

## **Medical Marijuana Laws 1996-2015**

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	Effective date
Alaska	March 4, 1999
Arizona	April 14, 2011
California	November 6, 1996
Colorado	June 1, 2001
Connecticut	August 20, 2014*
Delaware	June 26 2015*
District of Columbia	July 30, 2013*
Hawaii	December 28, 2000
Illinois	November 9, 2015*
Maine	December 22, 1999
Maryland	Passed but not operational
Michigan	December 4, 2008
Minnesota	Passed but not operational
Massachusetts	January 1, 2013
Montana	November 2, 2004
Nevada	October 1, 2001
New Hampshire	Passed but not operational
New Jersey	December 6, 2012*
New Mexico	July 1, 2007
New York	Passed but not operational
Oregon	December 3, 1998
Rhode Island	January 3, 2006
Vermont	July 1, 2004
Washington	November 3, 1998

\*Date on which first medical marijuana dispensary opened. Home cultivation not allowed.

Note: Maryland, Minnesota, New Hampshire, and New York passed MMLs during the period 1996-2015, but do not allow home cultivation and first dispensary did not open until after 2015.