

NAVIGATING A CHANGING LEGAL ENVIRONMENT

Related to Cannabis



OBJECTIVES

- ◆ Define continued requirements under the Drug Free Schools and Campuses Act (DFSCA) regardless of state laws related to cannabis.
- ◆ Identify evidence-based and evidence-informed strategies in addressing college student cannabis use.
- ◆ Name potential campus partners for addressing cannabis use and devise strategies to create buy-in.

Abstract

As states continue to legalize recreational cannabis use, we can anticipate both confusion about what is allowed as well as a potential increase in college student cannabis use. Campus professionals need clarify policy regarding what's allowed on our campuses as well as re-prioritize cannabis in our comprehensive prevention efforts. In this session, we'll first navigate the continued requirements of the Drug Free Schools and Communities Act (DFSCA) and how to communicate this information to key constituencies. Next, we'll discuss evidence-based and evidence-informed strategies in addressing cannabis use on campus. Finally, we will identify potential campus partners for addressing cannabis use across campus in various contexts and how to create buy-in for partnerships.