

## Smoking Within The Royal Parks

### Policy Statement

All buildings and substantially enclosed structures within The Royal Park estate are smoke-free areas. The Royal Parks' fleet of vehicles is also smoke-free. The Royal Parks' playgrounds are primarily designed for children to enjoy and they are also designated as smoke-free.

### E-cigarettes, Vaping and Shisha

The use of E-cigarettes, vaping products and shisha is prohibited in all buildings and substantially enclosed structures managed by The Royal Parks; within The Royal Parks' fleet of vehicles; and within all children's playgrounds.

### Background

The Health Act requires enclosed or substantially enclosed parts of premises that are public places or workplaces to be smoke-free. The Health Act does include powers to make non-enclosed places smoke-free if there is a significant risk that people there might be exposed to significant quantities of smoke. There are no plans to make any other non-enclosed places in The Royal Parks estate smoke-free at the present time.