

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2023 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **House Bill 2920**

By Delegates Chiarelli, Heckert, Longanacre, Foster,  
Coop-Gonzalez, Adkins, Ridenour, Jeffries, and W.

Hall

[Introduced January 23, 2023; Referred to the  
Committee on Prevention and Treatment of  
Substance Abuse then the Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,  
2 designated §16-64-11, relating to prohibiting harm reduction programs in West Virginia  
3 from distributing any smoking devices as part of the program.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

**ARTICLE 64. SYRINGE SERVICES PROGRAMS.**

**§16-64-11. Prohibition on distribution of smoking devices in harm reduction programs.**

1 It is hereby prohibited for a harm reduction program in West Virginia to distribute any  
2 smoking devices as part of the program.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to prohibit harm reduction programs in West Virginia to distribute any smoking devices as part of the program.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.