

# DEMYSTIFYING ICE

Wave 2 Of The Cabin's Annual Study Into Australian Knowledge  
And Attitudes Towards Ice And Other Illicit Drugs (2016)

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# 1/ EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

# KEY INSIGHTS

## ICE AND AMPHETAMINES EXPOSURE AND USAGE WERE NOT MARGINALISED ACTIVITIES IN AUSTRALIA

Wave 2 of **The Cabin's Annual Study Into Australian Knowledge And Attitudes Towards Ice And Other Illicit Drugs (2016)** continued to debunk the myth that exposure to and use of Ice and Amphetamines were marginalised activities that largely only impacted the homeless, poor, uneducated, or the mentally sick.

Half of all respondents continued to report that Ice and Amphetamines were not difficult to access by the mainstream community (50% in Wave 2 vs 51% in Wave 1), and 6.7% had tried them (directionally up from 4.9% in Wave 1). In 2016, more than twice the percentage of Australians had trialled Ice or Amphetamines compared to heroin (7% vs 3%). Furthermore, 2.5% were currently using Ice or Amphetamines (significantly higher than 0.9% in Wave 1).

## 'TRICKLE DOWN' STATISTICS CONFIRMED HIGHLY ADDICTIVE NATURE AND WIDER COMMUNITY IMPACT OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES

In 2016, 13% of Australians had been offered or had the opportunity to use Ice or Amphetamines, directionally higher than 10% in Wave 1 and more than twice the figure of 6% in the Federal Government's **The National Drug Strategy Household Survey** completed just three years ago.

# KEY INSIGHTS

## ‘TRICKLE DOWN’ STATISTICS CONFIRMED HIGHLY ADDICTIVE NATURE AND WIDER COMMUNITY IMPACT ICE AND AMPHETAMINES

In 2016, it was found that one third of people (33%) who had access to Ice and Amphetamines then went on to trialling and 62% of all Ice and Amphetamines triallers were currently or had previously become dependent or addicted to them.<sup>1</sup>

Despite the relatively low trial of Ice or Amphetamines when compared to most other illicit drugs, almost two thirds of all Australians (65%) believed that these drugs were the ones most likely to trigger dangerous and destructive behaviour, well ahead of 8% who ranked heroin as the most anti-social drug, and 4% who selected hallucinogens.

When respondents were asked if they believed whether a single trial of an illicit drug could lead to addiction, the top response was also overwhelmingly Ice and Amphetamines; three quarters of people surveyed (74%) believed that Ice addiction could result from one session, followed by heroin (66%), and cocaine (58%).

While the majority of all Australians believed that people addicted to Ice were a danger to the community, the sentiment was significantly higher in regional areas (63% regional vs 54% metro). Similarly, while 19% of metro Australians reported that they had seen the destruction first hand of this drug in their community, this figure significantly increased to 26% for regional Australians.

<sup>1</sup> Note that the low total sample sizes of Ice and Amphetamine Triallers (N=72) and Previous/Current Users of Ice and Amphetamines (ie beyond mere trial, N=45) means that statistical insights are directional only.

# KEY INSIGHTS

## THERE HAS BEEN A SIGNIFICANT JUMP IN PARENTAL CONCERN ABOUT THE RISK OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES TO CHILDREN

In Wave 2, over four in ten parents of children aged 5+ (42%) believed that Ice And Amphetamines posed a great risk to their children, representing a significant increase of 75% from Wave 1's figure of 24%. In comparison, the drug identified as posing the second highest level of risk was heroin, with 34% of parents reporting that they viewed this drug as a great risk.

## THREE OUT OF FOUR AUSTRALIANS RECALLED BEING EXPOSED TO INFORMATION ABOUT ICE IN THE PAST TWELVE MONTHS

While the percentage of Australians who felt they knew all they needed to about the consequences of Ice for the community was significantly higher in Wave 2 (45% vs 40%), the majority of Australians thought that they still do not know enough.

Wave 2 measured the recall of information about the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia in the past twelve months and found that 73% remembered being exposed to at least one source. The top three cited information sources were the news media (49%), government and community drug education advertising and brochures (27%), and social media (22%). When respondents were asked to rank their information sources by the level of insights they had provided, 62% ranked news media as their top source, 46% ranked government advertising first, and 22% gave social media their top spot.

# KEY INSIGHTS

## AUSTRALIANS HAVE STARTED SHIFTING TOWARDS VIEWING REHABILITATION AS A KEY PART OF A COMMUNITY SOLUTION

In Wave 1, an average of \$42 was allocated to education, \$30 to law enforcement, and \$28 to treatment. In Wave 2, while education remained the top choice for investment, there was a significant shift of dollars away from education in favour of treatment. Wave 2 saw an average of \$37 allocated to education, \$31 to law enforcement, and \$32 to treatment.

The increase in the preference for treatment as a way of targeting the problem was consistent with the results of the question 'where do you think Ice addicts belong?'. Seventy percent (70%) of Australians selected rehabilitation, 18% selected jail, and 12% selected other. Even though men were significantly more likely to have selected jail above rehabilitation than women, the majority of men still chose rehabilitation above alternatives (65% vs 75% for women).

Overall, the question of whether the community costs of rehabilitation for Ice addicts were ultimately lower than incarceration was not one that most Australians were confident answering; almost 1 in 2 Australians (43%) were unsure whether they agreed with this statement or not.

# KEY INSIGHTS

## BROADER ILLICIT DRUG USAGE AMONGST ICE AND AMPHETAMINES TRIALLERS HIGHLIGHTED GATEWAY DRUG ISSUES<sup>1</sup>

Within the sample size limitations of this group, 95% of all Ice or Amphetamines triallers had also trialled at least one of the seven other illicit drugs tested. In fact, the average number of other illicit drugs also trialled by this group was 3.8. The three most common illicit drugs also trialled by this group were cannabis (85%), ecstasy (72%), and cocaine (59%). Heroin was the least likely illicit drug also experimented with, but even this drug had been used by 26% of triallers.

A qualitative overview of the appeal of different treatment options to past and current users (ie those who went beyond using these drugs a few times) found that the two most appealing options were self-focused (cutting back or quitting with their own efforts) while the most unappealing treatment options were those that involved advice and support from external parties (outpatient treatment, inpatient treatment, and seeking advice from a healthcare professional). In this context, it would be helpful to target this at-risk segment with additional information and case studies about all treatment options so as to prompt them to view externally supported treatment programs as more mainstream options that are also available to them.

