



Smoke-Free Environments Law Project (SFELP)

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Background

- Started as part of The Center for Social Gerontology
 - Operated 19 years with focus on reducing environmental tobacco smoke
- Transferred to the University of Michigan School of Public Health's Tobacco Research Network (UMTRN) in 2017



 **TOBACCO RESEARCH NETWORK (UMTRN)**
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

“UMTRN facilitates the dissemination of information and offers a forum for the exchange of ideas concerning tobacco and nicotine, both within and outside of the University of Michigan.”

- Information network
- Collaborations

Partnership with CAsToR

- Part of the Tobacco Centers of Regulatory Science (TCORS) 2.0 program
- Provides models which inform U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulatory action
- Current research models the behavioral and public health impact of...
 - FDA regulatory actions on cigarette and e-cigarette use
 - Regulating nicotine in combusted tobacco products
 - Eliminating menthol in cigarettes and other tobacco products
 - FDA regulatory actions on polytobacco use and associated health disparities
- SFELP supports CAsToR efforts and educates and raises awareness about current tobacco control issues

TCORS 2.0

University of
Michigan &
Georgetown
University

**Center for the
Assessment of Tobacco
Regulations
[CAsToR]**

SFELP Provides



Information



Consultation



Advice

Information

Research

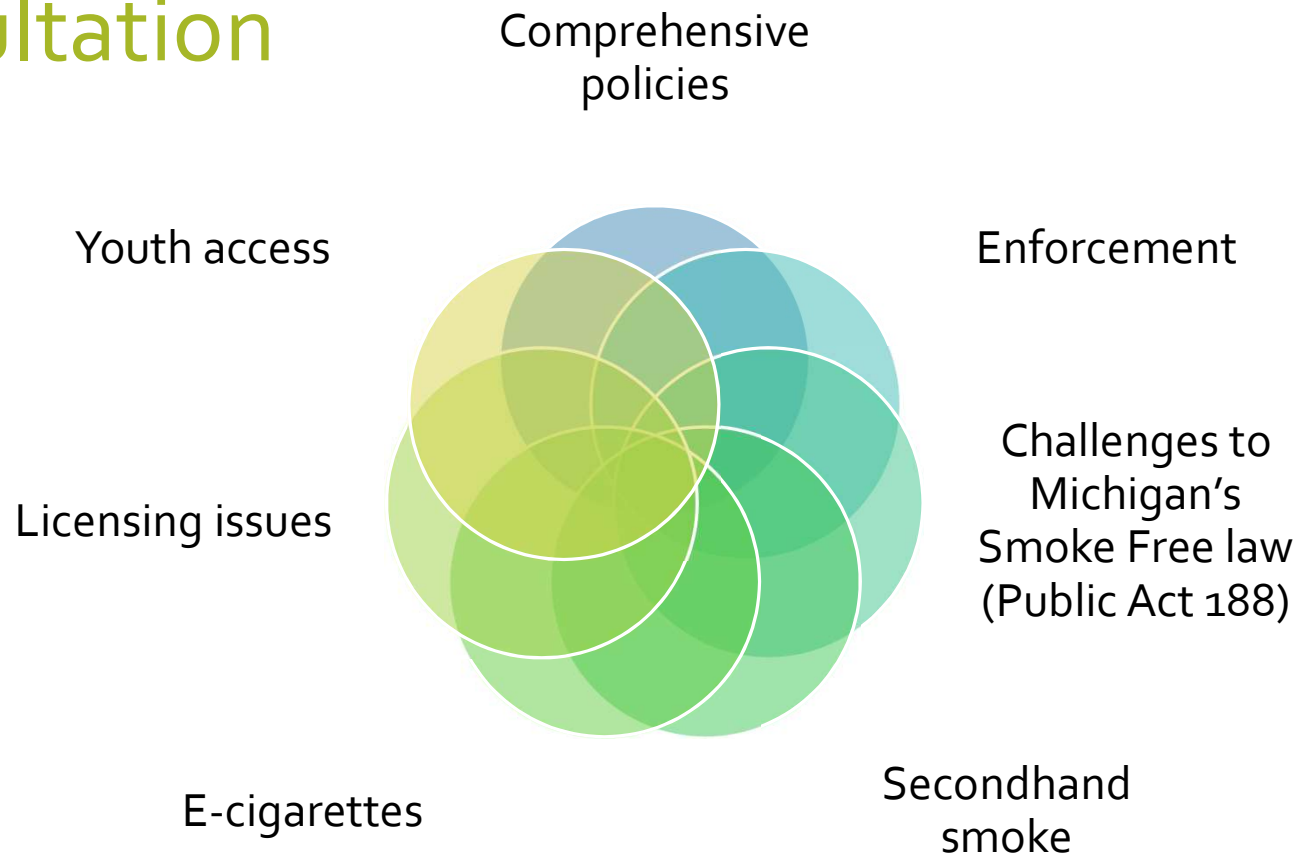
- Journal articles
- White Paper
- Presentations
- Pamphlets/handouts

Issue Briefs

- Tobacco use during pregnancy
- Emerging tobacco products
- Secondhand smoke and vapor
- Tobacco use in marginalized communities



Consultation



Advice



Interpretation of new laws and policies



Legal and policy analysis on issues like preemption, jurisdiction

Opportunities for Collaboration

- Strategic Planning Meetings
 - Flavored e-cigarettes
 - COVID-19
 - Menthol and other flavors
- Current involvement:
 - Keep MI Kids Tobacco Free Alliance
 - E-Cigarette workgroup
 - Others?

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2020 Strategic Planning Meeting

Tobacco Flavorings and Future Needs



Thank You!

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