

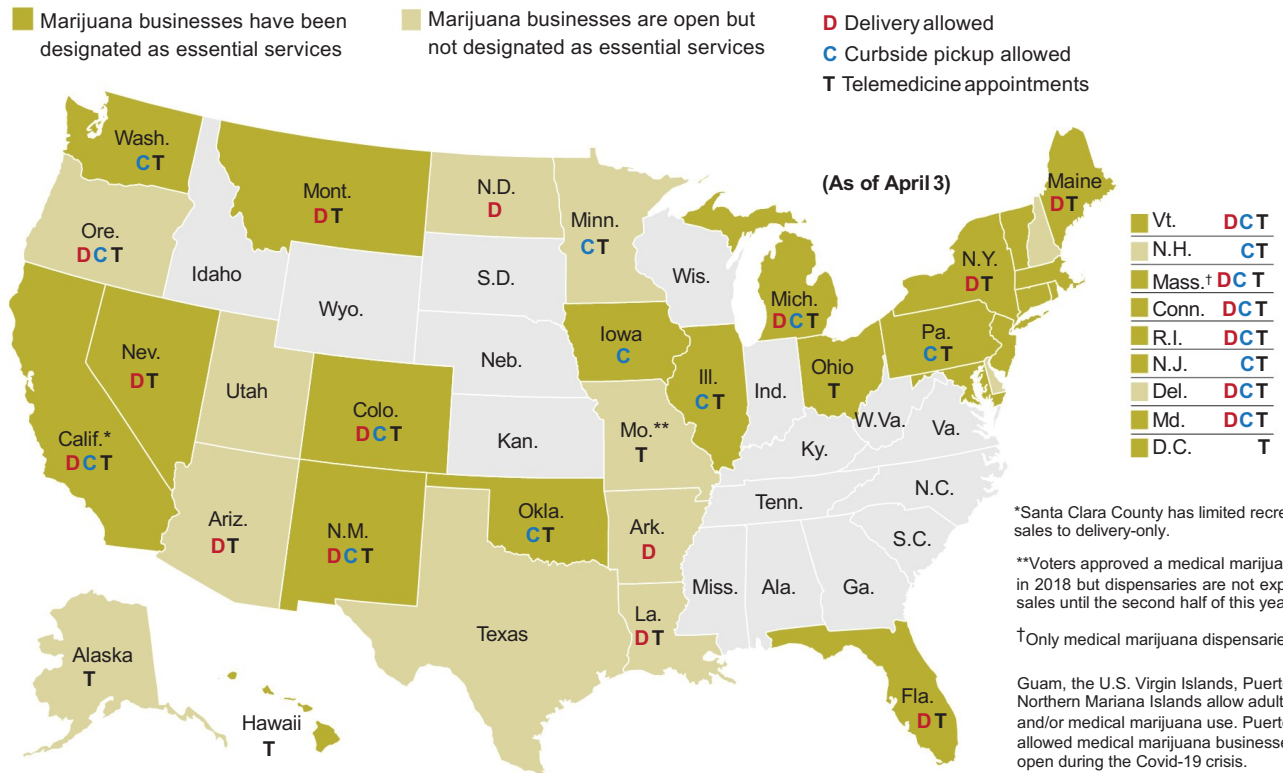


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State policies for recreational and medical marijuana sales during Covid-19

During the coronavirus pandemic, medical and recreational marijuana dispensaries remain open in most states, despite restrictions applied to the retail economy nationwide. State officials have mandated changes to how marijuana shops operate to reduce public health risks, including limiting transactions to curbside pickups or deliveries.

As of April 3, 20 states allowed marijuana businesses to deliver products to customers and 19 states allowed customers to pick up purchases outside of storefronts. Twenty-eight states and the District of Columbia permitted medical patients to obtain telemedicine consultations with doctors for treatment recommendations but about half of the jurisdictions offered the option for prescription renewals only, not as new patient appointments.



Source: NORML, Marijuana Business Daily, POLITICO staff reports