Developed by ASTM International Committee D37 on Cannabis, the Specification for International Symbol for Identifying Consumer Products Containing Intoxicating Cannabinoids (ASTM D8441) establishes a standardized and harmonized international intoxicating cannabinoid product symbol (IICPS).

The Symbol...

... was designed in collaboration with Doctors for Cannabis Regulation (DFCR) to communicate to adults and children the need for caution with products containing intoxicating cannabinoids.

... applies to any product containing intoxicating cannabinoids, including those for topical use, ingestion, inhalation, and any/all other methods of adsorption.

... shall be used to identify any cannabinoid that may cause intoxication (that is, producing mind or consciousness altering effects).

... is intended to be used by marketplaces that have yet to establish a symbol and has already been adopted for use by several states.

... does not contain text and cannot be modified.

A consumer impact study conducted by HCD Research confirmed that consumers and non-consumers perceive the symbol to be associated with intoxication, potency, and caution.

When and how to use the symbol and on which products should be directed by the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ).

Text such as state/country codes, THC, or any AHJ specific identifiers may be printed below or next to the symbol, as long as the symbol itself is not modified.

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