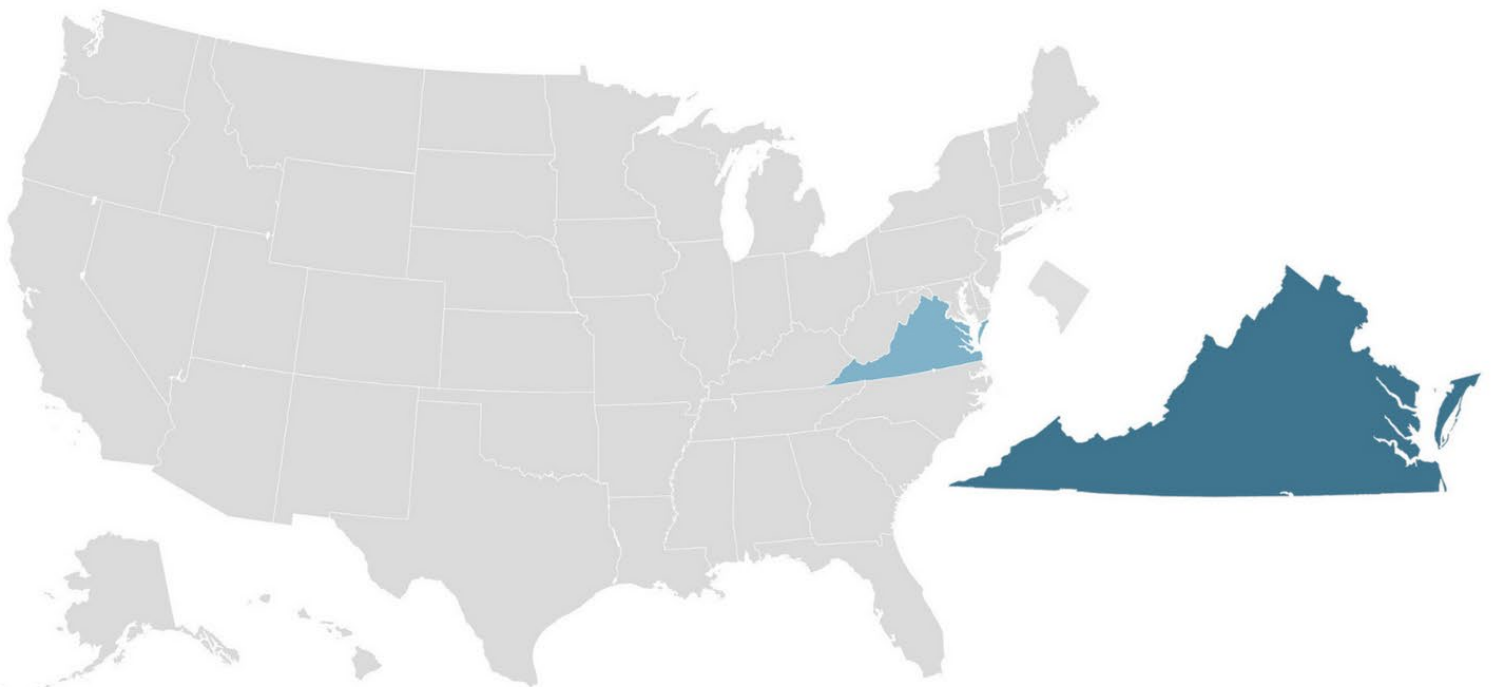




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This *State Report* is required by the Sober Truth on Preventing (STOP) Underage Drinking Act (Pub. L. 109-422), enacted by Congress in 2006 and reauthorized in December 2016 as part of the 21st Century Cures Act (Pub. L. 114-255). The STOP Act requires an annual report “on each State’s performance in enacting, enforcing, and creating laws, regulations, and programs to prevent or reduce underage drinking.” As directed by the STOP Act, the State Reports were prepared by the Interagency Coordinating Committee on the Prevention of Underage Drinking (ICCPUD), chaired by Miriam Delphin-Rittmon, Ph.D., the Assistant Secretary for Mental Health and Substance Use, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

Time Period Covered by this *State Report*: This *State Report* primarily includes data from calendar year 2020 and 2021. Regional and state profile data were drawn from the most recently available federal survey data as of 2020. State legal data reflect the status of the law as of January 1, 2021. State survey data, collected in 2021, were drawn from the most recent 12-month period in which the states maintained the data.

Source of Data: For each state, overall population information was taken from 2010 Census data. Data about the portion of each state’s population comprising 12-to 20-year-olds, as well as facts about past-month alcohol use and binge use, were averaged from the 2017 through 2020 National Surveys on Drug Use and Health (NSDUH), SAMHSA’s Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality (CBHSQ), and the NSDUH special data analysis (2021). Confidence intervals for these estimates are available from CBHSQ’s Division of Surveillance and Data Collection on request. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s Alcohol-Related Disease Impact (ARDI) application (updated May 2022) served as the resource for data about alcohol-attributable deaths from 2015–2019 among youth under age 21. ARDI was also the source for state-level data on years of potential life lost as a result of underage alcohol-related fatalities. The National Center for Statistics and Analysis’s Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) provided the 2020 data used to present statistics about fatalities among 15- to 20-year-old drivers. State legal policy data were obtained from the following sources: 1) the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism’s Alcohol Policy Information System (APIS) website (<https://alcoholpolicy.niaaa.nih.gov/>); 2) legal research planned and managed by the ICCPUD.

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Virginia

State Population: 8,590,563

Population Ages 12–20: 928,000

Past-Month Alcohol Use	
Ages 12–20	
Past-Month Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	185,000 (19.9%)
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	104,000 (11.2%)
Ages 12–14	
Past-Month Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	10,000 (3.1%)
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	3,000 (1.1%)
Ages 15–17	
Past-Month Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	58,000 (18.2%)
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	27,000 (8.5%)
Ages 18–20	
Past-Month Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	118,000 (39.6%)
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use – Number (Percentage)	73,000 (24.6%)
Adults Ages 21+	
Past-Month Alcohol Use – (Percentage)	3,426,000 (55.7%)
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use – (Percentage)	1,516,000 (24.6%)
Average Age of Initiation	
Average Age of Initiation	16.1
Alcohol-Attributable Deaths and Years of Potential Life Lost Under the Age of 21 ¹	
Alcohol-Attributable Deaths (under 21)	95
Years of Potential Life Lost (under 21)	5,494
Fatal Crashes Involving a 15- to 20-Year-Old Driver With Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC) > 0.01% ²	
Number of Fatalities Involving 15- to 20-Year-Old Driver With BAC > 0.01%	15
Percentage of All Fatal Crashes Involving a 15- to 20-Year-Old Driver	17%

¹ The Alcohol-Related Disease Impact Application was updated May 2022 to reflect new methodology for calculating the average annual alcohol-attributable deaths, and it reflects national and state annual averages from 2015–2019.

