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| **Side Effects of Illegal Drug Abuse (Your Brain on Drugs)** |
| Below are the side effects and other information about the commonly-abused types of drugs known as the "SAMHSA Five." This information is courtesy of the U.S. Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration ([DEA](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/gi/dynamic/offsite.htm?site=http://www.usdoj.gov/dea/pubs/scheduling.html)).  **Drugs of Abuse**  [**Ads**](javascript:zpu(512,uy+'/z/ad/wasl.htm',450,425,'wao',100,100))  [**Colo. Addiction Treatment**](http://www.googleadservices.com/pagead/aclk?sa=L&ai=Bi9XS9RMwT-z4NtOKggLH1-jxDq7Dn_8B5tugnBbAjbcBgPXQAhABGAEgqKX3ASgJOABQldrekPr_____AWDJtomHzKPAF6AB6vbK_QOyARdqb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbcgBAdoBPGh0dHA6Ly9qb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbS9vZC9sYWJvcmxhd3MvbC9hYTA5MDMwMV83Lmh0bYACAagDAbgDAegDgQLoAy3oA4YF9QMABACE9QMAAAARiAYB&num=1&cid=5GjmlCy2djtL6dHodyTVuU0G&sig=AOD64_3sNxI-Hp03xhKBdSRaODM1fHhghQ&client=ca-primedia-premium_js&adurl=http://www.InnerBalanceHealthCenter.com/search.htm)End cravings, depression, anxiety. 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Non12-step[InnerBalanceHealthCenter.com/rehab](http://www.googleadservices.com/pagead/aclk?sa=L&ai=Bi9XS9RMwT-z4NtOKggLH1-jxDq7Dn_8B5tugnBbAjbcBgPXQAhABGAEgqKX3ASgJOABQldrekPr_____AWDJtomHzKPAF6AB6vbK_QOyARdqb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbcgBAdoBPGh0dHA6Ly9qb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbS9vZC9sYWJvcmxhd3MvbC9hYTA5MDMwMV83Lmh0bYACAagDAbgDAegDgQLoAy3oA4YF9QMABACE9QMAAAARiAYB&num=1&cid=5GjmlCy2djtL6dHodyTVuU0G&sig=AOD64_3sNxI-Hp03xhKBdSRaODM1fHhghQ&client=ca-primedia-premium_js&adurl=http://www.InnerBalanceHealthCenter.com/search.htm)  [**Drug Dependence Quiz**](http://www.googleadservices.com/pagead/aclk?sa=L&ai=BIhQ09RMwT-z4NtOKggLH1-jxDprB7ZAC6trdwRLAjbcB4N19EAIYAiCopfcBKAk4AFC4x_mrBWDJtomHzKPAF6ABlMXW_QOyARdqb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbcgBAdoBPGh0dHA6Ly9qb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbS9vZC9sYWJvcmxhd3MvbC9hYTA5MDMwMV83Lmh0bYACAcgC6tvAF6gDAbgDAegDgQLoAy3oA4YF9QMABACE9QMAAAARiAYB&num=2&cid=5GjmlCy2djtL6dHodyTVuU0G&sig=AOD64_3I8d6ikByBlWQEVuqVjblPjOq_ZQ&client=ca-primedia-premium_js&adurl=http://www.turntohelp.com/opioid_dependence/opioid_dependence.aspx%3Fqs%3Dga%26s_kwcid%3DTC%7C7630%7Cdrug%2520and%2520alcohol%2520dependence%7Cjobsearchtech.about.com%7CC%7C%7C4871865866)Identify substance abuse problems Confidential, free online survey[TurnToHelp.com](http://www.googleadservices.com/pagead/aclk?sa=L&ai=BIhQ09RMwT-z4NtOKggLH1-jxDprB7ZAC6trdwRLAjbcB4N19EAIYAiCopfcBKAk4AFC4x_mrBWDJtomHzKPAF6ABlMXW_QOyARdqb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbcgBAdoBPGh0dHA6Ly9qb2JzZWFyY2h0ZWNoLmFib3V0LmNvbS9vZC9sYWJvcmxhd3MvbC9hYTA5MDMwMV83Lmh0bYACAcgC6tvAF6gDAbgDAegDgQLoAy3oA4YF9QMABACE9QMAAAARiAYB&num=2&cid=5GjmlCy2djtL6dHodyTVuU0G&sig=AOD64_3I8d6ikByBlWQEVuqVjblPjOq_ZQ&client=ca-primedia-premium_js&adurl=http://www.turntohelp.com/opioid_dependence/opioid_dependence.aspx%3Fqs%3Dga%26s_kwcid%3DTC%7C7630%7Cdrug%2520and%2520alcohol%2520dependence%7Cjobsearchtech.about.com%7CC%7C%7C4871865866)  [**Drug Abuse**](http://www.googleadservices.com/pagead/aclk?sa=L&ai=BWQ5a9RMwT-z4NtOKggLH1-jxDoz_r4UC4rSctwzAjbcB0J54EAMYAyCopfcBKAk4AFDFqJXn-f____8BYMm2iYfMo8AXoAH0vKjyA7IBF2pvYnNlYXJjaHRlY2guYWJvdXQuY29tyAEB2gE8aHR0cDovL2pvYnNlYXJjaHRlY2guYWJvdXQuY29tL29kL2xhYm9ybGF3cy9sL2FhMDkwMzAxXzcuaHRtgAIBqAMBuAMB6AOBAugDLegDhgX1AwAEAIT1AwAAABGIBgE&num=3&cid=5GjmlCy2djtL6dHodyTVuU0G&sig=AOD64_1yOadOhGbEQevDeooIPULOXs0cpQ&client=ca-primedia-premium_js&adurl=http://www.drug-rehab.org%3Fkmas%3D1%26kmca%3DDrug-rehab.org%2520Nationwide%2520PPC%2520Content%2520Network%26kmag%3Ddrug%2Babuse%2Bgeneral%26kmkw%3Ddrug%2Babuse)Overwhelmed? Don't Know Where To Start? Non-Profit Offers