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## 2/ STUDY OBJECTIVES AND METHODOLOGY

# STUDY OVERVIEW

The Cabin Chiang Mai ('The Cabin') is a leading addiction treatment organisation with inpatient and outpatient facilities located in Australia, Thailand, Singapore, Hong Kong, Malaysia, and The Netherlands. Later in 2016, The Cabin will be launching a new treatment program in Sydney that will be targeting young adults (aged 18-24) with addiction issues.

In May 2015, Maidstone Consulting was commissioned to complete Wave 1 of The Cabin's **Annual Study Into Australian Knowledge And Attitudes Towards Ice And Other Illicit Drugs**. This wave was based on the responses of 1,000 nationally representative Australians aged 18+ who completed an 8 minute online survey.

The objectives of Wave 1 were:

1. Identification and testing of Ice Attitudes and Knowledge: What are general Australian attitudes towards Ice and other illicit drugs? What information do they correctly hold, and what areas require debunking or education?
2. Identifying the level of parental knowledge and concerns about illicit drugs and their children
3. Survey of current and past Ice and amphetamine users so as to humanise the face of addiction

In 2016, The Cabin commissioned Wave 2 of this study with the goal of building on Wave 1's insights into Australian community attitudes towards Ice and other illicit drugs. This new wave also allowed for annual longitudinal tracking of key measures relating to Ice and Amphetamine access, trial and dependency.

# STUDY OVERVIEW

Wave 2 was based on 1,053 nationally representative Australians aged 18+ who completed a 7 minute online survey. Wave 2 repeated select core questions from Wave 1 and introduced new areas of exploration. These new areas included exposure to and value of different information sources about Ice, the perceived abilities of different illicit drugs to trigger dangerous and destructive behaviour and to prompt addiction from single use, and an exploration of views relating to the question of rehabilitation vs jail for addicts.

## WAVE 2 REPORTING

Study insights were analysed by demographic segments including gender, age groups, parenthood by age of youngest child, state, and location (metro and regional). Sample sizes were provided for each statistic so as to indicate how representative the measure was for particular segments.

Statistical testing was carried out on all intra-segment data within waves (eg 2016 male vs 2016 female, 2016 metro vs 2016 regional, and so on) using a two-tailed 95% significance test. If measures were statistically different to each other, this information was included in subscript information. Corresponding 2015 and 2016 figures were also statistically compared to each other:

- ▲ 2016 figures with this superscript figure were statistically different to the corresponding figure for 2015

# RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

METHODOLOGY	
Fieldwork Period	23 <sup>rd</sup> – 30 <sup>th</sup> May 2016
Research Consultancy	Maidstone Consulting
Fieldwork Company	APD Group
Survey Format	1 min Screener Survey 6 min Main Survey
Sample Size	N=1,053
Sample Quotas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Gender, state, location (metro and regional) and age group quotas were set to reflect ABS summary census statistics to achieve a nationally representative sample</li><li>• Data were marginally weighted by state and age to ensure that 2015 and 2016 quotas matched for comparative analysis.</li></ul>

# WAVE 2 SURVEY SEGMENTS

	Count	Weighted %
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>100%</b>
Male	48%	501
Female	52%	552
Generation Y/Z (18-35)	31%	347
Generation X (36-50)	27%	282
Baby Boomers (51-69)	33%	323
Seniors (70+)	9%	101
Parents By Age Of Youngest Child		
No children	40%	426
0-4	4%	48
5-12	10%	109
13-17	10%	106
18-24	8%	79
25+	28%	285

	Count	Weighted %
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>100%</b>
No Exposure to Ice or Amphetamine Triallers	67%	703
Know Ice or Amphetamine Triallers	31%	333
Ice or Amphetamine Triallers	7%	72
Metro	62%	656
Regional	38%	397
NSW	33%	318
VIC	24%	259
QLD	18%	210
SA	9%	94
WA	11%	116
Other States	62%	656



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# 3/ REACH OF ICE AND OTHER ILLICIT DRUGS ACROSS AUSTRALIA

# KEY INSIGHTS

## ICE AND AMPHETAMINES EXPOSURE AND USAGE WERE NOT MARGINALISED ACTIVITIES IN AUSTRALIA

The Wave 2 study continued to debunk the myth that exposure to and use of Ice and Amphetamines were marginalised activities that largely only impacted the homeless, poor, uneducated, or the mentally sick. Half of all respondents continued to report that Ice and Amphetamines were not difficult to access by the mainstream community (50% vs 51% in Wave 1), 6.7% had tried them (directionally up from 4.9% in Wave 1), and 2.5% were currently using them (significantly higher than 0.9% in Wave 1).

## ‘TRICKLE DOWN’ IMPACT OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES HIGHLIGHTED DANGERS OF EXPOSURE AND TRIAL

Continuing the upward trajectory of the availability of Ice and Amphetamines first measured by the Federal Government’s drugs research in 2013 (The National Drug Strategy Household Survey (TNDSHS)<sup>1</sup> and Wave 1 of this study, Wave 2 found that these drugs continued to penetrate the Australian community. In 2016, 13% of Australians had been offered or had opportunity to use Ice or Amphetamines (compared to 10% in Wave 1 and 6% in TNDSHS).

<sup>1</sup> The National Drug Strategy Household Survey<sup>1</sup> (2013) <http://www.aihw.gov.au/publication-detail/?id=60129549469>.

# KEY INSIGHTS

## ‘TRICKLE DOWN’ IMPACT OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES HIGHLIGHTED DANGERS OF EXPOSURE AND TRIAL (CONT)

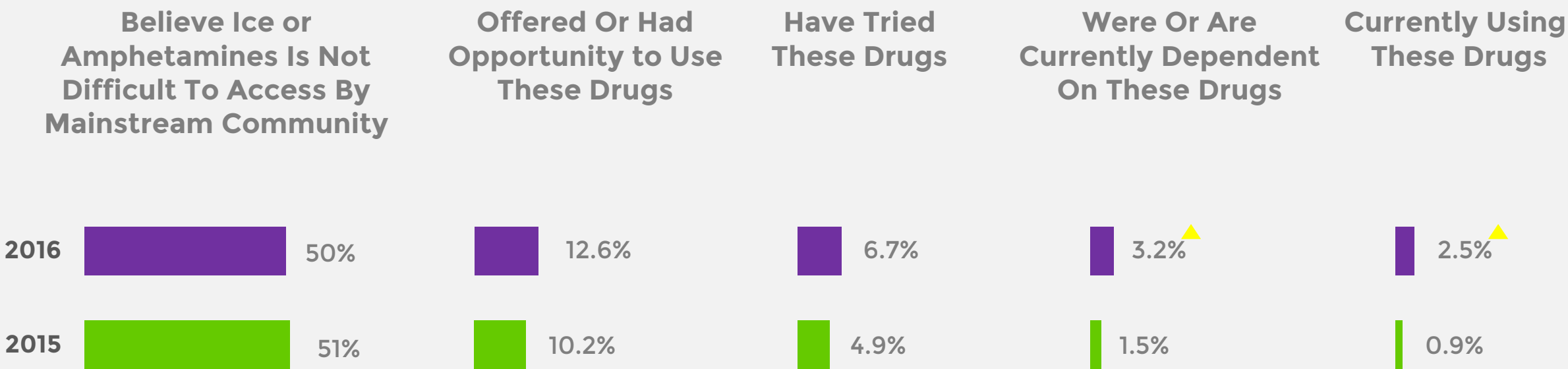
Mere exposure to these drugs was a worrying finding in itself. This study found that one third of people (33%) who had access to Ice and Amphetamines then went on to trialling. The well-known addictiveness of these drugs was exemplified by the following statistic: 62% of all Ice and Amphetamines triallers were currently or had previously been dependent or addicted to them.<sup>1</sup>

