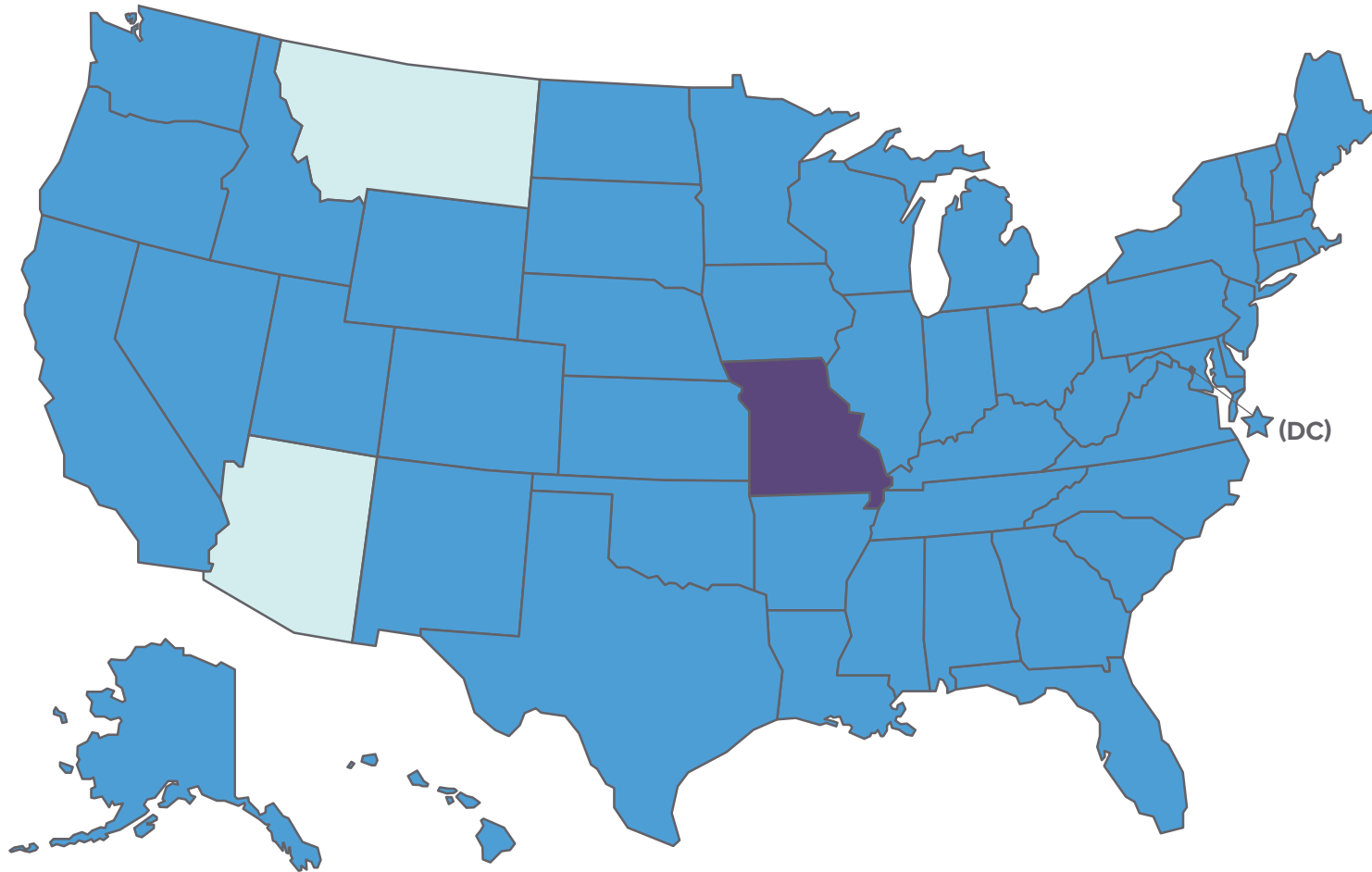





# Text Messaging Laws

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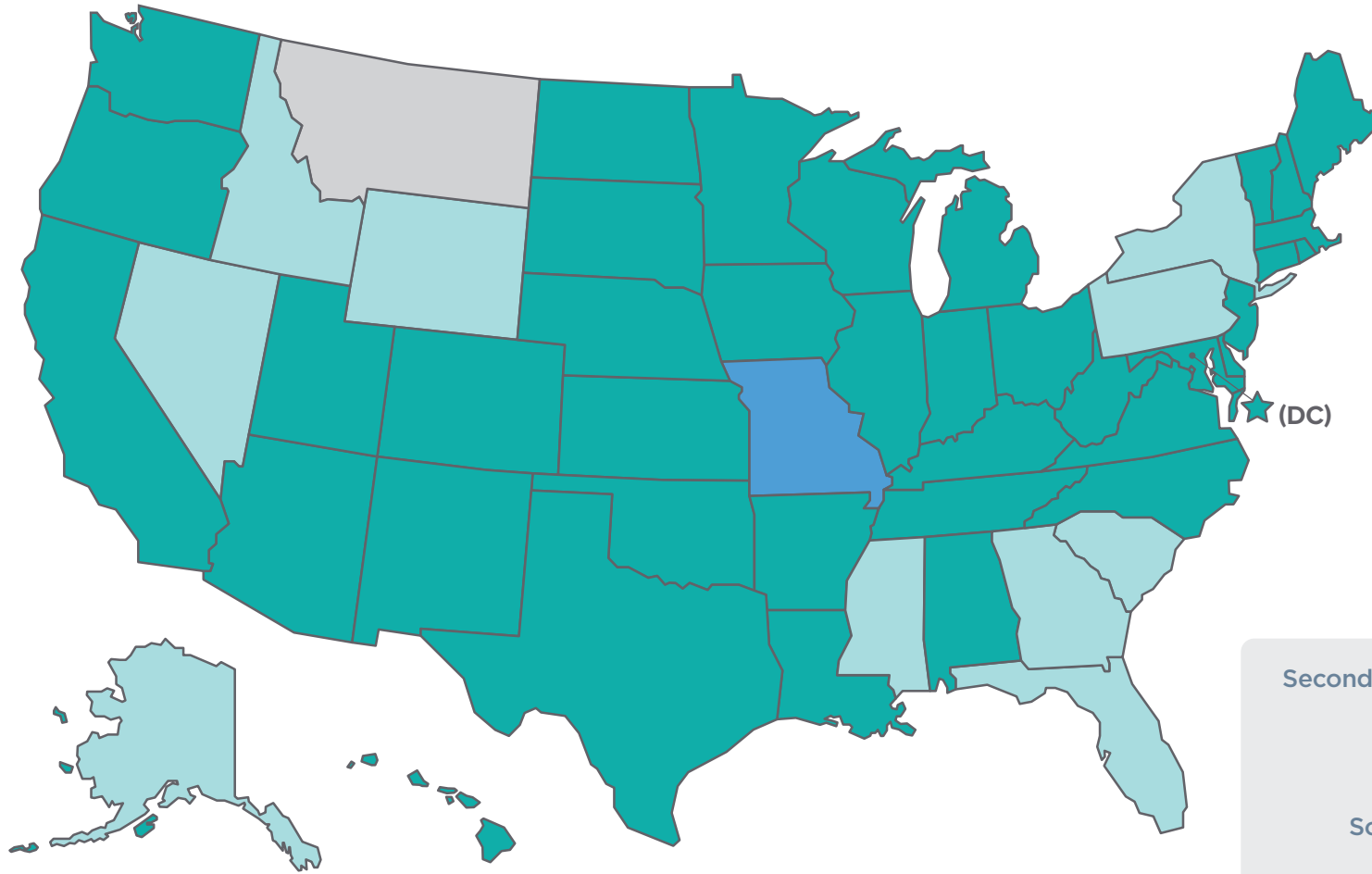


-  Prohibits all drivers from text messaging while driving: 47 states + D.C. (secondary enforcement in Florida, Nebraska, Ohio, and South Dakota)
-  Prohibits text messaging for drivers 21 and younger only: 1 state
-  No law prohibiting all drivers from text messaging while driving: 2 states (some municipalities in these states have enacted texting messaging laws)







