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CANNABIS CT

ABOUT CANNABIS IN CT



Marijuana is known by several different names, including cannabis and hemp.

WHAT'S LEGAL? WHAT ISN'T?

- Cannabis products are legally available for purchase in State-licensed dispensaries.
- It is illegal to drive under the influence of marijuana.
- Marijuana use is prohibited in State parks and State beaches.
- In general, you cannot smoke or vape marijuana anywhere you can't smoke or vape tobacco.
- Medical marijuana patients 18 years and older, and adults 21 years of age and older, are able to grow up to 3 mature and 3 immature plants in their home, with a cap of 12 total plants per household.
- It is prohibited to gift, sell, or transfer marijuana to another person.



KNOW THE LAWS

Marijuana use is legal for adults 21 and up in CT.



UNDERSTAND POTENCY

- THC is the psychoactive compound in cannabis. Many marijuana products have high levels of THC. These high potency products can impact you for much longer periods of time.
- Edibles often have higher amounts of THC when consumed than what you would inhale when smoked or vaped.
- The effects or "high" from edibles can often take longer to feel. If you are using edibles, remember this rule: start low and go slow. For example, if having a THC-infused drink, have a few sips instead of the entire serving.



WARNING
CONTAINS THC!

If a child accidentally ingests marijuana, call **Poison Control** right away: **800-222-1222**



If a pet ingests marijuana, call **Animal Poison Control** right away: **888-426-4435**



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