

According to 20-1-220, MCA:

State law now prohibits the use of all tobacco products, including vapor products¹ and alternative nicotine products² in a public school building or on public school property.

This does not apply to the use of a smoking cessation product by an employee.

This link will help school administrators identify [FDA Approved Cessation Products](#) ranging from over the counter nicotine replacement therapies including skin patches, chewing gum and lozenges to prescription medications.

1- “Vapor product means a noncombustible product that may contain nicotine and that uses a heating element, power source, electronic circuit or other electronic, chemical or mechanical means, regardless of shape or size, to product vapor from a solution or other substance. The term includes:

- i. an electronic cigarette, electronic cigar, electronic cigarillo, electronic pipe or similar product or device and
- ii. a vapor cartridge or other container in a solution or other form that is intended to be used with or in an electronic cigarette, electronic cigar, electronic cigarillo, electronic pipe or similar product and device.”

2- “Alternative nicotine product means a manufactured noncombustible product that contains nicotine derived from tobacco and that is intended for human consumption by being chewed, absorbed, dissolved or ingested by any other means.”

For more information about resources for Montana schools to prevent and reduce electronic cigarette use by youth, contact:



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