² Alcohol-related fatalities are estimates derived from a sophisticated statistical procedure. The estimates are rounded to the nearest whole number; however, percentages as displayed are calculated from the unrounded estimates and may not equal those calculated from the rounded estimates. Totals may not equal the sum of components due to independent rounding.

Behavioral Health System Overview¹

The Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) is tasked with providing public behavioral health (mental health and substance use disorders) as well as developmental and intellectual disability services in Virginia. Title 37.2 of the Code of Virginia establishes DBHDS as the state authority for Virginia's public behavioral health and developmental services system, thus designating the agency as the Single State Alcohol and Drug Agency (SSA) and State Mental Health Authority (SMHA).

Virginia operates 12 facilities: eight behavioral health facilities for adults, one training center, a psychiatric facility for children and adolescents, a medical center, and a center for behavioral rehabilitation. State facilities provide highly structured, intensive services for individuals with mental illness, intellectual disability or are in need of substance use disorder services. The Commonwealth Center for Children and Adolescents (CCCA) in Staunton remains the only state hospital for children with serious emotional disturbance. Community Services at the local level are provided by 39 community services boards and 1 behavioral health authority (referred to as CSBs). Local governments that provide services directly to consumers or through contracts with private providers across the Commonwealth have established these CSBs.

The 133 local governments in Virginia, pursuant to Chapters 5 and 6 of Title 37.2 of the Code of Virginia established CSBs. CSBs may serve single or multiple jurisdictions. CSBs provide services directly to consumers within their catchment area, as well as through contracts with private providers. Private providers are identified as partners who play an important role in delivering behavioral health and developmental services. CSBs function as the single points of entry into publicly funded behavioral health and developmental services, including access to state facility services through preadmission screening, case management and coordination of services. It is important to note discharge planning for individuals leaving state facilities is also performed at the CSB level. They function as advocates for individuals who are receiving services and those in need of services. In addition, CSB staff act as community educators, organizers, and planners through community outreach. In some cases, they educate and advise their local governments about behavioral health and developmental services and needs.

While not part of DBHDS, CSBs are key operational partners with DBHDS and its state facilities in Virginia's public behavioral health and developmental services system. The relationship between DBHDS and the CSBs involves the community services performance contract, provisions of Title 37.2 of the Code of Virginia, State Board policies and regulations, and other applicable state or federal statutes or regulations. DBHDS contracts with, provides consultation to, funds, monitors, licenses, and regulates CSBs.

Substance Abuse Services

In FY 2020, an unduplicated 28,776 individuals received substance use disorder services from CSBs. Services include Inpatient Services, Community-Based SA Medical Detox Inpatient

¹ Extracted from FY 2022/2023 – (Virginia) State Behavioral Health Assessment and Plan, Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant (SABG), CSAP, Division of State Programs, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, Division of State and Community Assistance: Planning Step One. Assess the strengths and needs of the service system to address the specific populations.

Services, Outpatient Services, Intensive Outpatient Services, Case Management Services, Medication Assisted Treatment, Day Treatment/Partial Hospitalization, Rehabilitation, Individual Supported Employment, Highly Intensive Residential Services, Residential Crisis Stabilization Services, Intensive Residential Services, Supervised Residential Services, Supportive Residential Services and Prevention Services. Alcohol was reported as the primary drug of abuse for 28.2% of these individuals, opiates for 29.1%, marijuana/hashish for 17.4% and methamphetamines for 10.6%. Thirty-four of the 40 CSBs provided medication assisted treatment (methadone or buprenorphine), either directly or through a contract with a local private provider, serving 4,117 individuals in 2020. All CSBs provide some specialized services to pregnant women and women with dependent children. There are four regional programs that provide residential services to pregnant and postpartum women and women with dependent children and nine programs that provide intensive wrap-around case management services to pregnant and postpartum women in close collaboration with local social services and health departments (Project Link).

Prevention

Virginia's focus on behavioral health is changing the prevention context by supporting the creation of thriving communities that promote healthy outcomes. This is happening through state and community level-change, structural and systems change as well as integrating more seamlessly mental health and substance use approaches to address shared root causes. Virginia's Block Grant activities have been selected through an intentional, data-driven process at the state and local provider levels based on the Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF) developed by SAMHSA. The SPF consists of a set of steps and principles that are designed to ensure effective substance use disorder prevention services and relevant outcomes. The Virginia State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup (SEOW) provided data through the Virginia Social Indicator Study Data Dashboard, which was accessible to the 40 Community Services Boards and their partner coalitions. DBHDS' OBHW Needs Assessment and Evaluation contractor, OMNI Institute, continue to provide SPF capacity building at the state and local levels resulting in 40 local needs assessments, logic Models and evaluation plans linked to their local needs assessments. The state completed a state level needs assessment which has led to the identification of prioritized risk and protective factors and a State needs Assessment, Logic model and evaluation plan. This comprehensive approach to identifying need is the foundation for best practices in prevention science.

