

Tobacco Control Policy Fact Sheet

Qatar: Smoke Free Places

Smoke Free Status of Indoor Workplaces, Indoor Public Places, and Public Transport

	100% Smoke Free	Some Restrictions	Smoking not Restricted	Uncertain	N/A
All indoor workplaces			■		
All indoor public places			■		
All public transport			■		
Government facilities			■		
Private offices			■		
Hospitals			■		
Residential healthcare facilities - public areas			■		
Non-residential healthcare facilities			■		
Childcare facilities/preschools			■		
Primary and secondary schools			■		
Universities/vocational facilities			■		
Shops			■		
Cultural facilities			■		
Indoor stadium/arenas			■		
Restaurants			■		
Bars/pubs/nightclubs			■		
Casinos					■
Hotels/lodging - public areas			■		
Hotels/lodgings - guest rooms			■		
Prisons/detention facilities - public areas			■		
Trains, buses and other shared ground transportation other than taxis			■		
Taxis (for-hire vehicle)			■		
Commercial aircraft			■		
Commercial watercraft			■		
Public transport facilities (waiting areas for mass transit)			■		

Definitions of Key Terms - Alignment with the FCTC and its guidelines

	Aligns	Does not Align	N/A
Second Hand Smoke (or similar term)		■	
Smoking or Smoke	■		
Public Place	■		
Workplace			■
Public Transport	■		
Indoor or Enclosed		■	
Tobacco Product	■		

Smoke Free Status of Outdoor Places

	Yes	No	Uncertain
Is one or more outdoor place required to be smoke free?		■	

Enforcement Authority

	Yes	No
Is an enforcement authority identified?	■	

Duties and Penalties

	Duty	Penalty	Neither
Imposed on Owner/Employer?			
Post signs			■
Remove ashtrays			■
Steps to require a person to stop smoking (e.g., warn, discontinue service, call authorities)	■	■	
Imposed on smoker?			
Not to smoke where prohibited	■	■	

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