

ALCOHOL STATUTES FOR MINORS

SUMMARY	STATUTE	PENALTY
Prohibits possession of alcohol by a minor on public & private property	Sec. 30-89(b)	1st Offense: Infraction: Fine of \$136 Subsequent Offenses: Fine between \$200-\$500
	Sec. 14-111e(a)	Subject to a 60 day license suspension if caught in possession on public property or a 30 day suspension if caught in possession on private property.
	Sec. 14-111e(b)	If not licensed, minor must wait an additional 150 days before they're eligible.
Prohibits the sale of alcohol to a minor	Sec. 30-86(b)(1)	Fine up to \$1,000 and/or up to 1 year in prison
Prohibits anyone from allowing minors to possess alcohol or "host" underage drinking parties	Sec. 30-89(a)	Fine up to \$2,000 and/or up to 1 year in prison
Prohibits anyone from providing alcohol to a minor	Sec. 30-86(b)(2)	Fine up to \$3,500 and/or up to 18 months in prison
Prohibits the purchase or attempt to purchase alcohol by a minor	Sec. 30-89(a)	Fine between \$200-\$500

PENALTIES FOR MARIJUANA POSSESSION

LESS THAN ONE-HALF OUNCE	MORE THAN ONE HALF OUNCE
Penalty for possession: 1st offense: \$150 fine Subsequent offenses: \$200-\$500 fine	1st Offense: Fine of up to \$1,000 or imprisonment for no more than one year, or both
Upon 3rd conviction, offender must enroll in a drug education program at their own expense	2nd offense: court may suspend prosecution if person is drug dependent and court orders substance abuse treatment Subsequent offenses: allowed to sentence as a persistent controlled substance offender, subject to prison sentence for class E felony (up to three years in prison)
For under age 18*, must appear in juvenile court	Possession within 1,500 ft of school or day care is class A misdemeanor; sentence to include prison and probation, with community service as ordered by the court.
For under age 21, face 60-day suspension of license or 150-day delay in receiving license	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">   </div>
*Delinquent status expanded July 1, 2012 to include those 17 years of age and younger. *If you make a fraudulent representation to law enforcement saying you are certified to use medical marijuana and you are not, you will be found guilty of violating a class c misdemeanor (Fine up to \$500 and/or up to 3 months in prison).	