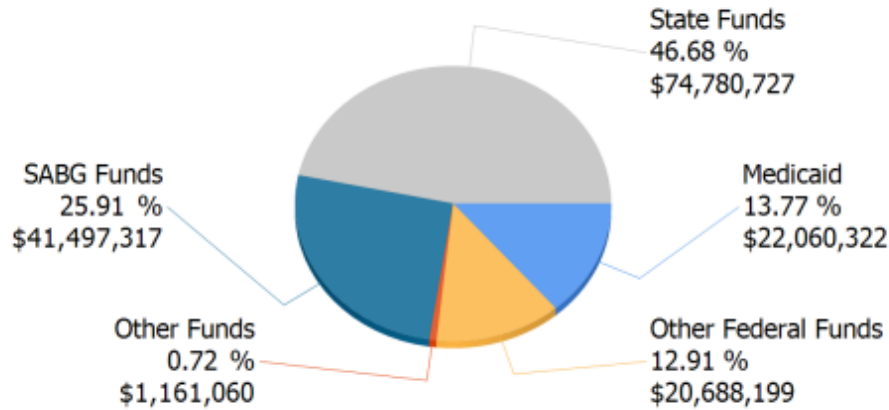
Expenditures for Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment

All states receive federal funds for substance abuse prevention through the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant (SABG) administered by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). Exhibit 1 shows the sources that Virginia used for expenditures on substance abuse prevention and treatment in 2021. As indicated, state funds and SABG funds account for the largest sources (46.68 percent and 25.91 percent, respectively).²

² WebBGAS State Profile, 2021 SABG and Community Mental Health Block Grant (MHBG) Reports – Virginia 2021.

States submit Behavioral Assessment and Plan reports that include their priorities for use of SABG funds, as well as planned expenditures. For FY 2022–2023, Virginia did not specifically identify underage drinking as a prevention priority for use of SABG funds.³

Exhibit 1: Sources of Virginia’s 2021 Expenditures for Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment



³ FY 2022/2023 – (Virginia) State Behavioral Assessment and Plan, SABG, CSAP, Division of State Programs, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, Division of State and Community Assistance: Table 1: Priority Areas and Annual Performance Indicators.

State Performance: Laws, Enforcement, and Programs

As mandated by the STOP Act, this report details Virginia’s performance in enacting, enforcing, and creating laws, regulations, and programs to prevent or reduce underage drinking.

The following sections address these measures:

State Laws and Policies: These underage drinking prevention policies have been identified as best practices (or as promising practices suitable for ongoing evaluation) and fall into six categories:

- underage possession or purchase of alcohol
- underage drinking and driving
- alcohol availability
- sales and delivery to consumers at home
- alcohol pricing
- enforcement policies

STOP Act State Survey Data: The STOP Act requires annual reporting of data from the 50 states and the District of Columbia on their performance in enacting, enforcing, and creating laws, regulations, and programs to prevent or reduce underage drinking. Administered since 2011, the STOP Act State Survey collects data on the following topics:

- enforcement programs to promote compliance with underage drinking laws and regulations
- programs targeted to youth, parents, and caregivers to deter underage drinking
- state interagency collaborations to implement prevention programs, best-practice standards, collaborations with tribal governments, and participation in underage drinking media campaigns
- state expenditures on the prevention of underage drinking

Underage Possession or Purchase of Alcohol

Virginia-Underage Possession	
Is underage possession of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	Yes
Are there exceptions based on family relationships? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is possession allowed if parent or guardian is present or consents? • Is possession allowed if spouse is present or consents? 	Yes Yes, in specified locations – see below
Is there an exception based on location?	Yes, in any private residence if spouse is present or consents
<p>Notes: Virginia law provides for two separate family exceptions. First, Virginia permits persons under 21 to possess alcoholic beverages due to such person's "making a delivery of alcoholic beverages by order of his parent." For purposes of this report, the phrase "by order of his parent" is interpreted as providing for parental consent. Va. Code Ann. § 4.1-305. Second, Virginia permits underage possession when an alcoholic beverage is provided to an underage guest in a private residence and the underage guest is "accompanied by a parent, guardian, or spouse who is 21 years of age or older." Va. Code Ann. §§ 4.1-305, 4.1-200. The second exception is limited to specific locations, but the first one is not.</p>	

Virginia-Underage Consumption	
Is underage consumption of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	Yes
Are there exceptions based on family relationships? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is consumption allowed if parent or guardian is present or consents? • Is consumption allowed if spouse is present or consents? 	Yes, in specified locations – see below Yes, in specified locations – see below
Is there an exception based on location?	Yes, in any private residence if parent/guardian/spouse is present or consents

Virginia-Underage Internal Possession	
Is underage internal possession of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	No law
Are there exceptions based on family relationships? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is internal possession allowed if parent or guardian is present or consents? • Is internal possession allowed if spouse is present or consents? 	N/A N/A
Is there an exception based on location?	N/A
<p>Virginia has a statutory provision that makes it unlawful for a minor to "exhibit evidence of physical indicia of consumption of alcohol". Va. Code Ann. § 4.1-305. Laws that punish minors for displaying "indicators of consumption" or for "exhibiting the effects" of having consumed alcohol, but which do</p>	

so without reference to a blood, breath, or urine test, are not considered as prohibiting Internal Possession for purposes of this report.

Virginia-Underage Purchase and Attempted Purchase

Is the purchase of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	Yes
May youth purchase for law enforcement purposes?	No

Virginia-Underage False Identification for Obtaining Alcohol

Provisions Targeting Minors	
Is the use of false identification (ID) prohibited?	Yes
Does the use of a false ID result in minor's driver's license suspension?	Yes, through a judicial process
Provisions Targeting Suppliers	
Is the lending or transferring or selling of a false ID prohibited?	No
Is the production of a false ID in the context of underage alcohol sales specifically prohibited?	No
Retailer Support Provisions	
Is there an incentive for the retailer to use electronic scanners for information digitally encoded on valid IDs?	No
Do state statutes or regulations mandate that state driver's licenses for persons under 21 be easily distinguishable from licenses for persons 21 and over?	Yes
May the retailer seize apparently false IDs without fear of prosecution even if the ID is ultimately deemed valid?	No
Does an affirmative defense exist for the retailer?	Yes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Is it a specific affirmative defense (retailer reasonably believed ID was valid after examining it)? 	Yes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Is it a general affirmative defense (retailer reasonably believed purchaser was over 21)? 	No
Does the retailer have the right to sue the minor for use of a false ID?	No
May the retailer detain a minor who used a false ID?	No

Notes: Virginia defines "bona fide evidence of legal age" as including any evidence that is or reasonably appears to be an unexpired driver's license issued by any state of the United States or the District of Columbia, military identification card, United States passport or foreign government visa, unexpired special identification card issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles, or any other valid government-issued identification card bearing the individual's photograph, signature, height, weight, and date of birth, or which bears a photograph that reasonably appears to match the appearance of the purchaser. A student identification card is not considered to be bona fide evidence of legal age.