## SIGNIFICANT COMMUNITY IMPACT BEYOND DRUG USER SEGMENT

Even for those who were lucky enough not to have been directly impacted by illicit drug use, investigation of the indirect consequences of drugs found that 16% of Australians had been affected by physical and verbal abuse from people they thought to be under the influence of illicit drugs (significantly up from 10% in Wave 1). Thirteen percent (13%) also reported to being the victim of theft, the proceeds of which they believed were allocated to funding drug habits (significantly up from 10% in Wave 1). Over half (57%) felt that people addicted to Ice were a danger to the community and 21% said that they had seen the destruction first hand of this drug in their community. Regional Australians were significantly more likely to feel victimised by the impact of Ice compared to metro Australians.

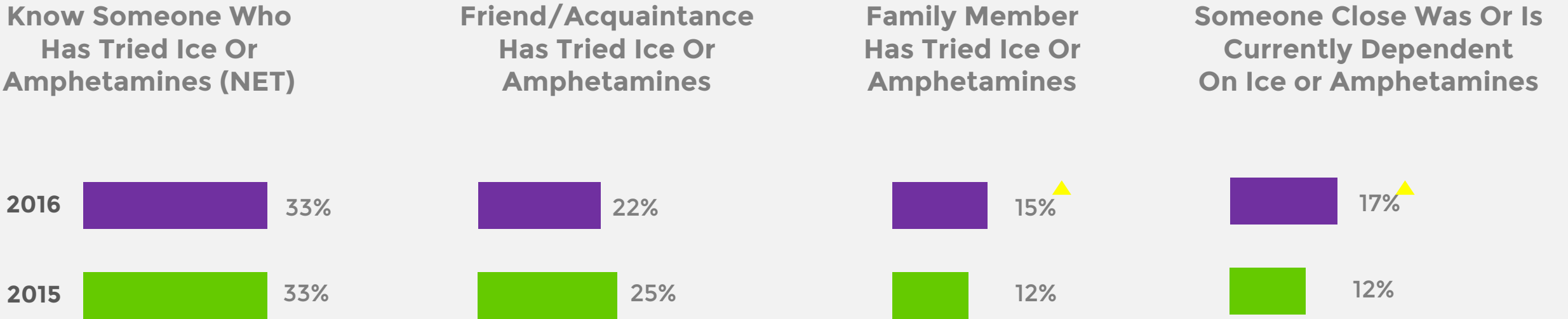
<sup>1</sup> Note that this statistic is directional only due to small sample size.

# DIRECT CONTACT WITH ICE OR AMPHETAMINES



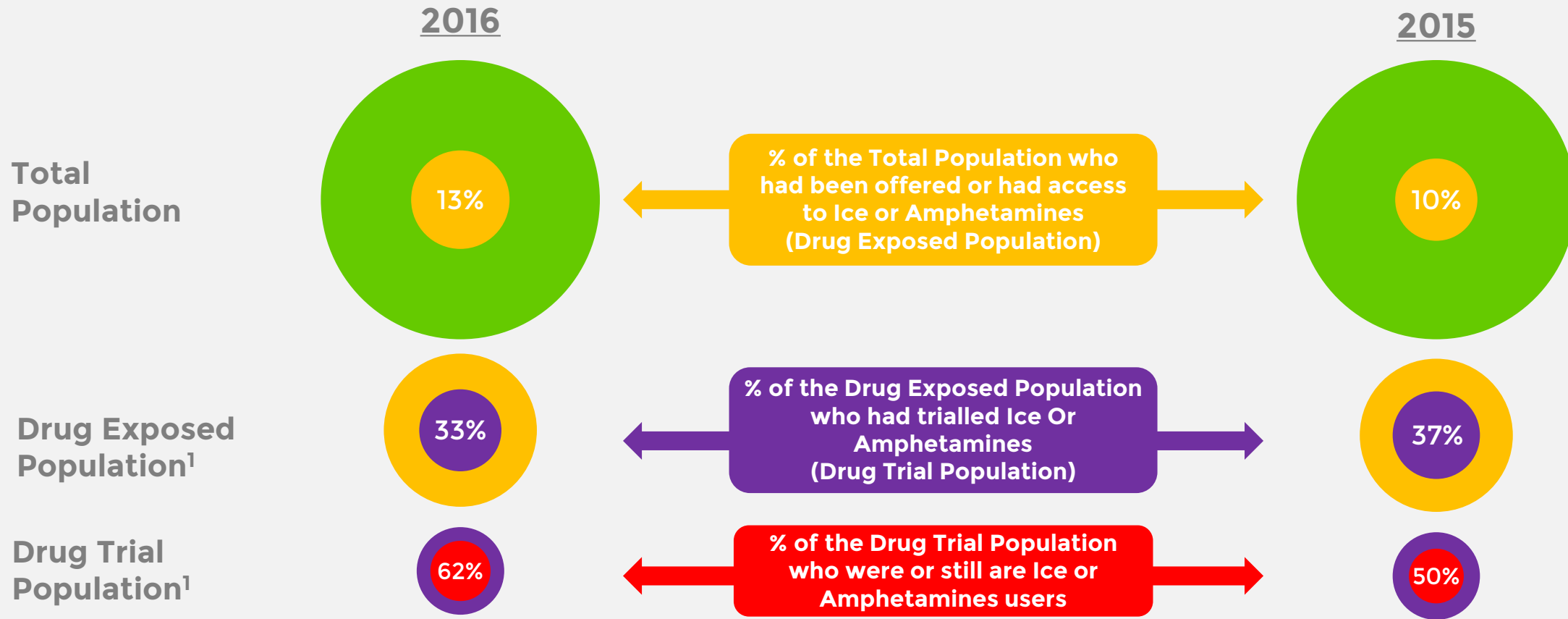
Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053, 2015 n=1,000.  
B2./B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?  
C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines?  
C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines?

