Cannabis Policy 2022 SCORECARD

This scorecard analyzes local cannabis ordinances **passed prior to January 1, 2022**, in each California city or county that legalized storefront retail sales, to assess policies in effect going into 2022. It evaluates to what extent potential **best practices were adopted to protect youth, reduce problem cannabis use and promote social equity** beyond those already in state law. Scores fall into six public health and equity focused categories for a total maximum of 100 points.



Policy Adopted Beyond State Law Beyond State Law							Weaker than State Law				
RETAILER REQUIREMENTS	S	TAXES & PRICES		PRODUCT LIMITS	MARKETING		SMOKE-FREI AIR	E	EQUITY & CONFLICTS OI INTEREST	F	
Limit # of retailers 0 (max. 10 pts)		Local retail tax (6 pts)	6	Limit high potency 0 products (max. 6 pts)	Limit billboards () (max. 6 pts)		Prohibit temporary event permits (5 pts)	0	Licensing priority for equity applicants (3 pts)	0	
Require distance >600 ft. from -! schools (5 pts)	5	Revenue dedicated to youth, prevention or equity (max. 6 pts)	0	END THE CANNABIS KIDS MENU	Prominent health warnings on 0 ads (4 pts)		Prohibit on-site consumption (3 pts)	0	Equity in hiring requirements (3 pts)	0	
Require distance between O retailers (2 pts)		Tax by THC content (5 pts)	0	No flavored products for combustion or 0 inhalation (max. 5 pts)	Limit therapeutic or health claims (3 pts)				Cost deferrals for equity applicants (I pt)	0	
Other location restrictions 3 (max. 3 pts)	5	Prohibit discounting (2 pts)	0	No cannabis- infused 0 beverages (4 pts)	Business signage 3 restrictions 3 (3 pts)	5			No prescriber on retail premises (1 pt)	0	
Health warnings posted 0 in store (4 pts)	•	Minimum price (1 pt)	0	Limit other products/ packaging attractive to youth (2 pts)	Limit marketing attractive to 0 youth (2 pts)				No prescriber in ownership (1 pt)	0	
Health warnings 0 handed out (4 pts)											
-2 + 6 + 0 + 3 + 0 + 0											

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