See 3 Va. Admin. Code § 5-50-20 and Va. Code Ann. § 4.1-304(B). In determining whether a licensee has reason to believe a purchaser is not of legal age, the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board considers whether an ordinary and prudent person would have reason to doubt that the purchaser is of legal age based on the general appearance, facial characteristics, behavior and manner of the purchaser, and whether the seller demanded, was shown and acted in good faith in reliance upon bona fide evidence of legal age that contained a photograph and physical description consistent with the appearance of the purchaser.

See 3 Va. Admin. Code § 5-50-20(A). For purposes of this report, the “good faith reliance” requirement as providing the retailer a defense for reasonable reliance on an apparently valid ID.

Underage Drinking and Driving

Virginia-Youth Blood Alcohol Concentration Limits (Underage Operators of Noncommercial Motor Vehicles)	
What is the maximum blood alcohol concentration (BAC) limit for an underage driver of a motor vehicle?	0.02
Does a BAC level in excess of limit automatically establish a violation (per se violation)?	Yes
What is the minimum age to which the limit applies?	0
What is the maximum age to which the limit applies?	21

Virginia-Loss of Driving Privileges for Alcohol Violations by Minors (“Use/Lose” Laws)—For Ages 17 and Under	
Is there a “use/lose” law that suspends or revokes a minor’s driving privileges for alcohol violations?	Yes
What types of violation lead to license suspension or revocation?	
• Purchase of alcohol	Yes
• Possession of alcohol	Yes
• Consumption of alcohol	Yes
The law applies to people under what age?	18
Is suspension or revocation mandatory or discretionary?	Mandatory
What is the length of suspension/revocation?	
Minimum number of days	180
Maximum number of days	180

Virginia-Loss of Driving Privileges for Alcohol Violations by Minors (“Use/Lose” Laws)—For Ages 18–20	
Is there a “use/lose” law that suspends or revokes a minor’s driving privileges for alcohol violations?	Yes

What types of violation lead to license suspension or revocation?	
• Purchase of alcohol	Yes
• Possession of alcohol	Yes
• Consumption of alcohol	Yes
The law applies to people under what age?	21
Is suspension or revocation mandatory or discretionary?	Mandatory
What is the length of suspension/revocation?	
Minimum number of days	180
Maximum number of days	365

Virginia-Graduated Driver's Licenses	
Learner Stage	
What is the minimum age for permit to drive with parents, guardians or other adults (other than instructors)?	15 years, 6 months
What is the minimum number of months driver must hold learner permit before advancing to intermediate stage?	9
What is the minimum number of hours of driving with parents, guardians or adults before advancing to intermediate stage?	45 (15 of which must be at night)
Intermediate Stage	
What is the minimum age for driving without adult supervision?	16 years, 3 months
For night driving, when does adult supervision requirement begin?	Midnight
Can law enforcement stop a driver for night driving violation as a primary offense?	No
Are there restrictions on passengers?	Yes. For first year, no more than one passenger younger than age 21 who is not family or household member unless the driver is accompanied by a parent or person acting in loco parentis; then, no more than three passengers younger than age 21 who are not family or household members unless driving to or from a school-sponsored activity or accompanied by a licensed driver who is at least 21 years old.
Can law enforcement stop driver for violation of passenger restrictions as a primary offense?	No
License Stage	
What is the minimum age for full license privileges and lifting of restrictions?	18

Alcohol Availability

Virginia-Furnishing Alcohol to Minors	
Is furnishing of alcoholic beverages to minors prohibited?	Yes
Are there exceptions based on family relationships? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is furnishing allowed if the parent or guardian supplies the alcohol? • Is furnishing allowed if the spouse supplies the alcohol? 	Yes, in specified locations Yes, in specified locations
Is there an exception based on location?	Yes, in any private residence, if parent/guardian/spouse supplies alcohol
Affirmative Defense for Sellers and Licensees	
Does law require seller/licensee to be exonerated of furnishing to a minor if the minor has not been charged?	No

Virginia-Responsible Beverage Service (RBS)—Voluntary	
Is there a state law pertaining to Beverage Service Training?	Yes, voluntary
If training is mandatory, who must participate?	N/A
If training is voluntary, which of the following incentives are offered?	
• Defense in dram shop liability lawsuits	No
• Discounts in dram shop liability insurance, license fees, or other	No
• Mitigation of fines or other administrative penalties for sales to minors or intoxicated persons	Yes
• Protection against license revocation for sales to minors or sales to intoxicated persons	No
Does the RBS law apply to on-premises establishments (such as bars and restaurants) or off-premises establishments (such as liquor stores)?	Unspecified
Does the RBS law apply to new or existing licensees?	Existing

Virginia-Minimum Ages for Sellers of Alcohol – Off-Premises (i.e., Liquor Stores)	
What is the minimum age requirement for off-premises retail establishments?	
Beer	None
Wine	None
Spirits	None
Does a manager or supervisor have to be present when an underage person is selling beverages?	No

Virginia-Minimum Age for Alcohol Servers and Bartenders – On-Premises (i.e., Restaurants and Bars)	
What is the minimum age requirement for servers in on-premises establishments?	
Beer	18
Wine	18
Spirits	18
What is the minimum age requirement for bartenders in on-premises establishments?	
Beer	21
Wine	21
Spirits	21
Does a manager or supervisor have to be present when an underage person is selling beverages?	No
Notes: Although bartenders are generally required to be at least 21 years old in Virginia, a person who is at least 18 years of age may sell or serve beer for on-premises consumption at a counter in an establishment that sells beer only. A person who is at least 18 years of age may also sell or serve wine for on-premises consumption in an establishment that sells wine only.	