Help[Drug-Rehab.org](http://www.googleadservices.com/pagead/aclk?sa=L&ai=BWQ5a9RMwT-z4NtOKggLH1-jxDoz_r4UC4rSctwzAjbcB0J54EAMYAyCopfcBKAk4AFDFqJXn-f____8BYMm2iYfMo8AXoAH0vKjyA7IBF2pvYnNlYXJjaHRlY2guYWJvdXQuY29tyAEB2gE8aHR0cDovL2pvYnNlYXJjaHRlY2guYWJvdXQuY29tL29kL2xhYm9ybGF3cy9sL2FhMDkwMzAxXzcuaHRtgAIBqAMBuAMB6AOBAugDLegDhgX1AwAEAIT1AwAAABGIBgE&num=3&cid=5GjmlCy2djtL6dHodyTVuU0G&sig=AOD64_1yOadOhGbEQevDeooIPULOXs0cpQ&client=ca-primedia-premium_js&adurl=http://www.drug-rehab.org%3Fkmas%3D1%26kmca%3DDrug-rehab.org%2520Nationwide%2520PPC%2520Content%2520Network%26kmag%3Ddrug%2Babuse%2Bgeneral%26kmkw%3Ddrug%2Babuse)   * [Amphetamine Derivatives](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Amphetamine Derivatives) (MDMA, Ecstasy, etc.) * [Amphetamine/Methamphetamine](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Amphetamine/Methamphetamine) * [Cocaine](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Cocaine) * [Codeine](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Codeine) * [Heroin](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Heroin) * [Marijuana](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Marijuana) (Hashish/Hashish Oil) * [Morphine](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Morphine) * [Phencyclidine & Analogs](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Phencyclidine)  |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Amphetamine Derivatives** | | **Classification:** | Hallucinogen | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule I | | **Trade or Other Names:** | 2,5-DMA; STP; MDA; MDMA; Ecstasy; DOM; DOB | | **Medical Uses:** | None | | **Physical Dependence:** | Unknown | | **Psychological Dependence:** | Unknown | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | Variable | | **Usual Method:** | Oral; Injected | | **Possible Effects:** | Illusions and hallucinations; Altered perception of time and distance | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Longer, more intense "trip" episodes; Psychosis; Possible death | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Unknown |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Amphetamine/Methamphetamine** | | **Classification:** | Stimulant | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule II | | **Trade or Other Names:** | Biphetamine; Desoxyn; Dexedrine; Obetrol; Ice | | **Medical Uses:** | Attention deficit disorder; Narcolepsy; Weight control | | **Physical Dependence:** | Possible | | **Psychological Dependence:** | High | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | 2-4 | | **Usual Method:** | Oral; Injected; Smoked | | **Possible Effects:** | Increased alertness; Excitation; Euphoria; Increased pulse rate & blood pressure; Insomnia; Loss of appetite | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Agitation; Increased body temperature; Hallucinations; Convulsions; Possible death | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Apathy; Long periods of sleep; Irritability; Depression; Disorientation |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Cocaine** | | **Classification:** | Stimulant | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule II | | **Trade or Other Names:** | Coke; Flake; Snow; Crack (Cocaine is designated a narcotic under the CSA) | | **Medical Uses:** | Local anesthetic | | **Physical Dependence:** | Possible | | **Psychological Dependence:** | High | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | 1-2 | | **Usual Method:** | Sniffed; Smoked; Injected | | **Possible Effects:** | Increased alertness; Excitation; Euphoria; Increased pulse rate & blood pressure; Insomnia; Loss of appetite | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Agitation; Increased body temperature; Hallucinations; Convulsions; Possible death | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Apathy; Long periods of sleep; Irritability; Depression; Disorientation |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Codeine** | | **Classification:** | Narcotic | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule II, III, V | | **Trade or Other Names:** | Tylenol w/Codeine; Empirin w/Codeine; Robitussin A-C; Fiorinal w/Codeine; APAP w/Codeine | | **Medical Uses:** | Analgesic; Antitussive | | **Physical Dependence:** | Moderate | | **Psychological Dependence:** | Moderate | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | 3-6 | | **Usual Method:** | Oral; Injected | | **Possible Effects:** | Euphoria; Drowsiness; Respiratory