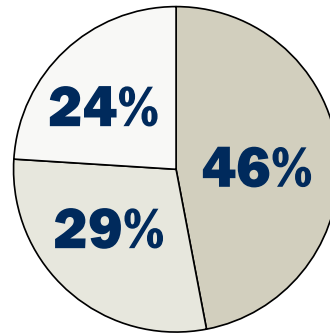


2023: AUCP Year in Review

300

active adult use cannabis establishments in 2023, increased from 258 in 2022



46% of new license applications received in 2023 were for retail stores; 29% were for cultivation; and 24% were for manufacturing

Adult use retail sales for 2023, a 36.5% increase from 2022:

\$216,906,065

Excise tax collected:

\$14,734,479

Sales tax collected:

\$18,838,741

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more municipalities reimbursed for costs incurred from opting in to permit adult use cannabis establishments

92.3%

of compliance violations resolved with technical assistance

Key Policy Changes

- Business tax deductions and credits extended to adult use cannabis licensees (see P.L. 2023, ch. 444)
- Requirements clarified for off-premises sales by cannabis store licensees (see P.L. 2023, ch. 408)
- Updated delivery provisions (see P.L. 2023, ch. 396)
- “Cannabis paraphernalia” defined in statute (see P.L. 2023, ch. 6, Emergency)

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public health and safety campaigns completed by OCP: the *Let's Talk Cannabis* campaign for young adults and the *Unclouded* campaign for teenagers

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counties visited by OCP as part of a Community Listening Tour; 104 community members attended in total as well as 43 municipal officials