

**Open Peer Review on Qeios** 

## Chewing tobacco product

Addiction Ontology

## Source

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**Definition:** An oral tobacco-containing product that is manufactured to be chewed.

**Comment:** Consists of loose tobacco leaves, pellets or "bits" (leaf tobacco rolled into small pellets), plugs (leaf tobacco pressed and held together with a sweetener), or twists (leaf tobacco rolled into rope-like strands and twisted).

This definition was imported from the Addiction Ontology (see <a href="https://addictovocab.org/">https://addictovocab.org/</a>). Comments and suggestions for improvements are welcome using the Qeios review system.

Definitions imported from the Addiction Ontology (AddictO) are what are known as 'ontological definitions'. See this article in Qeios for an explanation <a href="https://www.qeios.com/read/YGIF9B">https://www.qeios.com/read/YGIF9B</a>.

Ontological definitions can sometimes be hard to read. In those cases we also include an informal definition.

Definitions also often require elaboration to make it clear how they should be used and what they include. In those cases we include a comment.

Also, definitions sometimes require an explanation as to how they came about to help users understand how they relate to alternative definitions. In those cases we include a curator note.

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