depression; Constricted pupils; Nausea | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Slow and shallow breathing; Clammy skin; Convulsions; Coma; Possible death | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Watery eyes; Runny nose; Yawning; Loss of appetite; Irritability; Tremors; Panic; Cramps; Nausea; Chills & sweating |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Heroin** | | **Classification:** | Narcotic | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule I | | **Trade or Other Names:** | Diacetylmorphine; Horse; Smack | | **Medical Uses:** | None in United States; Analgesic; Antitussive | | **Physical Dependence:** | High | | **Psychological Dependence:** | High | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | 3-6 | | **Usual Method:** | Injected; Sniffed; Smoked | | **Possible Effects:** | Euphoria; Drowsiness; Respiratory depression; Constricted pupils; Nausea | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Slow and shallow breathing; Clammy skin; Convulsions; Coma; Possible death | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Watery eyes; Runny nose; Yawning; Loss of appetite; Irritability; Tremors; Panic; Cramps; Nausea; Chills & sweating |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Marijuana (Hashish/Hashish Oil)** | | **Classification:** | Cannabis | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule I | | **Trade or Other Names:** | Pot; Acapulco Gold; Grass; Reefer; Sinsemilla; Thai sticks | | **Medical Uses:** | None | | **Physical Dependence:** | Unknown | | **Psychological Dependence:** | Moderate | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | 2-4 | | **Usual Method:** | Smoked; Oral | | **Possible Effects:** | Euphoria; Relaxed inhibitions; Increased appetite; Disorientation | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Fatigue; Paranoia; Possible psychosis | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Occasional reports of insomnia; Hyperactivity; Decreased appetite |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Morphine** | | **Classification:** | Narcotic | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule II | | **Trade or Other Names:** | Duramorph; MS-Contin; Roxanol; Oramorph SR | | **Medical Uses:** | Analgesic | | **Physical Dependence:** | High | | **Psychological Dependence:** | High | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | 3-6 | | **Usual Method:** | Oral; Smoked; Injected | | **Possible Effects:** | Euphoria; Drowsiness; Respiratory depression; Constricted pupils; Nausea | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Slow and shallow breathing; Clammy skin; Convulsions; Coma; Possible death | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Watery eyes; Runny nose; Yawning; Loss of appetite; Irritability; Tremors; Panic; Cramps; Nausea; Chills & sweating |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Drug:** | **Phencyclidine & Analogs** | | **Classification:** | Hallucinogen | | [**CSA Schedule**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#Schedule)**:** | Schedule I, II | | **Trade or Other Names:** | PCE; PCPy; TCP; PCP; Hog; Loveboat; Angel Dust | | **Medical Uses:** | None | | **Physical Dependence:** | Unknown | | **Psychological Dependence:** | High | | **Tolerance:** | Yes | | **Duration (hours):** | Days | | **Usual Method:** | Oral; Smoked | | **Possible Effects:** | Illusions and hallucinations; Altered perception of time and distance | | **Effects of Overdose:** | Longer, more intense "trip" episodes; Psychosis; Possible death | | **Withdrawal Syndrome:** | Unknown |   **> Back to** [**List**](http://jobsearchtech.about.com/library/weekly/aa090301-7.htm#list)  Schedule I and II drugs have a high potential for abuse. They require greater storage security and have a quota on manufacture among other restrictions. Schedule I drugs are available for research only and have no approved medical use. Schedule II drugs are available only through prescription, cannot have refills and require a form for ordering. Schedule III and IV drugs are available with prescription, may have 5 refills in 6 months and may be ordered orally. Most Schedule V drugs are available over the counter |