

## Facebook:

The Board of Health invites the community to attend a public hearing on:

 Monday, November 3, 2025

 7:00 PM

 Via Zoom (link available on the Town website)

The Board will be discussing proposed updates to:

Chapter 220: Smoking; Sale of Tobacco and Nicotine Delivery Products

The Board of Health is proposing to adopt the Nicotine-Free Generation Policy, which would take effect on January 1, 2026. This policy would prohibit the sale of tobacco and e-cigarette products to anyone born on or after January 1, 2005, in an effort to protect the health of Dover residents and prevent nicotine addiction in future generations.

Proposed language:

“Prohibition of Sales: No person, firm, corporation, establishment, or agency shall sell tobacco or e-cigarette products to anyone born on or after January 1, 2005.” A copy of the proposed regulation changes is available upon request.

 How to Participate:

☒ Attend the hearing via Zoom (link posted on the Town of Dover website)

☒ Submit written comments in advance to BOH@doverma.gov

☒ Or contact the Board of Health office directly at 508-785-0032 ext. 232

Community members are encouraged to participate, share their thoughts, and ask questions during this important discussion.

#BoardofHealth #PublicHearing

**Twitter:**

The Dover Board of Health invites residents to a public hearing on Nov. 3, 2025, at 7 PM via Zoom to discuss adopting a Nicotine-Free Generation policy. Details & Zoom link: [doverma.gov](https://doverma.gov). Comments: [BOH@doverma.gov](mailto:BOH@doverma.gov) or 508-785-0032 x232. #DoverMA #PublicHealth

**News Flash:****NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given pursuant to M.G.L. c. 111, § 31 that the Dover Board of Health will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 3, 2025, at 7 PM via Zoom. The Board is proposing changes to:

Chapter 220 Smoking; Sale of Tobacco and Nicotine Delivery Products

***The Dover Board of Health proposes to adopt The Nicotine-Free Generation policy, which would become effective January 1, 2026, prohibiting the sale of tobacco or e-cigarette products to individuals born on or after January 1, 2005. The adopted policy language is as follows: "Prohibition of Sales – No person, firm, corporation, establishment, or agency shall sell tobacco or e-cigarette products to anyone born on or after 1/1/2005."***

**The purpose of this amendment is to protect the health of Dover residents by reducing youth access to tobacco and nicotine products and preventing addiction in future generations.**

Any person wishing to be heard on the matter should appear at the date and time listed above. The link to the meeting will be provided on the Town website. Comments can also be forwarded to [BOH@doverma.gov](mailto:BOH@doverma.gov) prior to the hearing or you can contact the office directly at 508-785-0032 ext. 232. A copy of the proposed changes to the regulation can also be obtained upon request.