

# Do's and Don'ts of Medical

## Cannabis Use



### DO



**Get certified for medical cannabis use by a licensed practitioner.**

A written certification is needed before you go to a dispensary.

**Bring a valid government-issued ID to the dispensary.**



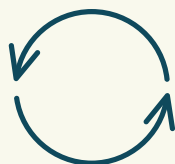
Types of valid IDs include a passport or government-issued driver's license.



**Ask your practitioner to add a registered agent to your certification if needed.**

This allows someone to pick up cannabis on your behalf.

**Renew your medical cannabis certification each year.**



Written certifications for medical cannabis are only valid one year.



### DON'T



**Use cannabis in public.**

Using cannabis in public is illegal in Virginia.



**Use cannabis and drive.**

It is illegal and unsafe to drive under the influence in Virginia.



**Use more cannabis than recommended.**

Follow practitioner, pharmacist, and serving size recommendations.



**Sell your cannabis supply to someone else.**

It is illegal for individuals to sell cannabis products in Virginia.

For additional educational resources, visit: [cca.virginia.gov](https://cca.virginia.gov)

