

Guidance for Identifying Areas of Disproportionate Impact

The following guidance is provided to assist applicants seeking to be licensed as a Marijuana Establishment under 935 CMR 500.000, which establishes the regulatory requirements for adult use marijuana in the Commonwealth. This guidance is not legal advice. If you have questions regarding the legal requirements for licensure in the Commonwealth, you are encouraged to consult an attorney.

Areas of Disproportionate Impact

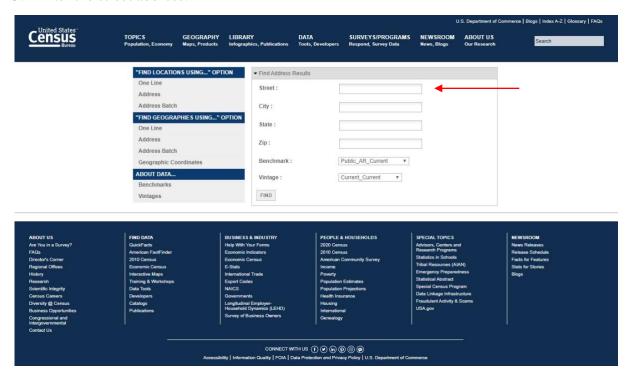
You can use this guidance to determine if an address is within an "Area of Disproportionate Impact" as defined by the Cannabis Control Commission (Commission) to determine eligibility for economic empowerment priority status and the Social Equity Program. Communities with a population of more than 100,000 people (Boston, Lowell, Springfield, and Worcester) will be subdivided by census tract numbers according to United States Census unemployment data.

30 Communities of Disproportionate Impact			
Abington	Amherst	Boston	Braintree
Brockton	Chelsea	Fall River	Fitchburg
Greenfield	Haverhill	Holyoke	Lawrence
Lowell	Lynn	Mansfield	Monson
New Bedford	North Adams	Pittsfield	Quincy
Randolph	Revere	Southbridge	Spencer
Springfield	Taunton	Walpole	Wareham
West Springfield	Worcester		•

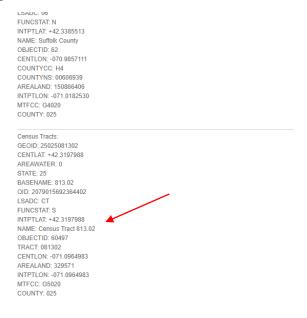
- 1. Determine if the address is in one of the listed 30 cities and towns designated as Areas of Disproportionate Impact.
- 2. If the address is in a listed city or town other than Boston, Worcester, Springfield, or Lowell, that qualifies as an Area of Disproportionate Impact.
- 3. If the address is in Boston, Lowell, Springfield, Worcester, use the following process to determine whether the address is in an Area of Disproportionate Impact.



- 4. Go to the United States Census Bureau's <u>GeoCoder Address Search Tool</u> <u>https://bit.ly/2zzxtNn.</u>
- 5. Enter the street address:



6. Scroll to the bottom of the page and note the census tract number associated with the address listed on the resulting table in the 5th row of the Census Tracts section:





7. See if the tract number from the GeoCoder Address Search Tool is also on the published list of census tracts designated as Areas of Disproportionate Impact:

Table 1. Designated Boston Census Tracts		
Full Census Tract Name	6 Digit Tract	
Census Tract 8.03, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	803	
Census Tract 101.03, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	10103	
Census Tract 101.04, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	10104	
Census Tract 103, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	10300	
Census Tract 104.04, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	10404	
Census Tract 104.05, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	10405	
Census Tract 607, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	60700	
Census Tract 610, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	61000	
Census Tract 611.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	61101	
Census Tract 702, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	70200	
Census Tract 712.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	71201	
Census Tract 803, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	80300	
Census Tract 611.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	61101	
Census Tract 804.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	80401	
Census Tract 805, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	80500	
Census Tract 806.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	80601	
Census Tract 808.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	80801	
Census Tract 815, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	81500	
Census Tract 817, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	81700	
Census Tract 818, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	81800	
Census Tract 819, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	81900	
Census Tract 820, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	82000	
Census Tract 821, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	82100	
Census Tract 901, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	90100	
Census Tract 902, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	90200	
Census Tract 903, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	90300	
Census Tract 904, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	90400	
Census Tract 906, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	90600	
Census Tract 912, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	91200	
Census Tract 914, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	91400	
Census Tract 917, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	91700	
Census Tract 918, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	91800	
Census Tract 919, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	91900	
Census Tract 920, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	92000	
Census Tract 923, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	92300	
Census Tract 924, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	92400	



Census Tract 1001, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	100100
Census Tract 1002, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	100200

Full Census Tract Name	6 Digit Tract
Census Tract 1006.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	100601
Census Tract 1010.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	101001
Census Tract 1011.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	101101
Census Tract 1011.02, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	101102
Census Tract 1102.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	110201
Census Tract 1205, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	120500
Census Tract 9801.01, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	980101
Census Tract 9803, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	980300
Census Tract 9811, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	981100
Census Tract 9817, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	981700
Census Tract 9818, Suffolk County, Massachusetts	981800

Table 2. Designated Worcester Census Tracts		
Full Census Tract Name	6 Digit Tract	
Census Tract 7302, Worcester County, Massachusetts	730200	
Census Tract 7305, Worcester County, Massachusetts	730500	
Census Tract 7310.02, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731002	
Census Tract 7312.03, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731203	
Census Tract 7312.04, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731204	
Census Tract 7313, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731300	
Census Tract 7314, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731400	
Census Tract 7315, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731500	
Census Tract 7317, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731700	
Census Tract 7318, Worcester County, Massachusetts	731800	
Census Tract 7320.01, Worcester County, Massachusetts	732001	
Census Tract 7323.02, Worcester County, Massachusetts	732302	
Census Tract 7324, Worcester County, Massachusetts	732400	
Census Tract 7327, Worcester County, Massachusetts	732700	
Census Tract 7330, Worcester County, Massachusetts	733000	

Table 3. Springfield Census Tracts		
Full Census Tract Name	6 Digit Tract	
Census Tract 8001.02, Hampden County, Massachusetts	800102	
Census Tract 8005, Hampden County, Massachusetts	800500	
Census Tract 8006, Hampden County, Massachusetts	800600	
Census Tract 8007, Hampden County, Massachusetts	800700	
Census Tract 8008, Hampden County, Massachusetts	800800	
Census Tract 8009, Hampden County, Massachusetts	800900	



Census Tract 8011.01, Hampden County, Massachusetts	801101
Census Tract 8014.01, Hampden County, Massachusetts	801401
Census Tract 8018, Hampden County, Massachusetts	801800
Census Tract 8019.02, Hampden County, Massachusetts	801902
Full Census Tract Name	6 Digit Tract
Full Census Tract Name Census Tract 8020, Hampden County, Massachusetts	6 Digit Tract 802000
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Table 4. Designated Lowell Census Tracts		
Full Census Tract Name	6 Digit Tract	
Census Tract 3101, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	310100	
Census Tract 3104, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	310400	
Census Tract 3111, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	311100	
Census Tract 3112, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	311200	
Census Tract 3117, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	311700	
Census Tract 3118, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	311800	
Census Tract 3119, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	311900	
Census Tract 3120, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	312000	
Census Tract 3124, Middlesex County, Massachusetts	312400	

Questions?

If you have additional questions regarding Areas of Disproportionate Impact, please contact the Commission at CCCMass.com.

