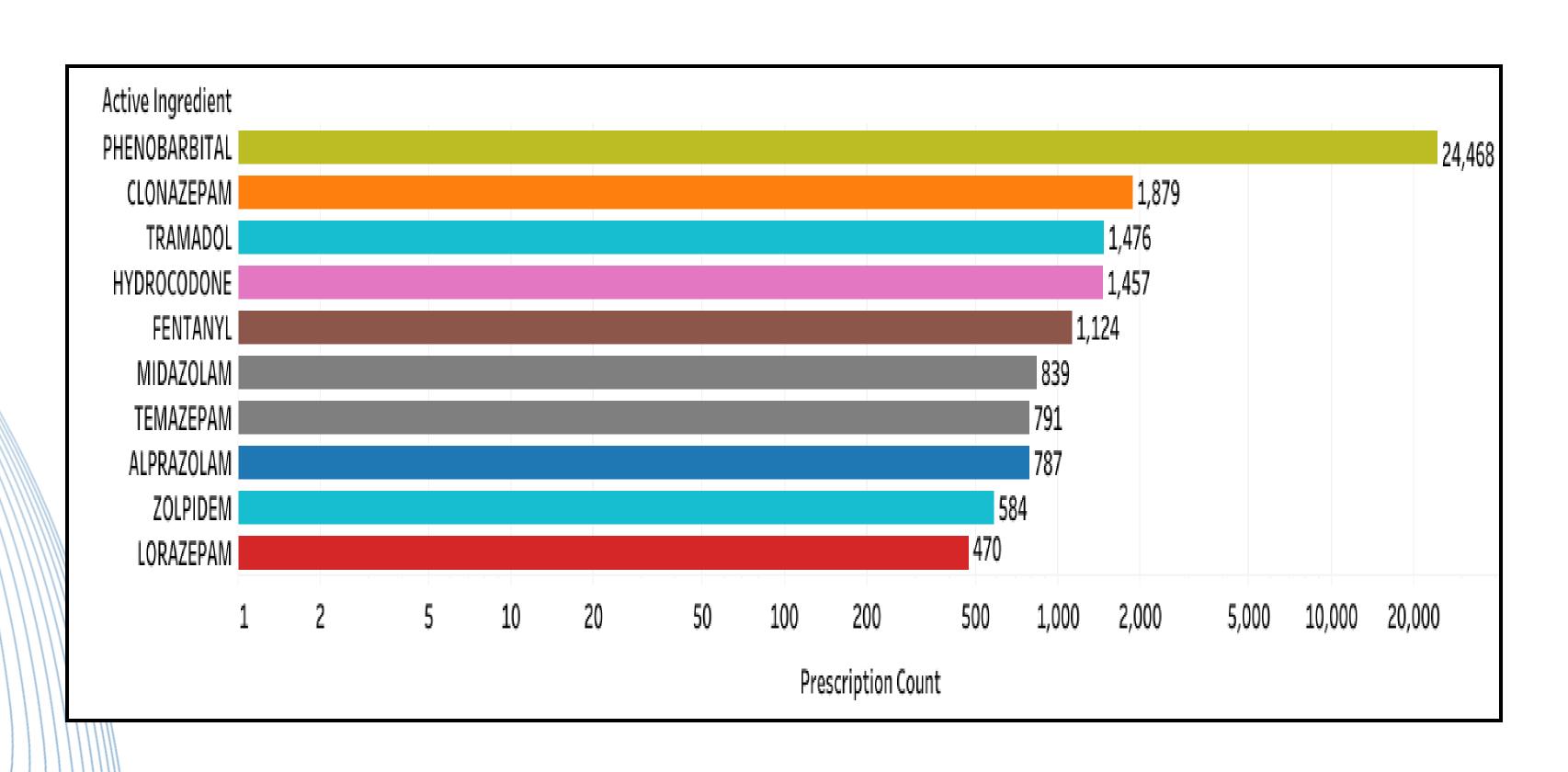
Between 2021 and 2024, a total of 38,879 veterinary dispensations have been reported. A **downward trend** is observed between 2023 and 2024, but overall, it is a **stable trend**.

