The Future of Cannabis in Alberta

The rules around cannabis in Alberta once it is legal in summer 2018.



LICENSED GROWERS

Strictly regulated by the federal government.

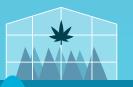
PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT

The Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC) directly manages how cannabis gets from the licensed grower to the retailer.



WORKPLACE

Alberta is reviewing all existing regulations and programs to ensure rules continue to address impairment at work.







AGLC-OPERATED ONLINE SALES

Age verification occurs at point of sale and at delivery.





PRIVATE CANNABIS RETAIL STORES

May only sell cannabis and cannabis accessories. Minors are prohibited from entering cannabis stores, even if accompanied by an adult.



ADVERTISING

Product advertising will only be allowed inside cannabis stores.



DRIVING

Police are able to suspend licences and seize vehicles if people drive impaired, including impairment by cannabis.



POSSESSION

Adults can possess up to 30 grams of legal cannabis in public.



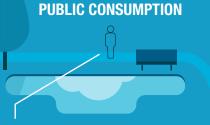
HOME

Each household is allowed to grow up to four plants. Landlord and tenant agreements or condo bylaws can be used to set rules for consumption and growing.



OWNERS AND STAFF

Must undergo extensive background checks. Qualified employees must be 18 and undertake training.



Smoking and vaping cannabis are prohibited in areas frequented by kids and other public places where smoking tobacco is prohibited.



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Jurisdictional Responsibilities

		Responsible	
Activity	Federal	Provincial	Municipal
Possession limits **	>		
Trafficking	>		
Advertisement & packaging **	>		
Impaired driving	>	>	
Medical cannabis	>		
Seed-to-sale tracking system	>		
Production (cultivation and processing)	>		
Age limit (federal minimum) **	>		
Public health	>	>	
Education	>	>	>
Taxation	>	>	>
Home cultivation (growing plants at home) **	>		
Workplace safety		>	
Distribution and wholesaling		>	
Retail model		>	
Retail location and rules		>	>
Regulatory compliance	>	>	
Public consumption		>	>
Land use/zoning			>