



## Ohio Medical Marijuana Control Program Whole-Day Unit Policy Update

[Rule 3796:8-2-04](#) of the Ohio Administrative Code defines the increments in which medical marijuana products can be sold in Ohio Medical Marijuana Control Program dispensaries. The rules states:

*A patient and a patient's caregiver(s) may collectively purchase no less than a whole day unit at a single time. A whole day unit shall equal the following amounts for each authorized form of medical marijuana:*

- (1) One-tenth of an ounce (two and eighty-three hundredths grams) of plant material;*
- (2) Two-hundred ninety-five milligrams of THC contained in a patch, lotion, cream, or ointment;*
- (3) One hundred ten milligrams of THC contained in an oil, tincture, capsule, or edible for oral administration;*
- (4) Five hundred ninety milligrams of THC contained in oil for vaporization.*

Under the previous interpretation of the rule, no products amounting to less than the whole-day unit could be sold at a dispensary. However, after collaboration between stakeholders and the State of Ohio Board of Pharmacy, the interpretation of the rule is as follows:

<b>Form</b>	<b>Minimum Increment Under Original Interpretation</b>	<b>Minimum Increment Under New Interpretation</b>
<b>Oils for vaporizing</b>	590 mg THC	Up to 590 mg THC
<b>Patch, lotion, cream or ointment</b>	295 mg THC	Up to 295 mg THC
<b>Edibles, oils, and tinctures for oral administration</b>	110 mg THC	Up to 110 mg THC

- “Up to” language only applies to products containing less than the minimum increment of processed products
- Patients can now purchase products with high CBD content and low THC content in more reasonable quantities
- THC and CBD target doses continue to be required on product labels
- Actual cannabinoid dose must still fall within  $\pm$  5% of target dose
- Plant material is not impacted