

## ABSTRACT

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**Objective.** To determine pharmacy students, school of pharmacy faculty, and school of pharmacy staff opinions and perceptions on recreational cannabis to determine if the school of pharmacy substance abuse policy needs amendment.

**Methods.** Pharmacy students, school of pharmacy faculty, and school of pharmacy staff were asked to complete a survey on recreational cannabis that assessed their opinions on safety, who should be able to utilize recreational cannabis, and perceived use, along with their knowledge on cannabis through 32 questions.

**Results.** One-hundred-eighteen pharmacy students, school of pharmacy faculty, and school of pharmacy staff completed the survey. On a 6-point-Likert scale question, the mean values for high content, recreational THC products for healthcare workers, health profession professors and instructors, and health profession students were 3.72, 3.16, and 3.14, revealing the participants somewhat disagree on the use in these individuals. However, forty-four (45%) of the student pharmacists believe that 5-25% and twenty-seven (28%) believe that 25-50% of their pharmacy school peers are utilizing recreational cannabis.

**Conclusion.** With an increasing number of states adopting recreational cannabis use, pharmacy schools need to take a stance on cannabis use by pharmacy students.