



# SOUTH DAKOTA MEDICAL CANNABIS PROGRAM

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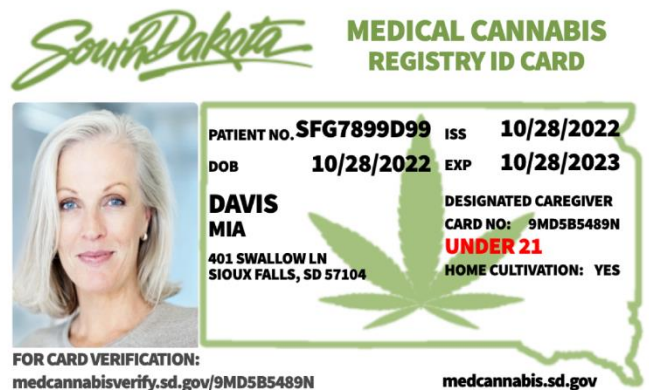
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## Changes Regarding South Dakota Medical Cannabis Cards

Effective May 13, 2024, the following changes will be made to all patient and caregiver cards from the South Dakota Medical Cannabis Program. Patient and caregivers' cards printed prior to May 13, 2024, will have the previous card format. Please note that all cards will be uniform after May 13, 2025.

### Patients Under 21 Years of Age:

- Per ARSD 44:90:02:16.01, cardholders under 21 years of age may not possess inhalable cannabis products. To assist dispensaries in recognizing these patients, the card will now reflect the indication of "**UNDER 21**" in bold red font. An example of what the indication will look like is shown below.
- When completing a sale to a caregiver, dispensary agents must verify the patient's age to ensure that they are not selling inhalable products to a caregiver of a patient under 21 years of age. Caregiver cards will indicate "**UNDER 21**" in bold red font if their patient is under 21 years of age.



## Caregiver Card Changes

- The patient number on the caregiver card has been moved to be consistent with the location of the number on the patient cards. It is now located in the upper left corner and is a larger font. When entering the card number for the caregiver's purchase, dispensary agents must enter the upper left number (the patient's number) on the card. The caregiver number should not be entered for any purchases.

