

2024 SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION DAY AT THE GEORGIA CAPITOL

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Vaping means using an electronic cigarette or other vaping device. It is the act of inhaling and exhaling the aerosol, often referred to as vapor, which is produced by an e-cigarette or similar device. E-cigarettes do not produce tobacco smoke, but rather an aerosol, often mistaken for water vapor, that actually consists of fine particles.

2.13 MILLION

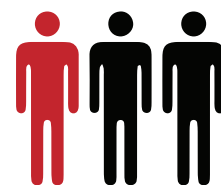
2.13 million (7.7%) students reported current e-cigarette use in 2023. E-cigarettes were followed by cigarettes (1.6%), cigars (1.6%), nicotine pouches (1.5%), smokeless tobacco (1.2%), other oral nicotine products (1.2%), hookah (1.1%), heated tobacco products (1.0%), and pipe tobacco (0.5%).¹

10%

10.0% (1.56 million) high school students and 4.6% (550,000) middle school students reported current use of e-cigarettes²



More than 1 in 4 (25.2%) of current youth e-cigarette users use an e-cigarette product every day²



More than 1 in 3 (34.7%) youth e-cigarette users report using e-cigarettes at least 20 of the last 30 days²



Almost 9 out of 10 current e-cigarette users (89.4%) used flavored e-cigarettes, with fruit flavors being the most popular, followed by candy, desserts, or other sweets; mint; and menthol²



SOURCES

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