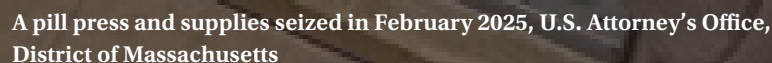
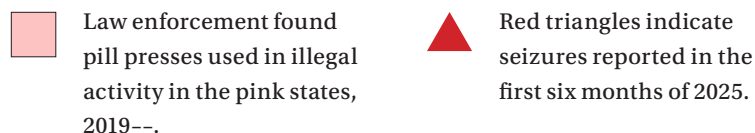
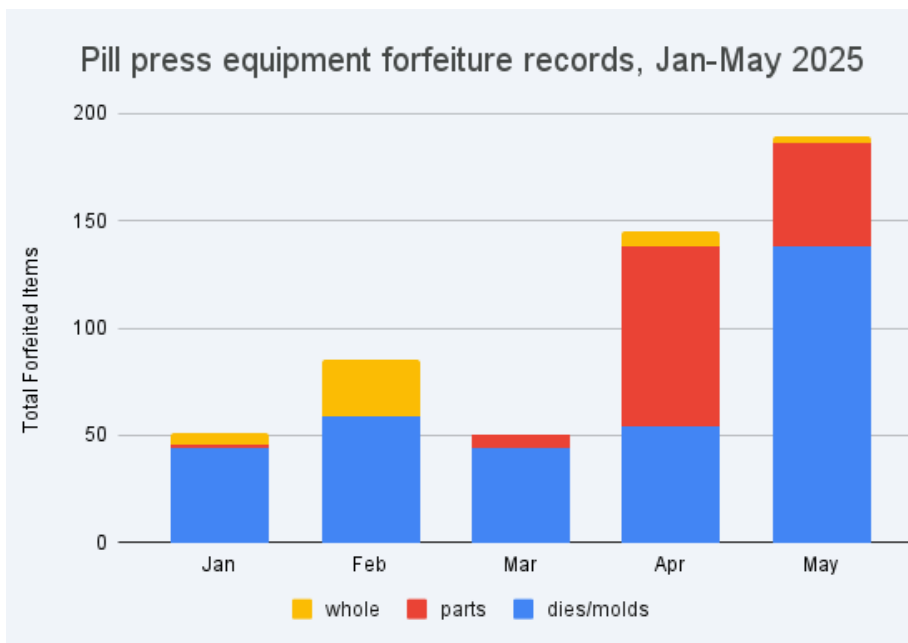


Since we started tracking in 2019, illicit pill presses have been reported in 42 states (in pink).



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INTERDICTION

Forfeiture records for the first half of 2025 show that between January and the end of May, Customs and Border Protection across 11 states intercepted 32 intact pill presses, seven encapsulation machines, nine packages of pill press parts, and 28 packages containing over 300 pill dies.

LEGISLATION

As of June 30, the sole bill in Congress addressing pill presses is [H.R. 1100](#), The Stop the Opioid Pill Presser and Fentanyl (STOPP) Act, which would serialize and track

the movement of pill press machinery, encapsulating machines and their critical parts. The bill was introduced in February and has not left committee.

Additional bills are being considered in Massachusetts ([1](#) | [2](#)), [New York](#), and [Oregon](#) to specifically criminalize possessing, purchasing, delivering, selling, or intending to sell or deliver a pill press, encapsulating machine, drug molds, or controlled substance counterfeiting materials knowing, or having reasonable cause to believe that they will be used to make controlled or counterfeit controlled substances.

POLICY: GOOGLE TO BLOCK PROMOTION FOR PILL PRESSES ON ADS AND SHOPPING PLATFORMS

On July 1, Google announced that it was updating its dangerous products and services policy to restrict the promotion of pill presses, encapsulating machines and components they use, such as dies, molds and stamps used to create or imprint pills. The change will affect the Google Ads and Google Shopping platforms starting in September 2025, with six weeks until full implementation.

Next update: July-December 2025 data will be reported in January 2026.

To learn more about pill presses refer to our pill press page at <https://safedr ug/IllegalPillPresses>

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