

# ILLINOIS CANNABIS

## Next Steps in Licensing

### HB 1443

**July 15, 2021:** Governor Pritzker signed HB 1443 into law. The law creates 2 lotteries for a total of 110 additional adult-use cannabis dispensary licenses. Applicants who received at least 85% of the available points and qualify as a social equity applicant are eligible to participate.



### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE NOTICE OF AWARDS

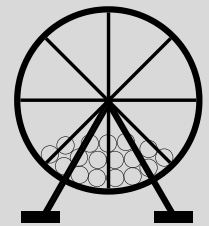
**July 15, 2021:** The Department of Agriculture sent Notice of Awards to top-scoring Craft Grower (40), Infuser (32), Transporter (141), and Cannabis Community College Vocational Pilot Program (7) applicants notifying them that they were eligible to receive a license.

### DISPENSARY LOTTERIES

**July 29, 2021:** Qualifying Applicant Lottery (up to 55 licenses)

**August 5, 2021:** Social Equity Justice Involved Lottery (up to 55 licenses)

**August 19, 2021:** Tied Applicant Lottery (up to 75 licenses)



Conducted by the Illinois Lottery  
by electronic randomizer



### NEXT STEPS

Applicants must submit required documents and fulfill statutory requirements before being issued a license (craft grow, infuser, transporter)/conditional dispensary license.

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