Virginia-Distance Limitations Applied to New Alcohol Outlets Near Universities, Colleges, and Primary and Secondary Schools	
Colleges and Universities	
Is there a distance requirement for off-premises outlets (i.e., liquor stores)?	No
Is there a distance requirement for on-premises outlets (i.e., restaurants and bars)?	No
To which alcohol products does requirement apply?	N/A
Primary and Secondary Schools	
Is there a distance requirement for off-premises outlets (i.e., liquor stores)?	No
Is there a distance requirement for on-premises outlets (i.e., restaurants and bars)?	No
To which alcohol products does requirement apply?	N/A

Virginia-Dram Shop Liability	
Does a statute create dram shop liability?	No
Does the statute limit damages that may be recovered?	N/A
Does the statute limit who may be sued?	N/A
Does the statute limit elements or standards of proof?	N/A
Does common law dram shop liability exist?	No

Virginia-Social Host Liability	
Does a statute create social host liability?	No
Does the statute limit damages that may be recovered?	N/A
Does the statute limit who may be sued?	N/A
Does the statute limit elements or standards of proof?	N/A
Does common law social host liability exist?	No

Virginia-Prohibitions Against Hosting Underage Drinking Parties	
Does a statute prohibit hosting underage drinking parties?	No
Is the statute specific to underage parties, or a general prohibition against permitting underage drinking on the property?	N/A
What action by underage guest triggers a violation?	N/A
Property type covered by the law?	N/A
What level of knowledge by the host is required?	N/A
Does host's preventive action protect him/her from being held liable?	N/A
Are there any exceptions for underage guests?	N/A

Virginia-Keg Registration	
How is a keg defined (in gallons)?	Equal to or greater than 4.00
Prohibitions	
Is it illegal to possess an unregistered or unlabeled keg and if so, what is the penalty?	Yes
Is it illegal to destroy the label on a keg, and if so, what is the penalty?	Yes
What purchaser information is collected?	
Must the retailer collect the name and address?	Yes
Must the retailer collect the ID number, name and address on license or other government information?	Yes
Must the retailer collect the address at which keg will be consumed?	Yes
Must warning information be given to purchaser?	Active (requires action by purchaser)
Is a deposit required?	No
Does law cover disposable kegs?	Yes

Virginia-High-Proof Grain Alcohol Beverages	
Are there restrictions on the sale of high-proof grain alcohol beverages?	Yes; also, this state is a control state, and control states may impose additional restrictions on the sale of products that are not reflected in statute or regulation.
Are restrictions based on Alcohol by Volume (ABV)?	Yes (more than 75.5 percent)
Are there exceptions to restrictions?	No
Notes: Statute states "151 proof," which is equivalent to 75.5 percent alcohol by volume.	

Sales and Delivery to Consumers at Home

Virginia-Retailer Interstate Shipments of Alcohol	
Are out-of-state retailers prohibited from sending interstate shipments to in-state consumers?	
Beer	Permitted
Wine	Permitted
Spirits	Prohibited

Virginia-Direct Shipments/Sales	
May alcohol producers ship directly to consumers?	Yes
What alcohol types may be shipped?	Beer and wine
Must purchaser make mandatory trip to producer before delivery is authorized?	No
Age verification requirements	
Must the producer/shipper verify purchaser's age before sale?	No
Must the common carrier (deliverer) verify age of recipients?	Yes
State approval/permit requirements	
Must the producer/manufacture obtain state license or permit?	Yes
Must the common carrier (deliverer) be approved by a state agency?	Yes
Recording/reporting requirements	
Must the producer/manufacture record/report purchaser's name?	Yes
Must the common carrier (deliverer) record/report recipient's name?	Yes
Shipping label requirements	
Must the label state "Package contains alcohol"?	Yes

Must the label state "Recipient must be 21 years old"?	Yes
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Virginia-Home Delivery	
Is home delivery of alcohol permitted?	
Beer	Permitted (Delivery permit required. Four-case limit without written prior notification to the state including the name and address to the intended recipient.)
Wine	Permitted (Delivery permit required. Four-case limit without written prior notification to the state including the name and address to the intended recipient.)
Spirits	No law

Virginia- Direct to Consumer	
Is there a policy allowing on-premises retailers to deliver alcohol to a consumer at home?	Yes
Which on-premises retailers can provide delivery of alcoholic beverages? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restaurant • Bar license • Third party license 	Yes, with state permit Yes, with state permit Yes, with state permit
Which types of alcohol are permitted to be delivered? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beer • Wine • Spirits • Mixed Drinks 	Yes Yes Yes Yes
Requirements and Restrictions	
Are there restrictions in place addressing details of the delivery? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hours limited • Amount of alcohol limited • Food requirement 	Yes Yes Yes
Are there certain requirements that the delivery person must meet? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be 21 • Must check ID at point of delivery • Must receive payment regardless of delivery completion 	No No No
Notes: No more than 2 beverages per meal and not exceed 16 ounces; No delivery between 11:00 pm and 6:00 am.	

Alcohol Pricing

Virginia-Alcohol Taxes	
Beer	
Control system for beer?	No
Specific excise tax per gallon for 5% alcohol beer	\$0.28
Ad valorem excise tax (for on-premises sales) on total receipts for 5% alcohol beer	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	No
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General sales tax rate 	Not relevant
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax) 	Not relevant
Ad valorem excise tax (for off-premises sales) on total receipts for 5% alcohol beer	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	No
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General sales tax rate 	Not relevant
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax) 	Not relevant
Additional taxes for 3.2 – 6% alcohol beer if applicable	
Notes: Virginia imposes a tax of \$0.2565 per gallon on each barrel of beer, defined as any container or vessel having a capacity of more than 43 ounces.	
Wine	
Control system for wine?	Yes
Specific excise tax per gallon for 12% alcohol wine	Not relevant
Ad valorem excise tax (for on-premises sales) on total receipts for 12% alcohol wine	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Not relevant

• General sales tax rate	
• Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax)	
Ad valorem excise tax (for off-premises sales) on total receipts for 12% alcohol wine	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Not relevant
• General sales tax rate	
• Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax)	
Additional taxes for 6 – 14% alcohol wine if applicable	
Spirits	
Control system for spirits?	Yes
Specific excise tax per gallon for 40% alcohol spirits	Not relevant
Ad valorem excise tax (for on-premises sales) on total receipts for 40% alcohol spirits	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Not relevant
• General sales tax rate	
• Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax)	
Ad valorem excise tax (for off-premises sales) on total receipts for 40% alcohol spirits	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Not relevant
• General sales tax rate	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax) 	
Additional taxes for 15 – 50% alcohol spirits if applicable	

Virginia-Low-Price, High-Volume Drink Specials	
Are on-premises retailers prohibited from offering the following types of drink specials?	
Free beverages	No
Multiple servings at one time	No
Multiple servings for same price as single serving	Yes
Reduced price for a specified day or time (i.e., happy hours)	Restricted (Permitted before 9 p.m.)
Unlimited beverages for fixed price	Yes
Increased volume without increase in price	Yes

