YOUTH AND LEGALIZED MARIJUANA

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REGULATED MARKETS ONLY INCREASE EXPOSURE AND PROMOTE THE NORMALIZATION OF YOUTH MARIJUANA USE.

VAPING CONCERNS ARE NOT LIMITED TO E-CIGARETTES — MARIJUANA CAN BE VAPED TOO.

THE CREATORS OF JUUL ALSO OWN A MARIJUANA VERSION, PAX ERA.

Youth living in states with legalized marijuana laws are more likely to vape. This likelihood is increased as a function of dispensary density and length of legalization.

Borodovsky et al., 2017

REFERENCES


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Courtesy of the CDC