

Program/Service Information Report

Smoke-Free Ontario Act Enforcement 2019 Mid-Year Summary

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Key Points

- The Smoke-Free Ontario Act 2017 (SFOA) Enforcement Program conducts annual inspections and investigations based on risk throughout the year.
- WDGPH staff investigate all reports of SFOA complaints.
- Youth Access test shopping for under age sales are conducted twice per year.
- All compliance inspections and complaint investigations reports are publicly available on the Check Before You Choose website.

Program Requirements

Compliance with OPHS and Accountability Indicators:

In compliance

Not in compliance. If not in compliance, provide additional information about the variance and how it will be addressed.

Program Indicators:

Smoke-Free Ontario Act Enforcement Indicator	2019 Mid-Year Actual	Comments
Youth access inspections # Youth Test Shopper Checks	Tobacco vendors: 191/191 E-cigarette vendors: 41/104	Tobacco vendors are inspected twice / year. E-cigarette vendors are inspected once / year. Remainder of e-cigarette vendor inspections will occur July – December.
Youth access inspections # non-compliant Test Shops	4/198 tobacco sales	All sales resulted in warnings
Display and promotion inspections # Inspections	39/196	Inspections paired with low risk food premises inspection once / year in the Fall
Secondary school inspections # Secondary Schools Inspected	0/16	Inspected once / year in Fall
# of registered Tobacconist # of registered Specialty Vape Shops	1 Tobacconist 11 Specialty Vape Stores	These premises require an annual renewal.

Highlights

WDGPH staff inspect all tobacco and e-cigarette specialty vape vendors and investigate all complaints regarding tobacco and e-cigarette sale and use in restricted areas. All premises are inspected throughout the year.

Related Reports

- BOH Report BH.01.JAN1119.R01 – Smoke-Free Ontario Act, 2017.
- BOH Report BH.01.SEP0518.R22 - Smoke-Free Ontario Act (SFOA), 2017.