



*A Policy Research Partnership
to Reduce Youth Substance Use*

Penalties for Sale or Possession of Selected Substances

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Codebook

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Variable Name	Description	Value	Value Description	Format	Size
STFIPS	State FIPS Code			Numeric	2
		01	ALABAMA		
		02	ALASKA		
		04	ARIZONA		
		05	ARKANSAS		
		06	CALIFORNIA		
		08	COLORADO		
		09	CONNECTICUT		
		10	DELAWARE		
		11	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA		
		12	FLORIDA		
		13	GEORGIA		
		15	HAWAII		
		16	IDAHO		
		17	ILLINOIS		
		18	INDIANA		
		19	IOWA		
		20	KANSAS		
		21	KENTUCKY		
		22	LOUISIANA		
		23	MAINE		
		24	MARYLAND		
		25	MASSACHUSETTS		
		26	MICHIGAN		
		27	MINNESOTA		
		28	MISSISSIPPI		
		29	MISSOURI		
		30	MONTANA		
		31	NEBRASKA		
		32	NEVADA		
		33	NEW HAMPSHIRE		
		34	NEW JERSEY		
		35	NEW MEXICO		
		36	NEW YORK		
		37	NORTH CAROLINA		
		38	NORTH DAKOTA		
		39	OHIO		
		40	OKLAHOMA		
		41	OREGON		
		42	PENNSYLVANIA		
		44	RHODE ISLAND		
		45	SOUTH CAROLINA		
		46	SOUTH DAKOTA		
		47	TENNESSEE		
		48	TEXAS		
		49	UTAH		
		50	VERMONT		
		51	VIRGINIA		
		53	WASHINGTON		
		54	WEST VIRGINIA		
		55	WISCONSIN		
		56	WYOMING		
STABB	State Postal Abbreviation			Text	2
TYPOFF	Type of Offense			Text	13
		1	Sale		
		2	Possession		
DRUGNM	Controlled Substance Name			Text	15
			cocaine		
			marijuana		
			MDMA		

Variable Name	Description	Value	Value Description	Format	Size
			methamphetamine		
TRIGGER	# Quantity triggers in the law for this state/drug/type of offense combination			Numeric	2
		0	No law or relevant provision		
		1	1		
		2	2		
		3	3		
		4	4		
		5	5 or more		
QUAN	Quantity, in grams, associated with the given state/drug/type of offense/trigger combination			Numeric	8.3
		-7	10 grains		
		-8	ANY Quantity		
		-9	Not Specified		
STTRIG	Whether the state/drug/type of offense/trigger combination falls within one of the four standard trigger quantities: Cocaine=1 gram Marijuana=10 grams Methamphetamine=10 grams Ecstasy=125 mg (1 pill)			Text	0
		1	Yes		
		2	No		
FINMIN	Minimum Fine			Numeric	4
FINMAX	Maximum Fine			Numeric	4
IMPMIN	Minimum Imprisonment (Years)			Numeric	8.3
		-9	Not Specified		
IMPMM	Mandatory Minimum Imprisonment (Years)			Numeric	8.3
		-9	Not Specified		
IMPMAX	Maximum Imprisonment (Years)			Numeric	8.3
		-8	Life		
		-9	Not Specified		
SUBVIOL	Whether there are increased penalties for a second or subsequent offense			Numeric	2
		1	Yes		
		2	No		

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