

Vaping - An inquiry into reducing rates of e-cigarette use in Queensland

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I started vaping after my specialist told me to stop smoking and if I couldn't to please try vaping. I suffer from numerous autoimmune conditions. When I was smoking I was constantly on antibiotics due to getting chest and sinus infections. Since I started vaping 9 years ago I haven't had any chest or sinus infections. My health has improved so much. If this vaping ban stays what you will do is push people back to cigarettes which means they will not be able to afford medications, food etc. what this law will do is push people to the black market and seriously endanger lives. You state that nicotine is a major issue yet you still allow cigarettes and Nicotette to be sold with no prescription. You also argue about children vaping, in my area I have never seen a child vape yet I see them smoking cigarettes and drinking alcohol. You will never stop children doing what they are told not to. It's been like that forever. What you will also do is close down family businesses, these people will lose everything they have worked for. These are the people who have done everything right. Please do not hurt the people who are trying to do the right thing.