

Bridgton Public Library

SMOKING AND TOBACCO POLICY

1. **Scope.** For the health and safety of the patrons, visitors and employees of the Bridgton Public Library (BPL), smoking and tobacco use of any type are prohibited on BPL property, including outdoor seating areas on the courtyard. Smoking is also prohibited within 20 feet of all BPL entryways, vents and doorways, as required by Maine State Law (Citation: 22 M.R.S.A § 1580-A).

2. **Prohibited Forms of Tobacco.**

- a. Cigarettes
- b. Cigars
- c. Pipe smoking
- d. Electronic cigarettes (vaping pens)
- e. Chewing tobacco
- f. Snuff

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