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Highlights

A selection of publications of particular interest from the last month.

- Action on Smoking and Health. ASH Strategy 2025-2030. ASH, August 2025.
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Recent journal articles (from Medline)

A selection of publications from the last month relating to areas of interest relating to vaping and tobacco control. Search criteria are available upon request from Knowledge Services and will be reviewed regularly to consider appropriateness and/or new areas of interest.

The searches are undertaken by PHS Knowledge Services. If you need any help with obtaining the full text of any of the articles, please contact phs.knowledge@phs.scot

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Recent reports and news (grey literature)

A rundown of publications from key public health organisations within the last month.

• Action on Smoking and Health. Why online marketing regulation must catch up to protect young people's health. ASH, 19 August 2025.

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