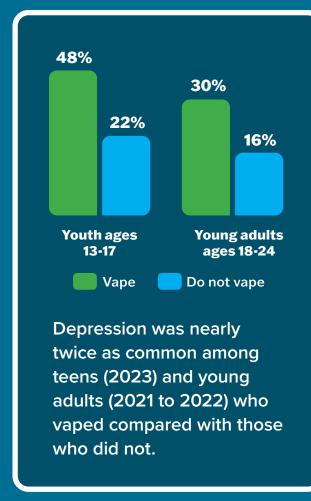


Vaping, mental health, and other substance use are connected.

Most youth who vape want to stop.



Some e-cigarettes (vapes) contain as much nicotine as 15 or more packs of cigarettes, making them highly addictive. Nicotine withdrawal can cause anxiety, irritability, and depressed mood, which can worsen stress.





symptoms.

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