### **Veterinary prescriptions dispensed by quarter (2021-2024)**

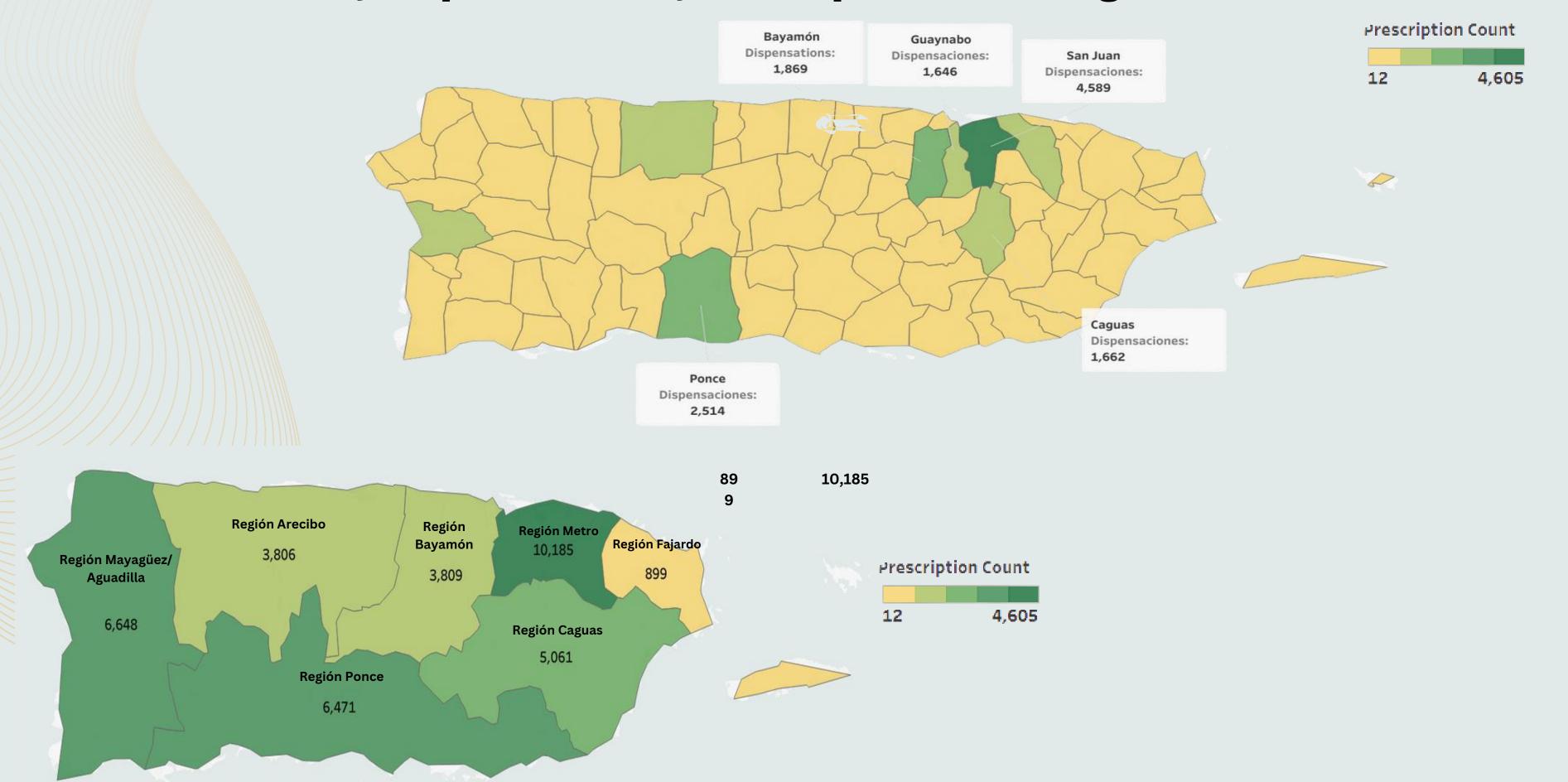


Note: Data presented are for calendar years. This analysis was performed using data reported to the PDMP.

# Most dispensed veterinary medications in Puerto Rico by pharmacies



# Veterinary dispensations by municipalities and regions 2021-2024





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