

## What are compliant products?

The medical marijuana law allows for products that may be beneficial for medical use. These products must pass stringent testing set by the Washington State Department of Health.

#### The department established rules to:

- Create voluntary standards for higher quality products, including mandatory testing for:
  - Prohibited pesticides
  - Heavy metals
  - Mycotoxins
- Allow consumers the choice of compliant or regular products.
- Create ratios for high CBD/low THC products that are sales tax-free for any adult.

## **Compliant product testing**

Licensed producers and processors must follow the rules and guidelines set forth by the Washington State Department of Health in order to create compliant products and use the department's compliant logos.

There is no application or department approval process. However, the producers and processors must follow the WSLCB's traceability system process and ensure all required testing is done.

## Medical marijuana laws and rules

The Cannabis Patient Protection Act was signed into law April 2015 and went into full effect on July 1, 2016.

This law aligns licensing and regulation of all marijuana producers, processors, retail stores and patient cooperatives under the oversight of the Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board (WSLC).

The Washington State Department of Health manages the medical marijuana database system and credentialing of medical marijuana consultants who work in medically endorsed marijuana stores.

Read the specific laws and rules on the Washington State Legislature web site:

- RCW 69.50.375
- Chapter 246-70 WAC
- Chapter 314-55-102 WAC

#### Learn more...

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# Compliant Marijuana Products



## **Compliant Marijuana Products**

**GENERAL USE** 

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Compliant products fall into one of three categories and must meet all listed requirements in that classification, in addition to the requirements in the Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board's (WSLCB) rules:

## **General Use**

Any marijuana product allowed by the WSLCB, including edibles, flowers and concentrates.

#### Packaged Servings:

- May be packaged in servings or applications that contain up to 10 mg of active THC.
- A unit must not contain more than 10 servings or applications and must not exceed 100 mg total of active THC.

#### Who can purchase:

- Adults age 21 or older. *Purchase subject to sales tax*
- Qualifying patients age 18 and over or designated providers who are entered into the medical marijuana authorization database and hold a valid medical marijuana recognition card.
  Sales tax-free purchase

#### Where to buy:

• At any licensed marijuana store.



## **High THC**

Marijuana products containing more than 10 mg but not more than 50 mg of active THC per serving or application.

Note: Only the following types of marijuana products qualify for High THC classification: capsules, tablets, tinctures, transdermal patches, and suppositories.

#### Packaged Servings:

- High THC compliant products may be packaged in servings or applications containing up to 50 mg of active THC.
- A unit must not contain more than 10 servings or applications and must not exceed 500 mg total of active THC.

#### Who can purchase:

 Only qualifying patients age 18 and over or designated providers who are entered into the medical marijuana authorization database and hold a valid medical marijuana recognition card.
Sales tax-free purchase

#### Where to buy:

• Only at a licensed and medically endorsed marijuana store.



## High CBD

Any marijuana product allowed by the WSLCB, including edibles - except marijuana intended for smoking.



#### **Packaged Servings:**

- Concentrates containing not more than 2% THC concentration and at least 25 times more CBD concentration by weight.
- Marijuana-infused edible products that contain not more than 2 mg of active THC and at least 5 times more CBD per serving by weight for solids or volume for liquids.
- Marijuana-infused topical products containing at least 5 times more CBD concentration than THC concentration.

#### Who can purchase:

- Adults age 21 or older. Sales tax-free purchase
- Qualifying patients age 18 and over or designated providers who are entered into the medical marijuana authorization database and hold a valid medical marijuana recognition card.
  Sales tax-free purchase

#### Where to buy:

• At any licensed marijuana store.

## Want compliant products? Ask for them!

Licensed producers and processors are developing new compliant products for marijuana stores. Talk to your local medically endorsed marijuana store and let them know you want to purchase compliant products!