# INDIRECT CONTACT WITH ICE OR AMPHETAMINES



Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053, 2015 n=1,000.  
B2./B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?  
C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines?

# 'TRICKLE DOWN' IMPACT OF ICE OR AMPHETAMINES EXPOSURE<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Note that this data should be read directionally only due to limited sample size.

Total 2016 Sample: N=1,053. Drug Exposed Population N=136, Drug Trial Population N=72.

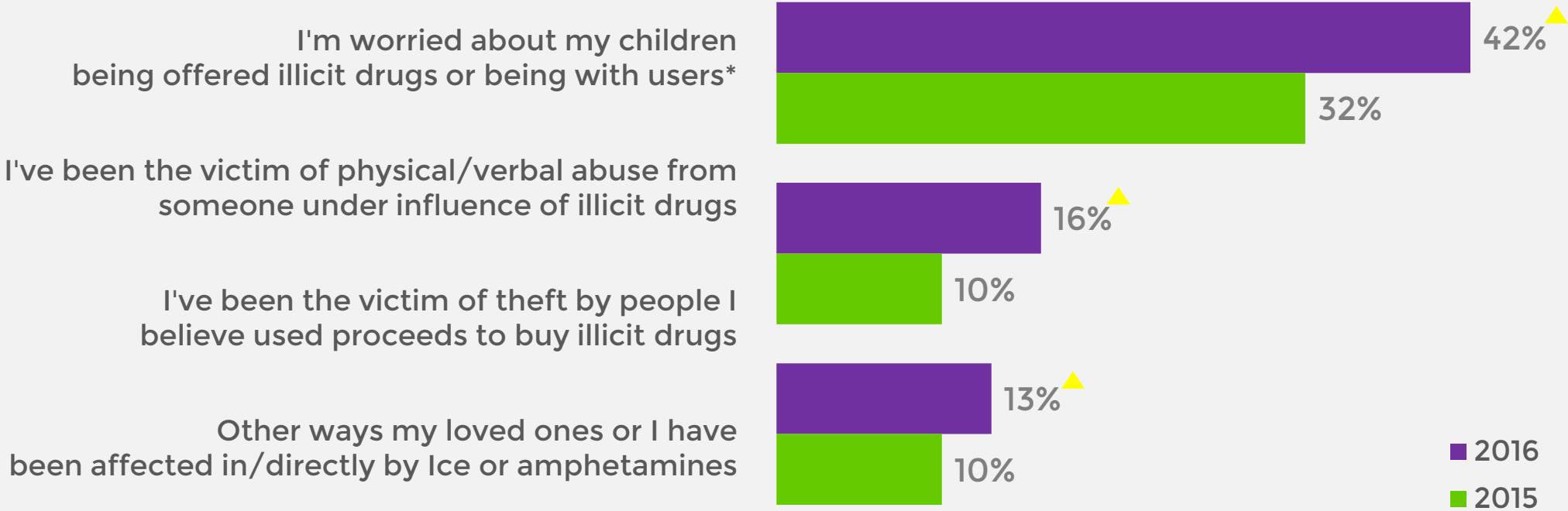
Total 2015 Sample: N=1,000. Drug Exposed Population N=100, Drug Trial Population N=48.

B2./B6. Which of the following are applicable to you? C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines?

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# COMMUNITY IMPACT OF ILLICIT DRUGS

## Other Impacts Of Illicit Drugs On The Australian Community

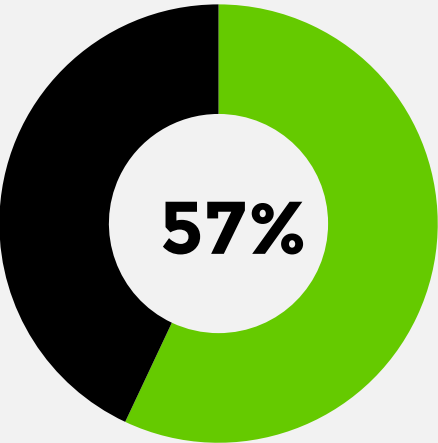


\* Based to Parents only (2016 N= 627, 2015 N=585).  
Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053, 2015 N=1,000.  
B2./B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?

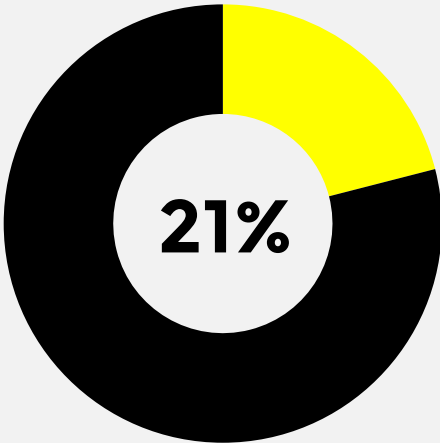
# COMMUNITY IMPACT OF ICE

## Impact Of Ice On The Australian Community

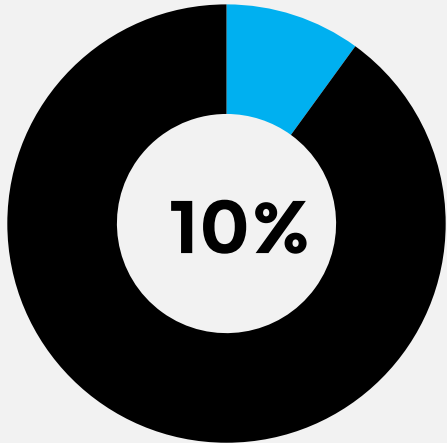
I feel Ice addicts are a danger to the community



I have seen the destruction first hand of Ice in my community



I would know where to access Ice or Amphetamines if I were interested in buying some



Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053.  
B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?



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## 4/ COMMUNITY KNOWLEDGE, ATTITUDES AND EXPERIENCE WITH ILLICIT DRUGS

# KEY INSIGHTS

## COMMUNITY TRIAL RATES OF ILLICIT DRUGS SHOW ICE HAS NOW SURPASSED HEROIN

Excluding alcohol and nicotine, the most widely trialled drug in Australia was cannabis (32% of the Australian population had tried it at least once), followed by opiates (12%), benzodiazepines (10%), and ecstasy (10%). Seven percent (7%) of Australians had trialled Ice or Amphetamines, more twice the incidence of heroin trialling (3%). Gen Y/Z, Gen X, Non Parents, and people who knew Ice users were significantly more likely to have trialled Ice or Amphetamines than corresponding groups in their segments.

