

Bill Title:	Protecting children and youth from powdered alcohol
Bill Number:	SB 5292
Effective Date:	May 7, 2015
New Section:	RCW 66.44
Amends:	RCW 66.04.010

Summary:

Makes it a misdemeanor offense to use, purchase, sell, and possess powdered alcohol, except for bona fide research purposes.

The use of powdered alcohol is limited to bona fide research purposes by:

- A health care provider that operates primarily for the purposes of conducting scientific research;
- A state institution of higher education, as defined in RCW 28B.10.016;
- A private college or university; or
- A pharmaceutical or biotechnology company.

The bill defines powdered alcohol as any powder or crystalline substance containing alcohol that is produced for direct use or reconstitution.

Contact Information:

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