

# CANNABIS

Cannabis can make you feel high, happy, or excited. The effects may start right away and last for 3 to 5 hours depending on whether you smoke or eat cannabis in the dose being consumed.

Delta-9 Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) is the primary psychoactive ingredient in Cannabis.

It is one of the most widely abused illicit drugs.

## COMMON TYPES OF CANNABIS:

- Marijuana
- Weed (Grass)
- Butter, Dabs
- Kush Wax
- Hydro, Bud, Shatter
- Hashish, Hash Oil



## PRESCRIPTION (MEDICAL) CANNABIS

- Dronabinol
- Marinol

## PHYSICAL EFFECTS:

- Euphoria
- Odor of Marijuana
- Body Tremors
- Possible Paranoia
- Eyelid Tremors
- Bloodshot Eyes
- Dry mouth
- Increased Appetite
- Relaxed Inhibitions
- Sedation



## METHODS OF INGESTION:

- Inhaling/smoking/vaping
- Ingesting/Swallow (edibles)



## COMMON SIGNS OF USE:

- Brief Attention Span
- Burn Marks on Index Finger and Thumb
- Divided Attention Impairment

## OVERDOSE EFFECTS:

- Paranoia
- Fatigue

Cannabis and Marijuana today are unlike cannabis and marijuana from 20 years. The average THC content was a lot less (usually between 3-6%). Today's THC content has been recorded as high as 85% in the plant form. If a cannabis plant is altered (i.e., Butane Hash Oil), the THC content is extremely high, and can have a different type of effect on an individual. Higher THC contents have been shown to induce seizures, and cause extreme paranoia and hallucinations. There are also different types of Cannabis: Indica, Sativa and Hybrid types (depending on how you want to feel).

**Drug use problems can be complex and often vary from person to person. It is important to note that the information provided is to be used as a guide only and may not be suitable for your own situation.**

