

Child Resistant Packaging

Child-Resistant

IMPORTANT!

In order for a package to be considered child-resistant, the package must be tested and certified as meeting the federal standards set out in 16 CFR 1700 by a qualified, third-party testing firm.

The Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) maintains a list of testing firms. A link to that list can be found below. The Office of Cannabis Regulation and CPSC does not approve, certify or endorse any of these firms.

https://www.cpsc.gov/Regulations-Laws--Standards/Statutes/Poison-Prevention-Packaging-Act/Child-Resistant-Package-Testing

To determine whether a package meets the standard for child-resistance, a third-party testing firm follows the testing procedure found in 16 CFR 1700.20 (link below).

https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2012-title16-vol2/pdf/CFR-2012-title16-vol2-sec1700-20.pdf

It is the licensee's responsibility to ensure that each package is certified as meeting the federal standards set out in 16 CFR 1700 by a qualified, third-party testing firm. Documentation of certification can be requested by OCR at any time.

The Office of Cannabis Regulation will not certify, provide approval, or otherwise deem any packaging as "Child Resistant"