## ICE AND AMPHETAMINES WIDELY BELIEVED TO BE THE MOST DESTRUCTIVE AND MOST ADDICTIVE ILLICIT DRUG

Despite the relatively low trial of Ice or Amphetamines when compared to other illicit drugs, almost two thirds of all Australians (65%) believed that these drugs were the ones most likely to trigger dangerous and destructive behaviour, well ahead of 8% who ranked heroin as the most anti-social drug, and 4% who selected hallucinogens.

When respondents were asked if they believed whether a single trial of an illicit drug could lead to addiction, the top response was also overwhelmingly Ice and Amphetamines; three quarters of people surveyed (74%) believed that Ice addiction could result from one trial session, followed by heroin (66%), and cocaine (58%).

# KEY INSIGHTS

## THREE OUT OF FOUR AUSTRALIANS RECALLED BEING EXPOSED TO INFORMATION ABOUT ICE IN THE PAST TWELVE MONTHS

in the twelve months to May 2016, 73% of Australians recalled receiving information about the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia. The top three cited information sources were the news media (49%), government and community drug education advertising and brochures (27%), and social media (22%). When respondents were asked to rank information sources they had been exposed to by the level of insights they had provided, 62% ranked news media as their top source, 46% ranked government drug education advertising first, and 22% gave social media their top spot.

## ... AND THREE OUT OF FOUR AUSTRALIANS SUPPORTED GOVERNMENT POLICY MAKERS TARGETING ICE

Three quarters (73%) of Australians did not believe that the Government was 'scaremongering' with its current focus on lowering the incidence of Ice and Amphetamines supply and usage across Australia. While the percentage of Australians who felt they knew all they needed to about Ice and consequences for the community was significantly higher in Wave 2 (45% vs 40%), the majority of Australians still do not know enough about the drug and its impact.

# KEY INSIGHTS

## AUSTRALIANS SUPPORTED EDUCATION AS A KEY COMPONENT OF AN ICE COMMUNITY SOLUTION, BUT THERE WAS A SHIFT TO FURTHER RECOGNISING THE ROLE OF REHABILITATION

The more strategic issue of policy development with the ultimate goal of reducing the take-up of Ice and Amphetamines in the community was explored by asking respondents to allocate \$100 across education, law enforcement and treatment in the way that they thought would best target the problem.

In Wave 1, an average of \$42 was allocated to education, \$30 to law enforcement, and \$28 to treatment. In Wave 2, while education remained the top choice for investment, there was a significant shift of dollars away from education in favour of treatment. Wave 2 saw an average of \$37 allocated to education, \$31 to law enforcement, and \$32 to treatment. The trend was even more notable for groups who had indirect or direct experience with the drugs themselves.

The increase in the preference for treatment as a way of targeting the problem was consistent with the results of the question 'where do you think Ice addicts belong?'. Seventy percent (70%) of Australians selected rehabilitation, 18% selected jail, and 12% selected other. Even though men were significantly more likely to have selected jail above rehabilitation than women, the majority of men still chose rehabilitation above alternatives (65% vs 75% for women).

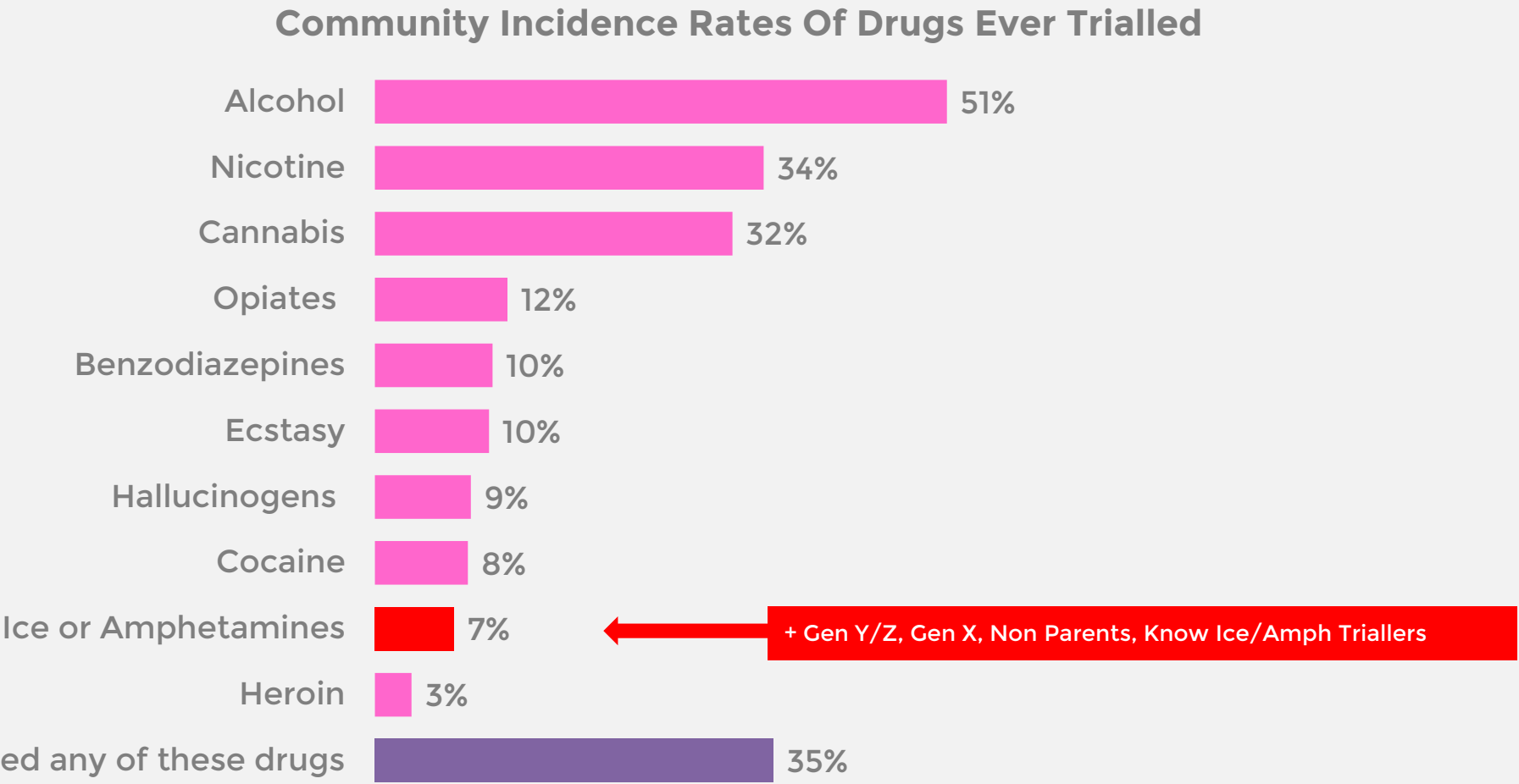
# KEY INSIGHTS

## AUSTRALIANS SUPPORTED EDUCATION AS A KEY COMPONENT OF AN ICE COMMUNITY SOLUTION, BUT THERE WAS A SHIFT TO FURTHER RECOGNISING THE ROLE OF REHABILITATION (CONT)

