

Unpacking 2024 Legislative Session

Heard from LCB about what passed in 2024, what might come back next session, and what it means for rulemaking.

Looking ahead to 2024 Rulemaking and 2025 Legislative Session

Partners raised the following areas for future exploration:

- Dashboard
 - Action: LCB will gather interested partners for further discussions this spring, contact Kristen.Haley@lcb.wa.gov if you want to participate
- Internet sales + interstate sales via internet
 - Action: LCB will connect with AG and CANNRA to explore what has been done to date and what further action may be taken at the federal level.
 - Consider: Several partners raised the nuance of this topic regarding social media, apps on devices, and broader internet.
- Alarming increase in WA traffic fatalities
 - Consider: Explore how the “place of last drink” data can be more consistently collected and ways to process collected data between courts, enforcement, DOL, and LCB.
 - Consider: How can the broader public health community connect with consumers (alcohol and cannabis) to increase education on driving safely?
 - Action: Related to .05 BAC, LCB and WTSC are beginning discussions to explore ways of strengthening liquor licensee education and understanding about this proposed legislation.
- Packaging and labeling
 - Discussed related to low volume/high concentration products; reducing youth appeal; and studies showing increased advertising exposure impacts on youth
 - Consider: Discussing with interested partners what legislation or rules could be explored related to minimizing the quantity certain products.
- Third party delivery for alcohol
 - Clarified this is scheduled to expire July 2025
- High THC
 - Middle ground exists between industry and public health.
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- Vape products
 - Discussed flavored vape products; disposable vapes and whether opportunities exist for further regulation.
- 5363: Cannabis advertising/trade names
 - Discussed LCB and public health considerations related to this bill
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Rulemaking status update | Cassidy West, Policy and Rules Manager

Cassidy walked through relevant open and upcoming rules, explained their purpose and when/how to provide feedback throughout the process.

- THC Bill
- Child access to farms

- Items from 2024 session

Wrap Up and Announcements

- *Help us recruit!* Heads up, we are partnering with NIAAA (National Institute for Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism) to assist with recruiting young adults 21-25 beginning May --stay tuned for more information about how you can help get the word out.
- *Briefing the Board:*
 - Amani Rashid: [Washington State Institute for Public Policy \(WSIPP\)](#)
 - On May 21st, Jason Kilmer will present on Young Adult Health Survey
 - Coming soon, LCB Research Unit: Healthy Youth Survey
 - If you want to present your research or give an overview about the important work you are doing in your community, contact Kristen Haley to see if we can get you on the agenda for a future Board Caucus or Board Meeting.