

Smoking Law Status in State Capital Cities and District of Columbia

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The following table shows whether non-hospitality workplaces, restaurants, and freestanding bars are 100% smokefree in state capitals, the District of Columbia, and the capital of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico. An asterisk (*) indicates that the applicable law was enacted by the state, commonwealth, or county. The table also indicates whether a state or commonwealth capitol building is 100% smokefree and whether a state or commonwealth preempts local control of smokefree laws. All laws are currently in effect unless otherwise noted. Call or write the local chamber of commerce or restaurant association to let them know either that you appreciate the location's smokefree law or that you are disappointed in the lack of a smokefree law. For further information, contact Americans for Nonsmokers' Rights at (510) 841-3032, or email us at anr@no-smoke.org.

State	Capital City	Non-Hospitality Workplaces	Restaurants	Bars	Capitol Building	Preemption
Alabama	Montgomery	No	No	No	No	No
Alaska	Juneau	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
Arizona	Phoenix	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
Arkansas	Little Rock	No	No	No	Yes	No
California	Sacramento	Yes	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
Colorado	Denver	No	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
Connecticut	Hartford	No	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	Yes
Delaware	Dover	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
District of Columbia	Washington	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	NA
Florida	Tallahassee	Yes*	Yes*	No	Yes	Yes
Georgia	Atlanta	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hawaii	Honolulu	Yes	Yes	Yes*	Yes	No
Idaho	Boise	No	Yes*	No	Yes	No
Illinois	Springfield	Yes*	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Indiana	Indianapolis	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No
Iowa	Des Moines	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
Kansas	Topeka	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Kentucky	Frankfort	No	Yes	Yes	No	No
Louisiana	Baton Rouge	Yes*	Yes*	No	Yes	No
Maine	Augusta	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	No
Maryland	Annapolis	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
Massachusetts	Boston	Yes*	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Michigan	Lansing	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	Yes—Partial

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Minnesota	St. Paul	Yes*	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Mississippi	Jackson	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Missouri	Jefferson City	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
Montana	Helena	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Nebraska	Lincoln	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes—Partial
Nevada	Carson City	Yes*	Yes*	No	Yes	No
New Hampshire	Concord	No	Yes*	Yes*	No	Yes
New Jersey	Trenton	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
New Mexico	Santa Fe	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
New York	Albany	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
North Carolina	Raleigh	No	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	Yes—Partial
North Dakota	Bismarck	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Ohio	Columbus	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Oklahoma	Oklahoma City	No	No	No	No	Yes
Oregon	Salem	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	Yes
Pennsylvania	Harrisburg	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes, except for City of Philadelphia
Puerto Rico	San Juan	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
Rhode Island	Providence	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
South Carolina	Columbia	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
South Dakota	Pierre	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	Yes
Tennessee	Nashville	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Texas	Austin	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
Utah	Salt Lake City	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	Yes
Vermont	Montpelier	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	No	No
Virginia	Richmond	No	No	No	No	Yes
Washington	Olympia	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
West Virginia	Charleston	Yes*	Yes*	Yes*	Yes	No
Wisconsin	Madison	Yes*	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes—Partial
Wyoming	Cheyenne	No	Yes	Yes	No	No

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