While Australians were increasingly warming to the idea of treatment and rehabilitation as a part of the solution, they were not certain whether it would be less or more costly to the community than actually placing them in jail. While one third (37%) agreed that the costs to the community of placing addicts in rehab were lower than placing them in jail and 20% disagreed, almost half (43%) were unsure.

Overall, the question of whether the community costs of rehabilitation for Ice addicts were ultimately lower than incarceration was not one that most Australians were confident answering; almost 1 in 2 Australians (43%) were unsure whether they agreed with this statement or not. Constructive community debate that included education around this topic would be a valuable development.

# DRUG TRIAL INCIDENCE ACROSS THE COMMUNITY

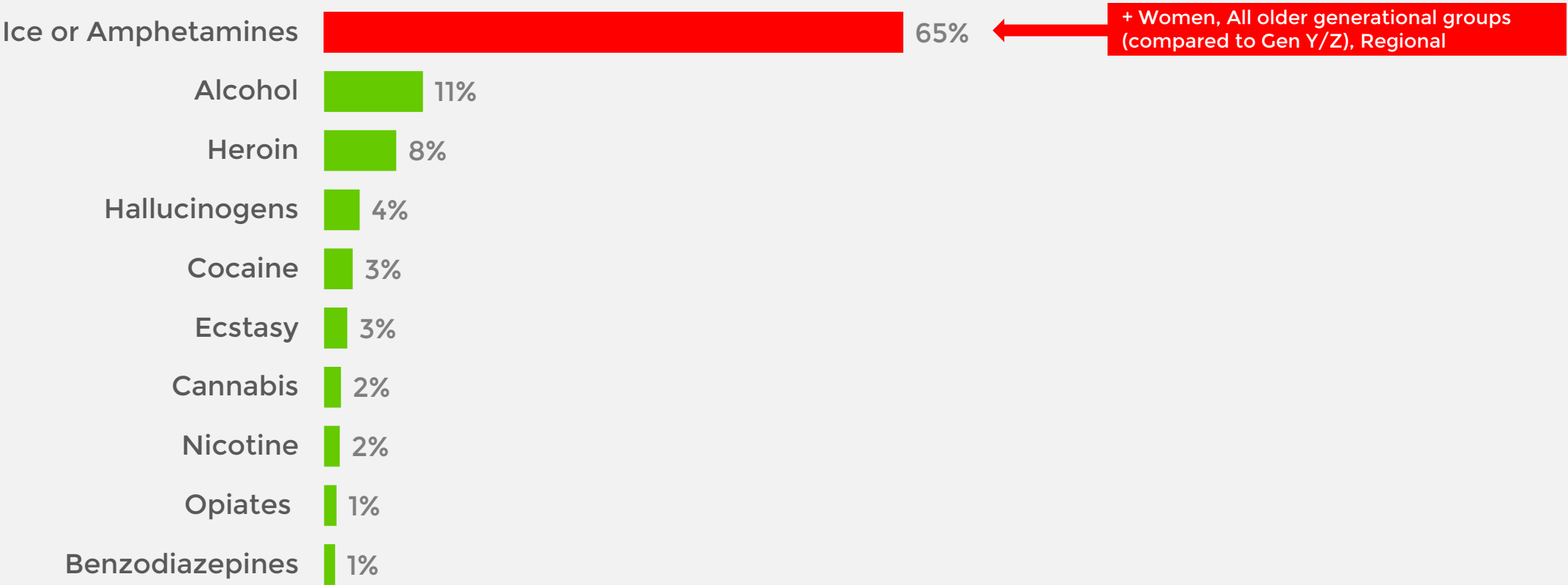


Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053.

B5. Have you ever tried any of these drugs illicitly? C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines?

