POLICY-RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS IN NICOTINE & TOBACCO RESEARCH (July 2018)

- An exploration of smoking-to-vaping transition attempts using a “smart” electronic nicotine delivery system
- Association between possibility of purchasing cigarettes and e-cigarette experience among Korean adolescent smokers
- Associations between early onset of e-cigarette use and cigarette smoking and other substance use among US adolescents: A national study
- Can e-cigarettes and pharmaceutical aids increase smoking cessation and reduce cigarette consumption? Findings from a nationally representative cohort of American smokers
- Characterizing JUUL-related posts on Twitter
- Comparing cigarette and e-cigarette dependence and predicting frequency of smoking and e-cigarette use in dual-users of cigarettes and e-cigarettes
- Flavorings in tobacco products induce endothelial cell dysfunction
- Hookah use among US youth: A systematic review of the literature from 2009-2017
- Single, dual, and poly use of flavored tobacco products among youths
- Socio-economic and racial/ethnic differences in e-cigarette uptake among cigarette smokers: Longitudinal analysis of the population assessment of tobacco and health (PATH) study
- Trends in healthcare provider advice on youth tobacco use, 2011-2015
- Use of price promotions among U.S. adults who use electronic vapor products
- Would placing pictorial health warnings on waterpipe devices reduce waterpipe tobacco smoking? A qualitative exploration of Egyptian waterpipe smokers’ and non-smokers’ responses
- Youth or young adults: Which group is at highest risk for tobacco use onset?
- Book: Tobacco Control Policy in the Netherlands

OTHER POLICY RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS (send us your policy research papers to be included in next month’s bulletin)


CONSULTATIONS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

CURRENTLY OPEN

- USA: Open docket for:
  - Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection: Comment Request; Investigation of Consumer perceptions of Expressed Modified Risk Claims. Deadline 20 July 2018.
  - Modified Tobacco Product Applications – iQOS.
  - Modified Tobacco Product Applications – Camel Snus Smokeless Products

RECENTLY CLOSED

- UK: NICE opens consultation on updating NICE guidelines ‘Tobacco update: prevention and promotion, cessation and harm reduction’.
- USA:
  - Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products after Implementation of an FDA Product Standard
Regulation of Flavor
s in Tobacco Products

Tobacco product Standard for Nicotine Level of Combusted Cigarettes

Regulation of Flavors in Tobacco Products.

OTHER POLICY-RELEVANT NEWS AND SIGNIFICANT NEW POLICIES

MAJOR REPORTS
- **UNITED STATES:** The American Cancer Society public health statement on eliminating combustible tobacco use in the United States
- **UK:** Hiding in plain sight: Treating tobacco dependency in the NHS

TAXES
- **EGYPT:** Cigarette prices to rise in Egypt starting Thursday
- **NIGERIA:** ‘Sin tax’ looms on tobacco and alcohol in Nigeria as fears grow of a public health crisis

E-CIGARETTES, HEAT-NOT-BURN, AND OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS
- **INDONESIA:** Indonesia to impose excise tax on liquids for e-cigarettes
- **UNITED STATES:** San Francisco approves ban on menthol cigarettes and flavored e-cigarette liquids
- **UNITED STATES:** E-cigarette maker JUUL will offer lower-strength nicotine pods

TOBACCO ADVERTISING AND PACKAGING
- **AUSTRALIA:** WTO backs Australia over plain cigarette packets
- **AUSTRALIA:** Cigarette packaging to be reviewed after shock study
- **UNITED STATES:** Tobacco companies’ websites to post court-ordered warnings
- **ISRAEL:** Warning: Advertising kills

ANTISMOKING CAMPAIGNS, SMOKEFREE AND CESSATION
- **CHINA:** Wuhan bans public smoking inside Party, government offices
- **CHINA:** China tobacco regulator argues for indoor space for smokers
- **FRANCE:** Paris authorities try to stub out French smoking habit with public parks ban
- **SINGAPORE:** Singapore rolling out thermal cameras to nab illegal smokers
- **UNITED STATES:** Smoking ban in all public housing starts July 31

TOBACCO INDUSTRY
- **PHILIPPINES:** Tobacco company eyes partnership with Ilocos farmers
- **UK:** Imperial takes on JUUL as big tobacco faces upstart rival

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