Virginia-Wholesaler Pricing Restrictions	
Beer	
Are volume discounts to retailers allowed?	None
Must wholesalers establish a minimum markup or maximum discount for each product sold to retailers?	No
Must wholesalers publicly post and hold (i.e., not reduce) prices for a set period of time?	No law
Is wholesaler permitted to extend credit to retailer and if so, what is the maximum time period?	No
Wine	Control System
Are volume discounts to retailers allowed?	N/A
Must wholesalers establish a minimum markup or maximum discount for each product sold to retailers?	N/A
Must wholesalers publicly post and hold (i.e., not reduce) prices for a set period of time?	N/A
Is wholesaler permitted to extend credit to retailer and if so, what is the maximum time period?	N/A
Spirits	Control System
Are volume discounts to retailers allowed?	N/A

Must wholesalers establish a minimum markup or maximum discount for each product sold to retailers?	N/A
Must wholesalers publicly post and hold (i.e., not reduce) prices for a set period of time?	N/A
Is wholesaler permitted to extend credit to retailer and if so, what is the maximum time period?	N/A

Enforcement Policies

Virginia-Compliance Check Protocols	
Does the state have a written protocol for when an underage decoy is used in compliance checks?	Yes
What is the minimum age a decoy may be to participate in a compliance check?	17
What is the maximum age a decoy may be to participate in a compliance check?	19
Are there appearance requirements for the decoy?	Yes; youthful in appearance and shall not appear older than their true age
Does decoy carry ID during compliance check?	Required
May decoy verbally exaggerate his or her actual age?	Prohibited

Virginia-Penalty Guidelines for Sales to Minors	
Are there written guidelines for penalties that are imposed on retailers for furnishing to a minor?	Yes
What is the time period for defining second, third, and subsequent offenses?	Three years
What is the penalty for the first offense?	\$2,500 fine or 25-day license suspension
What is the penalty for the second offense?	N/A
What is the penalty for the third offense?	N/A
What is the penalty for the fourth offense?	N/A
Notes: For first offense in three year period, if licensee can demonstrate that their employees have received Responsible Beverage Service Training in 12 months preceding violation, they can accept a reduced penalty of \$1,500 fine or 5-day license suspension.	

Virginia State Survey Responses

State Agency Information

Agency with primary responsibility for enforcing underage drinking laws:

Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority

Enforcement Strategies

State law enforcement agencies use:

Cops in Shops	Yes
Shoulder Tap Operations	No
Party Patrol Operations or Programs	Yes
Underage Alcohol–Related Fatality Investigations	Yes

Local law enforcement agencies use:

Cops in Shops	No
Shoulder Tap Operations	No
Party Patrol Operations or Programs	No
Underage Alcohol–Related Fatality Investigations	No

State has a program to investigate and enforce direct sales/shipment laws

Yes

Primary state agency responsible for enforcing laws addressing direct sales/shipments of alcohol to minors

Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority - Compliance Unit

Such laws are also enforced by local law enforcement agencies

No

Enforcement Statistics

State collects data on the number of minors found in possession

Yes

Number of minors found in possession¹ by state law enforcement agencies

0

Number pertains to the 12 months ending

06/30/2020

Data include arrests/citations issued by local law enforcement agencies

No

State conducts underage compliance checks/decoy operations² to determine whether alcohol retailers are complying with laws prohibiting sales to minors

Yes

Data are collected on these activities

Yes

Number of retail licensees in state³

16,357

Number of licensees checked for compliance by state agencies

2,272

(including random checks)

Number of licensees that failed state compliance checks

229

Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending

06/30/2020

Compliance checks/decoy operations conducted at on-sale, off-sale, or both retail establishments

Both on- and off-sale establishments

State conducts **random** underage compliance checks/decoy operations

Yes

Number of licensees subject to **random** state compliance checks/decoy operations

484

Number of licensees that failed **random** state compliance checks

48

Local agencies conduct underage compliance checks/decoy operations to determine whether alcohol retailers are complying with laws prohibiting sales to minors

Yes

Data are collected on these activities

No

Number of licensees checked for compliance by local agencies

Not applicable

Number of licensees that failed local compliance checks

Not applicable

Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending

Not applicable

Sanctions

State collects data on fines imposed on retail establishments that furnish to minors

Yes

Number of fines imposed by the state⁴

10

Total amount in fines across all licensees	\$21,500
Smallest fine imposed	\$1,000
Largest fine imposed	\$4,000
Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending	06/30/2021
<i>State collects data on license suspensions imposed on retail establishments specifically for furnishing to minors</i>	Yes
Number of suspensions imposed by the state ⁵	5
Total days of suspensions across all licensees	97
Shortest period of suspension imposed (in days)	7
Longest period of suspension imposed (in days)	25
Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending	06/30/2021
<i>State collects data on license revocations imposed on retail establishments specifically for furnishing to minors</i>	Yes
Number of license revocations imposed ⁶	0
Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending	06/30/2021

Additional Clarification

With the COVID-19 pandemic, Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority (ABC) did not complete checkpoints nor saturation patrols in the past year. Virginia ABC also did not do any underage buys due to the pandemic, and while Virginia ABC has responded to complaints of sale to underage persons, it did not have any underage persons in possession of alcohol.

¹ Or having consumed or purchased per state statutes.

² Underage compliance checks/decoy operations to determine whether alcohol retailers are complying with laws prohibiting sales to minors.

³ Excluding special licenses such as temporary, seasonal, and common carrier licenses.

⁴ Does not include fines imposed by local agencies.

⁵ Does not include suspensions imposed by local agencies.

⁶ Does not include revocations imposed by local agencies.