# PERCEIVED ANTI-SOCIAL IMPACT OF ILLICIT DRUGS

## Illicit Drugs Ranked First By Perceived Ability to Trigger Dangerous and Destructive Behaviour

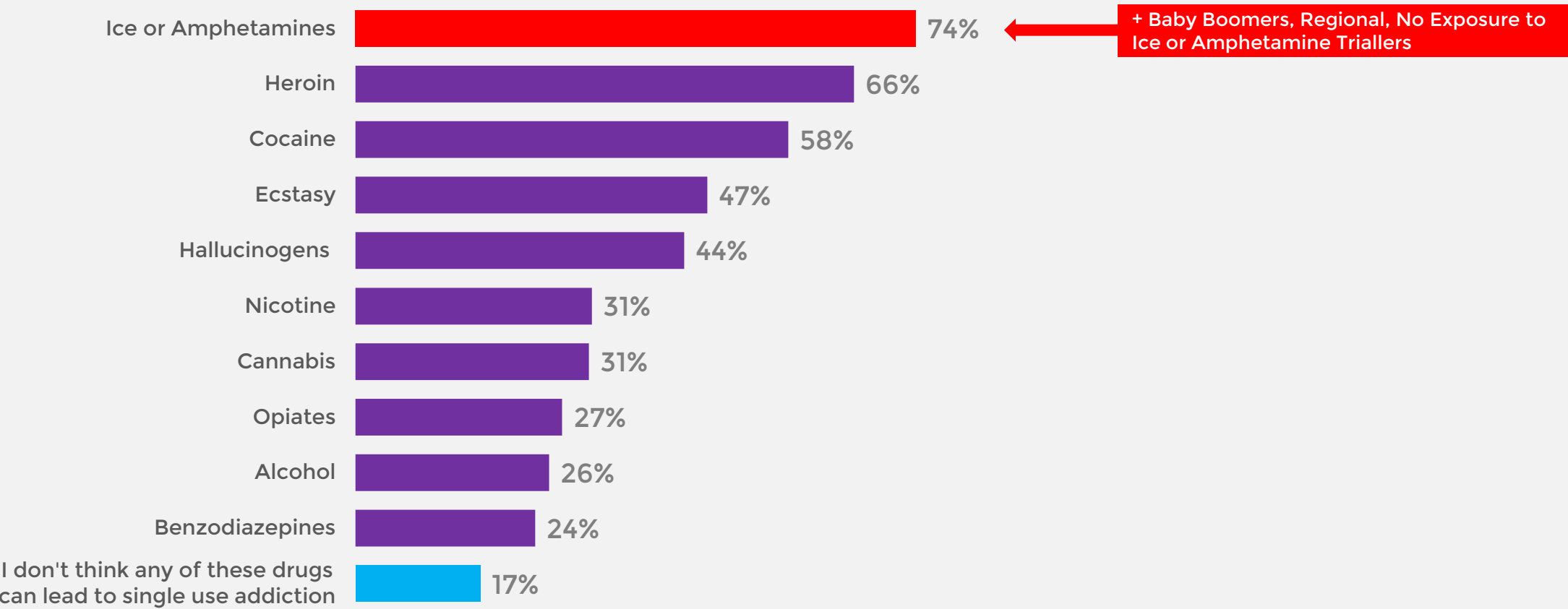


Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053.

B3. Please rank the following drugs in order of their ability to trigger dangerous and destructive behaviour. If you're not sure about any of the drugs, please think about it for a few moments and answer based on your impressions.

# PERCEIVED ILLICIT DRUG ADDICTIVENESS FROM SINGLE USE

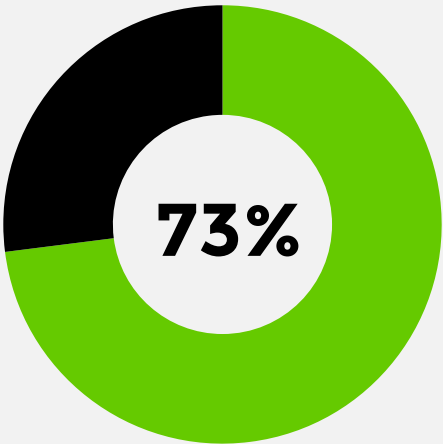
## Illicit Drugs Considered To Be Able To Lead to Addiction From Single Use



Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053.  
B4. Do you believe that any of the following drugs could lead to addiction from using it just one single time?

# SOURCES OF ICE INFORMATION IN PAST 12 MONTHS

% People Who Came Into Contact With Information About Impact of Ice In Past 12 Months



Sources Of Ice Information In Past 12 Months

		<u>% Rank Source As Most Informative Source</u>
News media	49%	62%
Government/community drug education ads and brochures	27%	46%
Social media	22%	22%
Government or community anti-drug websites	14%	20%
Friends	13%	19%
People you know who have tried/used Ice	11%	37%
Personal experience	10%	51%
Online research	10%	24%
Family	8%	19%
Medical/mental health professional	7%	30%
School drug education programs	6%	22%
Pharmacist	4%	30%
Community help line or social worker	3%	20%

Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053, Came Across Source in Past 12 Months N=29 – N=514.  
B8. In the past twelve months, do you recall coming into contact with information from any of the following sources about the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia?  
B9. Please rank the sources below in order of how much information or insight they gave you into the topic of the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia.

# GENERAL ATTITUDES TOWARDS ICE AND AMPHETAMINES

## Agreement With General Community Impact Statements About Ice And Amphetamines

	Total		Don't Know Anyone Who Has Tried Ice Or Amphetamines		Know Someone Who Has Tried Ice Or Amphetamines		Has Tried Ice Or Amphetamines	
	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015
I don't think the government is overreacting or scaremongering with its current focus on Ice*	73%▲	77%	74%	77%	72%	78%	55%	65%
Ice has greater negative impact on community than other illicit drugs such as heroin, ecstasy and cocaine	68%	67%	69%	66%	66%	67%	59%	72%
Ice is not a difficult drug to buy or gain access to for the mainstream community*	50%	51%	44%	45%	63%	63%	59%	65%
I know how Ice differs from other drugs and their different levels of addictiveness	48%	49%	39%▲	45%	67%▲	57%	69%	78%
I know all I need to about Ice and possible impact on me, my loved ones and community in general	45%▲	40%	40%	37%	54%▲	45%	58%	61%

\* Statement sentiment reversed for overall statement consistency.  
 Total 2016 Sample: N=1,053. Sample Who Were Offered/Had Access To Ice/Amphetamines N=136, Sample Who Trialled Ice/Amphetamines N=72  
 Total 2015 Sample: N=1,000. Sample Who Were Offered/Had Access To Ice/Amphetamines N=100, Sample Who Trialled Ice/Amphetamines N=48.  
 B2./B6. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements on a scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being “Strongly Disagree” and 5 being “Strongly Agree”.

# ATTITUDES TOWARDS REDUCING ICE AND AMPHETAMINE USAGE

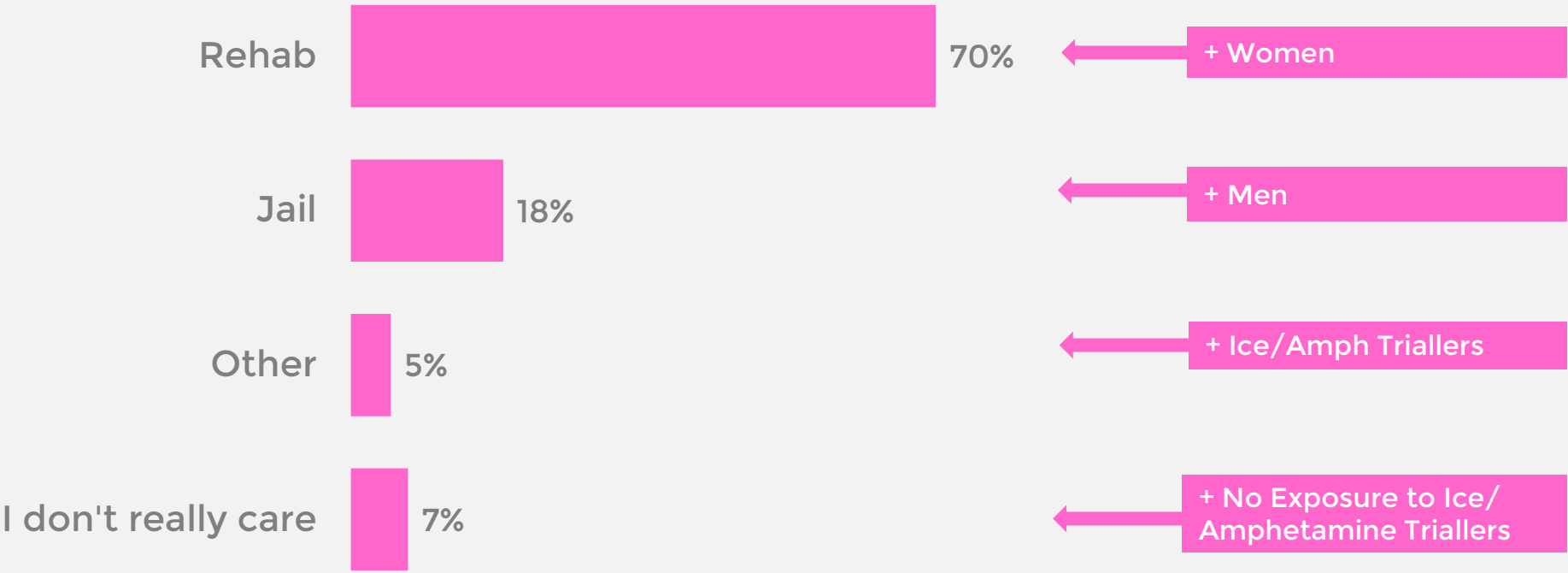
Average Allocation Of \$100 Towards Reducing Ice And Amphetamine Usage