# Teen Driver Cell Phone Laws

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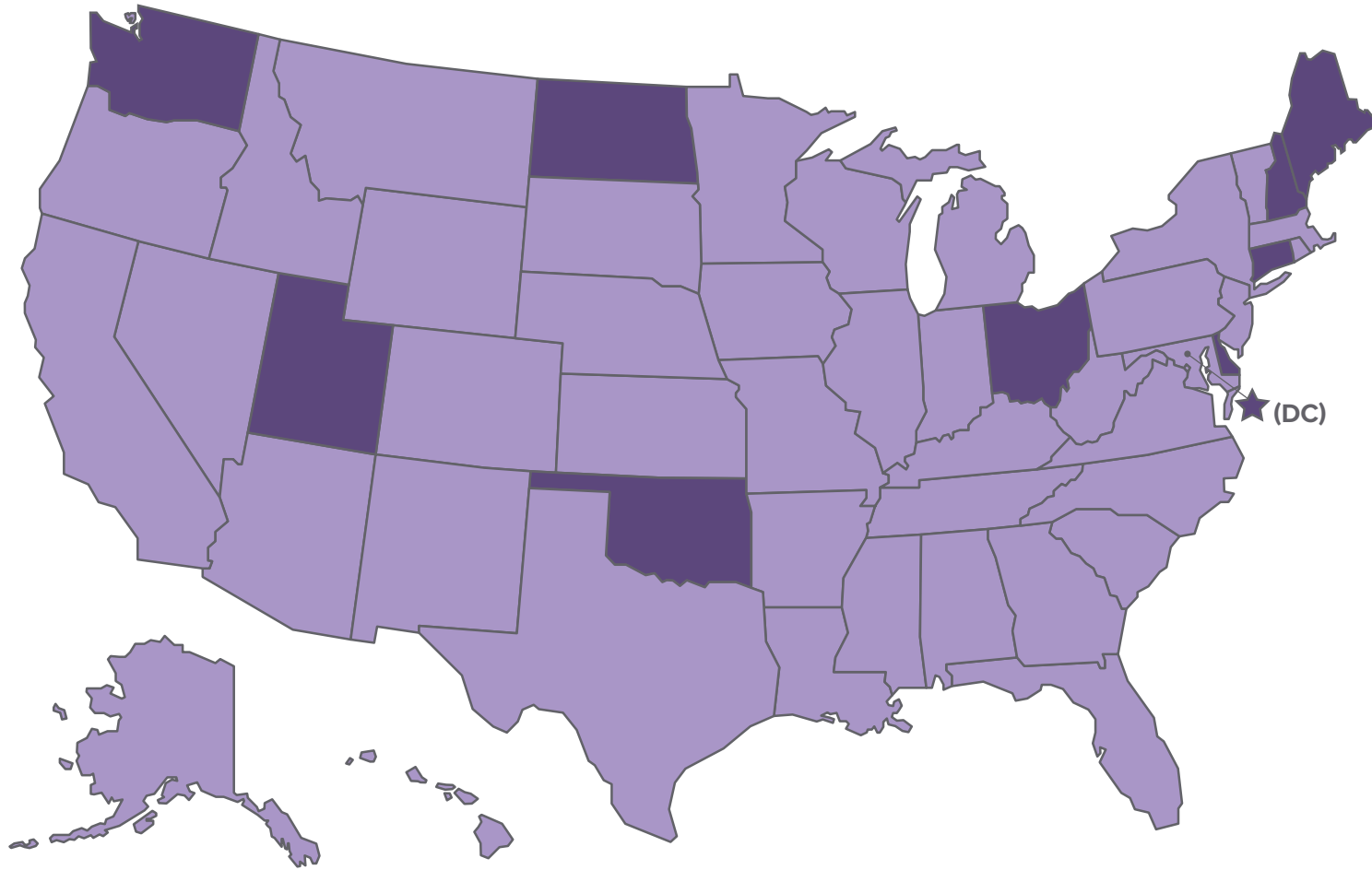
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Virginia

-  Prohibits teen driver cell phone use and text messaging: 38 states + D.C. (hands-free use permitted in Alabama, Michigan, and Oklahoma)
-  Prohibits text messaging for drivers under 21 only: 1 states
-  Prohibits text messaging for all drivers (teens included): 10 states (+ handheld ban for all drivers Georgia, New York and Nevada)
-  No law prohibiting teen driver cell phone use : 1 state



