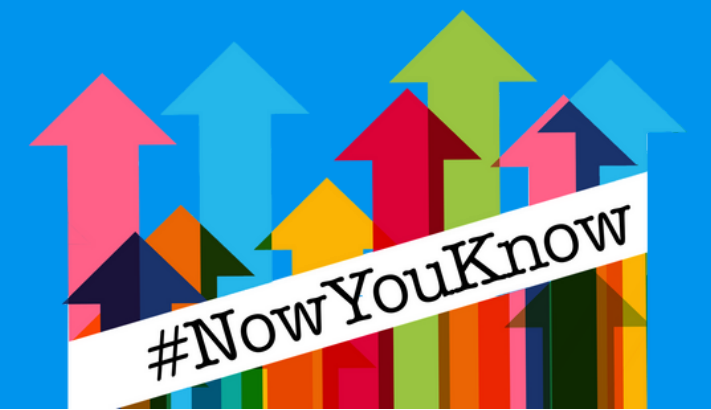




MARIJUANA IN SOUTHWEST CT



MARIJUANA REMAINS THE **MOST COMMONLY USED DRUG** (AFTER ALCOHOL) IN CT & NATIONALLY

MARIJUANA USAGE HAS BEEN **CONSISTENTLY HIGHER IN CT THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE**

RESOURCES AND SUPPORT

INFO ON ADULT-USE CANNABIS IN CT ON [PORTAL.CT.GOV/CANNABIS](http://portal.ct.gov/cannabis)

[SMART RECOVERY](#)

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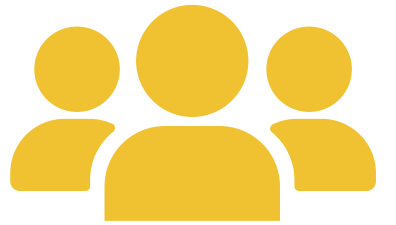


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FAST FACTS

- MARIJUANA CONCENTRATES ARE BEING SEEN AT THE **HIGHEST RATES IN HISTORY (40-80% THC)**
- MOST VAPERS ARE **VAPING MARIJUANA**, INGESTING EXTREMELY HIGH POTENCIES OF THC
- **WOMEN ARE MORE LIKELY TO VAPE** THEN MEN
- IN 2019, MARIJUANA WAS THE PRIMARY DRUG IN **12%** OF TREATMENT ADMISSIONS IN CT

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS



- FROM 2018 - 2019, YOUNG ADULTS IN CT WERE USING AT HIGHER RATES (**43.9%**) THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE (**35.1%**)
- IN 2019, **21.7%** OF CT HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS USE MARIJUANA
- SW CT HAS **EXTREMELY LOW PERCEPTION OF HARM** FOR MARIJUANA AMONG **YOUTH**
- MAJORITY OF YOUTH **VAPE** MARIJUANA - WHICH HAS HIGH POTENCY THC
- STATES WHICH LEGALIZED MARIJUANA SEE **HIGHER RATES OF USAGE AMONG THOSE AGES 12 - 17**
- EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS BY **CHILDREN** WHO CONSUME MARIJUANA EDIBLES THAT LOOK LIKE CANDY IS **INCREASING**

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22 % OF CT RESIDENTS HAVE A CERTIFICATE