

**On-Site Cannabis Consumption**  
State Approaches




Pictured: The Woods and the Studio Lounge  
West Hollywood, CA

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**On-Site Alcohol Consumption**

ALL 50 STATES ALLOW ON-SITE ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION

- Bars
- Planes
- Golf Courses
- Trains
- Sporting Events
- Veterans & Fraternal Orgs
- Restaurants
- Catered Events
- Concerts
- Fairs
- Resorts
- Breweries
- Wineries

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**On-Site Cannabis Consumption**

23 states have legal adult-use cannabis

12 states allow on-site consumption

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**States Allowing On-Site Cannabis**



- Alaska
- California
- Colorado
- Illinois
- Maryland
- Michigan
- Minnesota
- Missouri
- Nevada
- New Jersey
- New Mexico
- New York

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**Types of On-Site Consumption Licenses**



- Cannabis cafés
- Special events
- Mobile
- Hotels/B&Bs

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**Cannabis Café Policy Decisions**



- Local opt-in?
- Require co-location with a retailer?
- BYOC? (bring-your-own only)
- Allow food preparation?
- Allow music/entertainment?
- Smoking policy
- Alcohol policy
- Employee training reqts
- Do the regs allow for a financially viable business?

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**Special Events**



- Example: Cannabis Cups, music festivals, markets
- Typically 1-7 days
- Common rules
  - Local approval required
  - 21+ only cannabis areas
  - Buffers from sensitive locations
  - Security requirements
  - No alcohol/tobacco sales

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**Other Cannabis Hospitality**



The Cannabis Experience Bus, Colorado

- Event caterers
  - Weddings
- Hotels, B&Bs, resorts
- Mobile cannabis
  - Colorado only now
  - Driver's area must have separate ventilation
  - GPS and video surveillance required
  - Local approval required

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**Thank you!**

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