

The legalization of cannabis has given rise to many questions among housing providers—both those who have smoke-free policies and those who do not.

In Alberta, it will be legal to smoke cannabis inside individual units within all forms for multi-unit housing. The only places cannabis smoking will not be permitted is anywhere that tobacco smoking is currently prohibited under law, including indoor common spaces (such as lobbies, elevators, hallways and parkades) and within 5 meters of any public doorway, window or air intake.

That said, landlords, property managers and condo boards will have the authority to include cannabis smoking in their own smoke-free policies. If you already have a smoke-free policy, it is likely already inclusive of cannabis, but you will want to check the wording to be sure.

did you know?

Around 30 per cent of cannabis smokers mix tobacco in their 'joints.'

Mixed use could pose policy enforcement challenges if you have different rules for each substance.

learn more

Learn more about the implications of cannabis legalization for your property at smokefreehousingab.ca. You will also find:

- — step-by-step information to **develop, implement and enforce** a comprehensive multi-unit housing smoke-free policy
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an inventory of **free sample documents, tools and resources**



answers to common **questions about cannabis legalization**, the law, and smoke-free policy development in multi-unit housing



the best ways to engage your residents to **minimize conflict and maximise support** for safe, smoke-free multi-unit housing

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