Underage Drinking Prevention Programs Operated or Funded by the State

Virginia ABC Alcohol Education and Prevention Grants

Number of youth served	No data
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	https://www.abc.virginia.gov/education/grants

Program Description: Virginia ABC Alcohol Education and Prevention Grants assist community partners in developing and enhancing initiatives related to alcohol education and prevention. Applicants must address one or more of the following priorities: (1) underage drinking prevention; (2) social providing or social hosting prevention; and (3) high-risk drinking prevention. Grant requests are limited to a maximum of \$10,000. Coalitions, law enforcement, nonprofits, schools, colleges, universities, faith-based organizations, and prevention-related groups are encouraged to apply. Programs should have a long-lasting impact and establish and encourage partnerships between organizations. For FY20, grantees included:

- Edu-Futuro (\$10,000) developed and produced video-based intervention tools with different versions for students and parents. A total of 35,626 people were reached.
- Dickenson County Behavioral Health Services (\$3,193.87) purchased publications to supplement existing prevention programming. A total of 5,241 people were reached.
- Giles Youth Adult Partnership (\$4,650) held monthly high school education meetings, tabled at sporting events, issued a PSA with nurses, held a healthy relationships week, and issued the Youth Risk Behavioral Survey in their area. A total of 1,043 people were reached.

- Piedmont Community Services (\$5,000) held Red Ribbon Week activities at Too Good for Drugs classes and a kickoff event that offered educational stations. They also implemented Project Sticker Shock and Hidden in Plain Sight programming. A total of 1,818 people were reached.
- Radford Youth Adult Partnership (\$4,900) held monthly high school education meetings, tabled at sporting events, and held an art contest. Additionally, they implemented Project Sticker Shock programming and RSVP/MART licensee training. A total of 313,414 people were reached.
- Hanover Cares (\$10,000) created an interactive family game called the “Conversation Jar” as well as an educational newspaper insert and a coalition media message. A total of 10,337 people were reached.
- Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition of Alexandria (\$10,000) disseminated materials from the “Parents Who Host Lose the Most: Don’t Be a Party to Teenage Drinking” campaign. Additionally, they implemented the Project Sticker Shock program and conducted various outreach initiatives. A total of 119,778 people were reached.
- Mothers Against Drunk Driving – Virginia Office (\$9,637) purchased red cloth ribbons and 10,000 magnetic red ribbons for distribution at various stores that sell alcohol. They also hosted press conferences throughout the year, drafted press releases, and led a social media campaign. A total of 52,000 people were reached.
- City of Portsmouth Police Department (\$3,506) conducted an underage drinking/distracted driving education and prevention program classroom instruction sessions and hands-on activities. A total of 436 people were reached.
- Freedom Support Center (\$8,200) conducted a prevention program called AFFIRMATIVE Project Living in Balance. A total of 133 people were reached.

Project Sticker Shock

Number of youth served	102
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	62
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	https://www.abc.virginia.gov/education/programs/project-sticker-shock

Program Description: Project Sticker Shock (PSS) is a community awareness program designed to prevent people 21 and older from purchasing alcohol and providing it to underage individuals. Participants visit partnering stores to post stickers with a warning message about the penalties for providing alcohol to anyone under 21 and using a fake ID to purchase alcohol. By contributing to these events, citizens throughout the state are taking a proactive stand against underage drinking and its related problems. PSS also seeks to increase visibility of and compliance with Virginia's underage drinking laws. This unique program represents a partnership among youth, retail establishments, concerned parents, community members, prevention professionals, and law enforcement. It provides community, faith-based, school-based, and other groups interested in preventing underage drinking with a great opportunity to contribute to community awareness. Virginia ABC Education and Prevention provides an online training and event materials package for all coordinators planning to implement PSS. Upon completion of online training, coordinators may request a PSS event materials package containing all the materials needed for the event. During FY20, there were seven total events reaching 27,817 people.

Underage Buyer Program

Number of youth served	No data
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	https://www.abc.virginia.gov/enforcement/uab-program

Program Description: The Underage Buyer (UB) program is an ongoing effort by Virginia ABC to visit alcohol and tobacco retailers throughout the Commonwealth to verify compliance with the state age requirements: 18 for tobacco and 21 for alcohol sales. Special agents, who are sworn officers from Virginia ABC's Bureau of Law Enforcement, accompany underage operatives during attempts to purchase cigarettes or alcohol at grocery stores, convenience stores, restaurants, and other businesses, including Virginia ABC stores. The purpose of the UB program is not to trick businesses; rather, it is the hope of Virginia ABC that 100 percent of the businesses comply with state law by not selling to the underage buyer. Virginia ABC selects operatives who look their age, making it easier for clerks and servers to request ID and avoid the sale. Operatives are instructed not to alter their appearance or mannerisms or mislead clerks in any way while attempting to make a purchase. Operatives carry their own valid identification. If the store clerk asks for ID, the operative presents his or her own valid identification.

Youth Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention Project

Number of youth served	1,424
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	https://www.yadapp.com/

Program Description: Virginia ABC's Youth Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention Project (YADAPP) is a year-long peer leadership program that normally begins each summer when high schools and communities throughout Virginia send participants (students and sponsoring adults) to a 5-day conference. YADAPP is designed to empower teams of high school students with the resources and motivation to develop year-long projects that promote school safety and the prevention of alcohol and drug use among their peers. Since 1984, approximately 440 different high schools and community organizations and more than 10,000 students have participated in this unique youth-led experience. All high schools and community organizations in Virginia are encouraged to send a team to YADAPP. YADAPP conference learning objectives are to (1) broaden knowledge of substance use prevention and work as a team to create a substance use prevention plan; (2) learn leadership skills needed to address common issues among youth; and (3) network and build supportive relationships with others from across Virginia.

The 36th Annual YADAPP conference was held virtually October 1–15. Eight youth teams representing schools and communities across Virginia participated. The conference consists of a variety of educational and instructional activities for both youth and adult participants. Youth activities are focused on developing structured problem solving, action planning (Strategies to Act Now [STAN] Plan), communication, teamwork, and relationships. Activities at the conference included motivational general sessions, educational breakout sessions, experiential learning and team-building, and STAN planning. The leadership conference uses six different levels of participation and is centered on the experience of youth participants and adult sponsors. The levels, which represent steps towards increasingly responsible leadership opportunities, support and enrich the conference experience. The conference is a collaborative effort between each participant level, which consisted of 31 youth participants and eight adult sponsors. To support STAN Plan implementation and growth, YADAPP provided one Wheeler Award (\$500) and 22 mini-grants (\$250 each). STAN Plans implemented October 2020–June 2021 reached 1,459 people.

