CT Laws on Vape Shop Sales

A Fact Sheet for the Public

No Cannabis Sales

While cannabis is legal for adults over 21, **it cannot be sold anywhere that does not have a cannabis license,** including vape shops, smoke shops, gas stations, or convenience stores.

Kratom is Illegal in CT

A new Connecticut state law designates Kratom as a Schedule 1 substance, which **prohibits the sale, possession, and distribution of any kratom product as of March 28, 2026.**

The legal age to purchase any nicotine or tobacco products is 21!

Any retailer with a license to sell these products is required to check everyone's ID, regardless of how old they appear to be.



These CT laws are designed to support healthy communities and prevent youth access to nicotine and cannabis.
All community members can get involved in prevention!

If you suspect a retailer is selling nicotine or tobaccco products to minors, contact:
CT Tobacco Prevention and Enforcement Program (TPEP)
HOT LINE: 1-877-331-1999
Tobacco.prevention@ct.gov

If you have concerns about a retailer in your area selling cannabis products, contact:
dcp.cannabis@ct.gov

To confirm if establishments have endorsements to sell cannabis, look them up on **elicense.ct.gov**

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