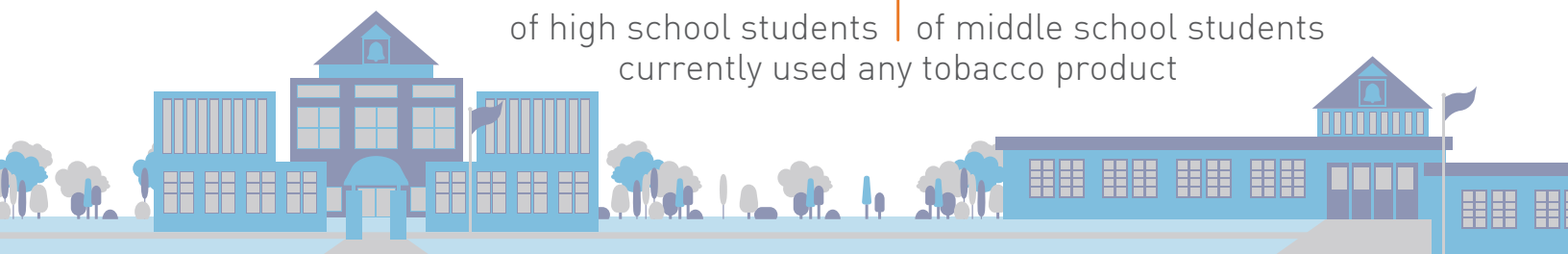


More than **3 million**

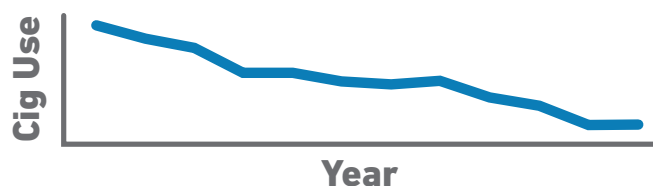
middle and high school students currently used any tobacco product

16.5% | **4.5%**

of high school students | of middle school students
currently used any tobacco product



We have made great progress in reducing the number of youth who use combustible cigarettes.



However, youth e-cigarette use remains a serious public health concern. E-cigarettes have been the most commonly used tobacco product among youth since 2014.

More than **2.5 million** students currently used e-cigarettes

Among current youth e-cigarette users:

More than **1 in 4**



used e-cigarettes daily



The most commonly used device type was

disposables

Approximately **85%**



used flavored e-cigarettes

Findings suggest ongoing disparities in tobacco product use across different population groups.

Current tobacco product use was higher among:

- **Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native (AI/AN)** students
- Those identifying as **lesbian, gay or bisexual**
- Those identifying as **transgender**
- Those reporting **severe symptoms of psychological distress**
- Those with **low family affluence**
- Those with **low academic achievement**

About **1 million youth** used any combustible tobacco product. **Non-Hispanic black students** reported the highest percentage of **combustible tobacco product use, including cigar product use.**

FDA remains steadfast in its commitment to using the full range of our authorities to address youth tobacco use and to keep tobacco products out of the hands of America's youth.

*Current use: use on ≥ 1 day during the last 30 days

Note: All numbers presented here are estimates. Source: Park-Lee E, Ren C, Cooper M, Cornelius M, Jamal A, Cullen KA. Tobacco Product Use Among Middle and High School Students — United States, 2022. MMWR Morb Mortal Wkly Rep 2022;71:1429–1435