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## Consumer and Retailer Notice: Kratom-Related Products Now Illegal in Ohio - Updated 12/16/2025

Effective December 12, 2025, OAC 4729:9-1-01.1 makes all forms of kratom-related products, except for products composed solely of mitragynine, illegal to sell, possess, or distribute in the state of Ohio.

To assist consumers and retailers, the Ohio Board of Pharmacy has issued guidance on how to comply with the ban on kratom-related products at: [www.pharmacy.ohio.gov/7OHnotice](http://www.pharmacy.ohio.gov/7OHnotice)

**NOTE:** This guidance has been updated as of 12/16/2025.

For more information on this emergency rule, see the Board of Pharmacy's 3-Factor Analysis: [www.pharmacy.ohio.gov/7OH](http://www.pharmacy.ohio.gov/7OH)

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*People call, text, and chat the 988 Lifeline to talk about a lot of emotional needs—not just thoughts of suicide. Whatever your reason, the #988Lifeline is there to help. There is hope.*

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