Miss Virginia School Tour

Number of youth served	16,001
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable

URL for more program information:

<https://www.abc.virginia.gov/education/programs/miss-va>

Program Description: During FY20, Virginia ABC partnered with Miss Virginia to deliver alcohol, tobacco, and drug prevention messages to approximately 16,001 students in 52 elementary schools throughout Virginia. Miss Virginia shared messages of health and wellness with a special emphasis on showing youth the importance of living an alcohol- and drug-free lifestyle. The content of these messages included, but was not limited to, the following topics: (1) alcohol is illegal for anyone under 21, (2) healthy friendships and relationships, and (3) tell a trusted adult if anyone offers tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs. Miss Virginia also shared the agency's Health and Safety Activity Booklet (the elementary school guide from our Publication Series) with age-appropriate exercises that promote health and safety messages. The booklet includes an introductory letter that encourages parents and caregivers to talk to children about the dangers of alcohol use and ways to refuse alcohol (or other substances).

Higher Education Alcohol & Drug Strategic Unified Prevention

Number of youth served	18,012
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	9
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	https://www.abc.virginia.gov/education/programs/heads-up

Program Description: Virginia ABC's Higher Education Alcohol and Drug Strategic Unified Prevention (HEADS UP) program informs and equips faculty/staff, students, and parents to effectively promote healthy decision-making and advocate for substance misuse education and prevention programming on campuses. HEADS UP provides a series of trainings, resources, and materials to increase knowledge of substance misuse and high-risk drinking among faculty/staff, students, and their parents, and for faculty/staff to build the capacity of student leaders to hold substance misuse education or awareness events. In FY20, HEADS UP provided resources for 25 Institutes of Higher Education.

"We Don't Support Underage Use" Campaign

Number of youth served	30
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	802
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	https://stopsubstanceabuse.com/we-dont-support-under-age-use/

Program Description: The Virginia Department of Behavioral Health Wellness provides sources for the "We Don't Support Underage Use" Campaign that covers Southwest Virginia through the Appalachian Substance Abuse Coalition and other coalitions in the Southwest. This campaign applies to alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs.

Additional Underage Drinking Prevention Programs Operated or Funded by the State

No data

Additional Clarification

No data

Additional Information Related to Underage Drinking Prevention Programs

<i>State collaborates with federally recognized tribal governments in the prevention of underage drinking</i>	No
Description of collaboration: Not applicable	

<i>State has programs to measure and/or reduce youth exposure to alcohol advertising and marketing</i>	No
Description of program: Not applicable	
<i>State collaborates with/participates in media campaigns to prevent underage drinking</i>	Yes
Federal campaigns:	No
Regional and local media campaigns: Virginia ABC provided grants to Hanover Cares, Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition of Alexandria and Mothers Against Drunk Driving – Virginia Office, who each implemented underage drinking media campaigns in the areas they serve during FY20.	Yes
Local school district efforts:	No
Other:	No
<i>State collaborates with/participates in SAMHSA’s national media campaign, “Talk. They Hear You.”</i>	No
State officially endorses TTHY efforts	Not applicable
State commits state resources for TTHY	Not applicable
State forwards TTHY materials to local areas	Not applicable
Other: Not applicable	Not applicable
<i>State procures funding for TTHY</i>	Not applicable
Pro bono	Not applicable
Donated air time	Not applicable
Earned media	Not applicable
Other:	Not applicable
<i>State has adopted or developed best practice standards for underage drinking prevention programs</i>	Yes
Agencies/organizations that established best practices standards:	
Federal agency(ies): SAMHSA, CDC, The Community Guide and Center for Substance Abuse Prevention	Yes
Agency(ies) within your state:	No
Nongovernmental agency(ies):	No
Other:	No
Best practice standards description: Virginia ABC follows the best practice standards set forth by federal agencies, including SAMHSA, CDC, The Community Guide, and Center for Substance Abuse Prevention.	
Additional Clarification	
No data	
State Interagency Collaboration	
<i>A state-level interagency governmental body/committee exists to coordinate or address underage drinking prevention activities</i>	Yes
<i>Committee contact information:</i>	
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<i>Agencies/organizations represented on the committee:</i>	
Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority	
Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services	
Department of Health	
Virginia Foundation for Healthy Youth	
Department of Education	
Department of Social Services	
Department of Motor Vehicles	
Department of Criminal Justice Services	
Virginia State Police	
Virginia National Guard	

Community Coalitions of Virginia
 Mothers Against Drunk Driving

A website or other public source exists to describe committee activities	Yes
URL or other means of access: https://www.abc.virginia.gov/education/programs/vosap	

Underage Drinking Reports

State has prepared a plan for preventing underage drinking in the last 3 years	No
Prepared by: Not applicable	
Plan can be accessed via: Not applicable	

State has prepared a report on preventing underage drinking in the last 3 years	No
Prepared by: Not applicable	
Report can be accessed via: Not applicable	

Additional Clarification

No data

State Expenditures for the Prevention of Underage Drinking

<i>Compliance checks in retail outlets:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$63,427
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	06/30/2020

<i>Checkpoints and saturation patrols:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	Data not available
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	Data not available

<i>Community-based programs to prevent underage drinking:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$70,000
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	06/30/2020

<i>K-12 school-based programs to prevent underage drinking:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$218,000
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	06/30/2020

<i>Programs targeted to institutes of higher learning:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$34,000
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	06/30/2020

<i>Programs that target youth in the juvenile justice system:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	Data not available
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	Data not available

<i>Programs that target youth in the child welfare system:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	Data not available
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	Data not available

<i>Other programs:</i>	
Programs or strategies included:	Data not available
Estimate of state funds expended:	Data not available
Estimate based on the 12 months ending:	Data not available

Funds Dedicated to Underage Drinking

<i>State derives funds dedicated to underage drinking from the following revenue streams:</i>	
Taxes	Yes
Fines	Yes
Fees	Yes
Other: Virginia ABC store sales	Yes

Description of funding streams and how they are used:
 Virginia ABC Education and Prevention funding is provided by Virginia ABC’s store sales, beer and wine taxes, licensing fees, and fines. These operations fund the Virginia ABC budget and are given to the General Fund, where a portion is then paid to Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) for treatment of alcohol use disorders. DBHDS uses federal funds for underage alcohol use prevention, however the data is not available on how much is used specifically for alcohol misuse prevention out of the \$9 million SAMHSA SABG Prevention Set-Aside

Additional Clarification

No data



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