

Illinois' Medical Marijuana Regulations; An Expert Perspective

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The legalization of marijuana typically takes a unique form in each state. Legislation, regulations, and implementation vary widely and can sometimes change in each local jurisdiction. The one constant of critical importance to you is compliance. Caution is at the forefront of cannabis policy creation as states venture into unknown territory. There are countless complexities when starting a cannabis-related business and keeping up with the many details, regulations and a constantly changing landscape to remain in compliance is a constant challenge. Creating a "culture of compliance" in your business is crucial to protecting and maintaining it. The marijuana industry is highly regulated yet often confusing and changes in local regulations are frequent and require ongoing research.