# Comprehensive Distracted Driving Laws

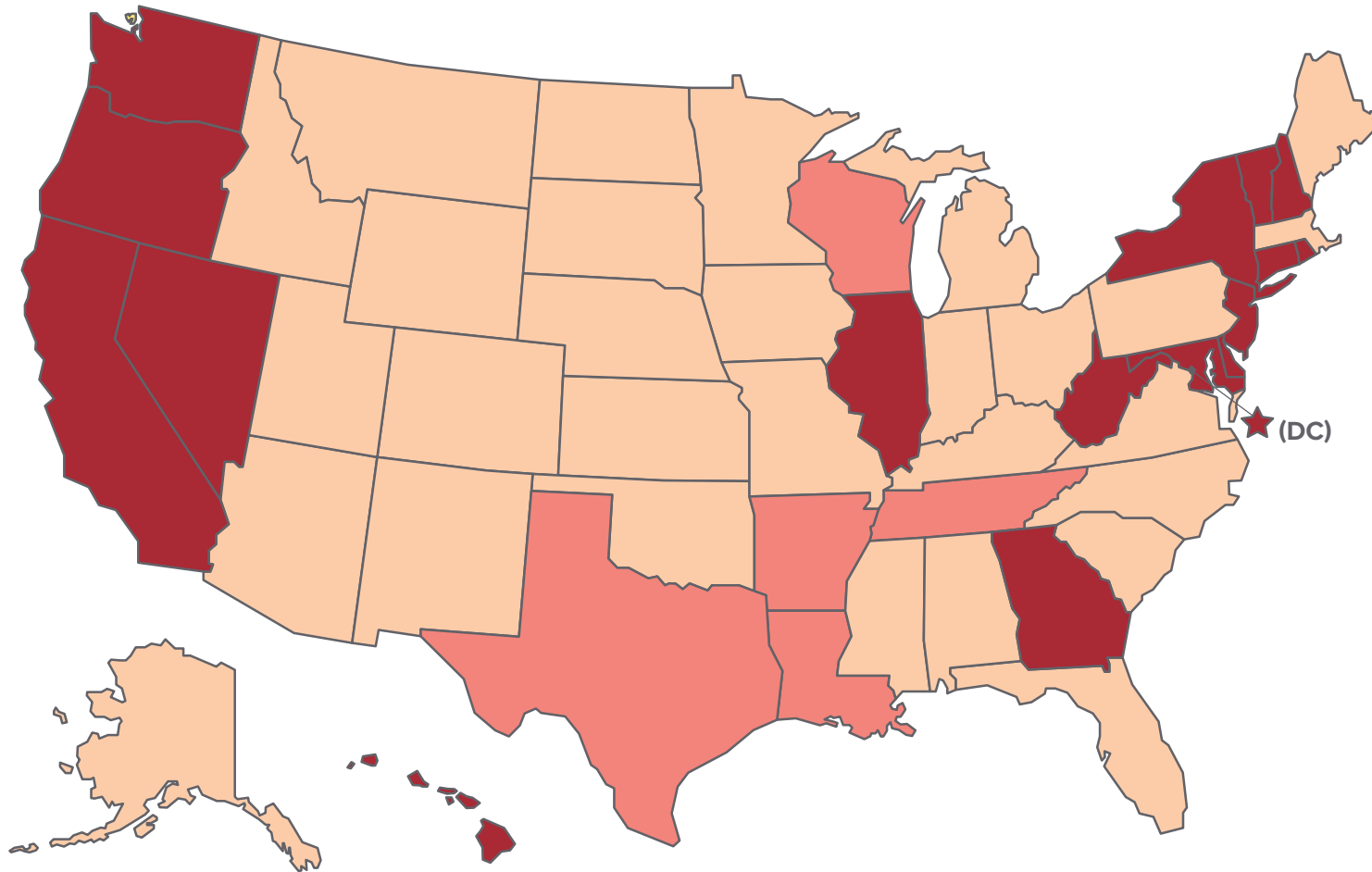
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- States with laws against committing a traffic violation as a result of distracted driving (generally): 9 states + D.C.
- No comprehensive distracted driving laws: 41 states

# Hand Held Cell Phone Ban Laws

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-  Prohibits hand-held cell phone use for all drivers: 16 states + D.C.
-  Prohibits hand-held cell phone use for all drivers in school and/or work zones only: 5 states
-  No law prohibiting hand-held cell phone use for all drivers: 29 states