	Total		Don't Know Anyone Who Has Tried Ice Or Amphetamines		Know Someone Who Has Tried Ice Or Amphetamines		Has Tried Ice Or Amphetamines	
	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015
Education	\$37▲	\$42	\$37▲	\$42	\$38	\$41	\$37	\$41
Law Enforcement	\$31	\$30	\$33	\$32	\$26	\$27	\$19	\$26
Treatment	\$32▲	\$28	\$30▲	\$26	\$36▲	\$32	\$43▲	\$33

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E1./F1. Imagine you had \$100. How would you allocate this amount with the goal of reducing Ice or amphetamines use across education, treatment & law enforcement?

# WHERE DO ICE ADDICTS BELONG?

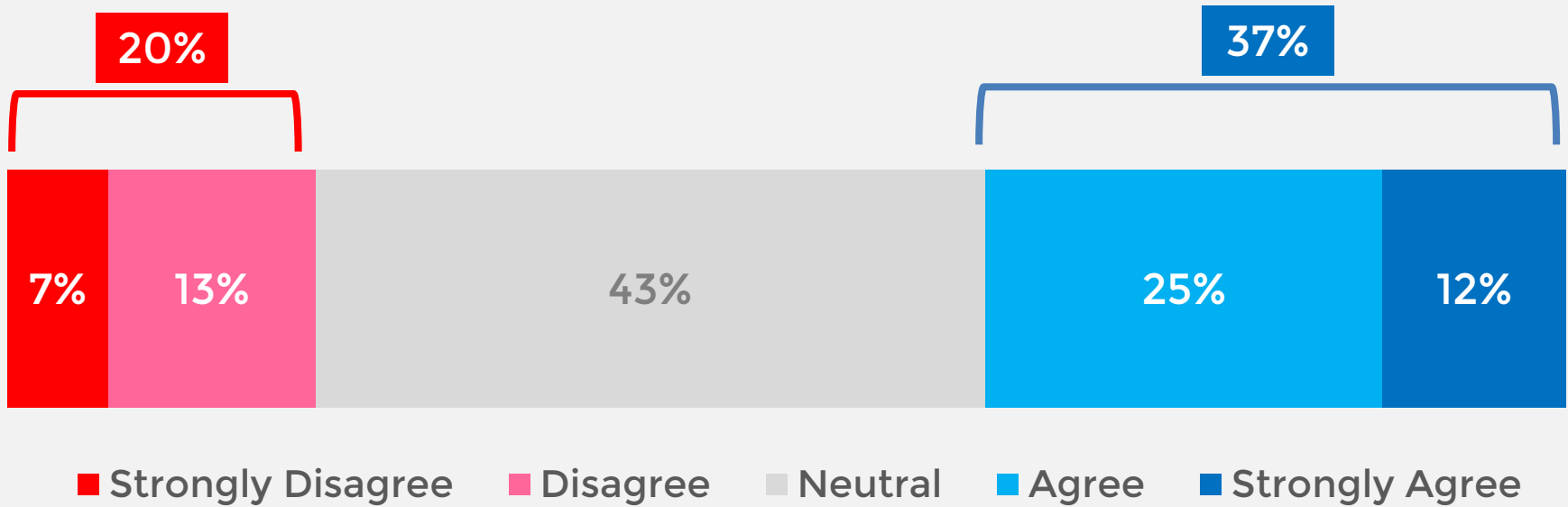
Community Views On Where Ice Addicts Belong



Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053.  
F2. Where do you think Ice addicts belong?

# COMMUNITY COSTS OF REHAB VS JAIL FOR ICE ADDICTS

Agreement With Statement:  
“Overall community costs of rehab programs for Ice addicts are lower than putting them in jail.”



Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053.  
F3. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statement.



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# 5/ PARENTAL CONCERNS ABOUT ILLICIT DRUGS

# KEY INSIGHTS<sup>1</sup>

## THERE WAS A SIGNIFICANT JUMP IN PARENTAL CONCERN ABOUT THE RISK OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES TO CHILDREN

In Wave 2, over four in ten parents of children aged 5+ (42%) believed that Ice And Amphetamines posed a great risk to their children, representing a significant increase of 75% from Wave 1's figure of 24%. The drug identified as posing the second highest level of risk was heroin, with 34% of parents reporting that they viewed this drug as a great risk.

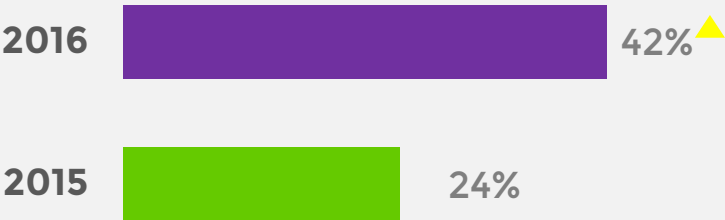
## MORE PARENTS OF 18-24 YEAR OLDS BELIEVED THAT THEIR CHILD HAD TRIALLED ICE THAN HEROIN

Overall, 6% of parents believed that their child trialled Ice And Amphetamines and 2% thought that they had used heroin. However, amongst parents of 18-24 year olds, while only 2% thought that heroin had been trialled, 10% believed that their child had trialled Ice or Amphetamines. Thirty one percent (31%) of parents of 18-24 year olds reported a great level of concern with regards to their child being exposed to Ice while socialising, and 10% held the same level of concern with respect to exposure in their child's work place.

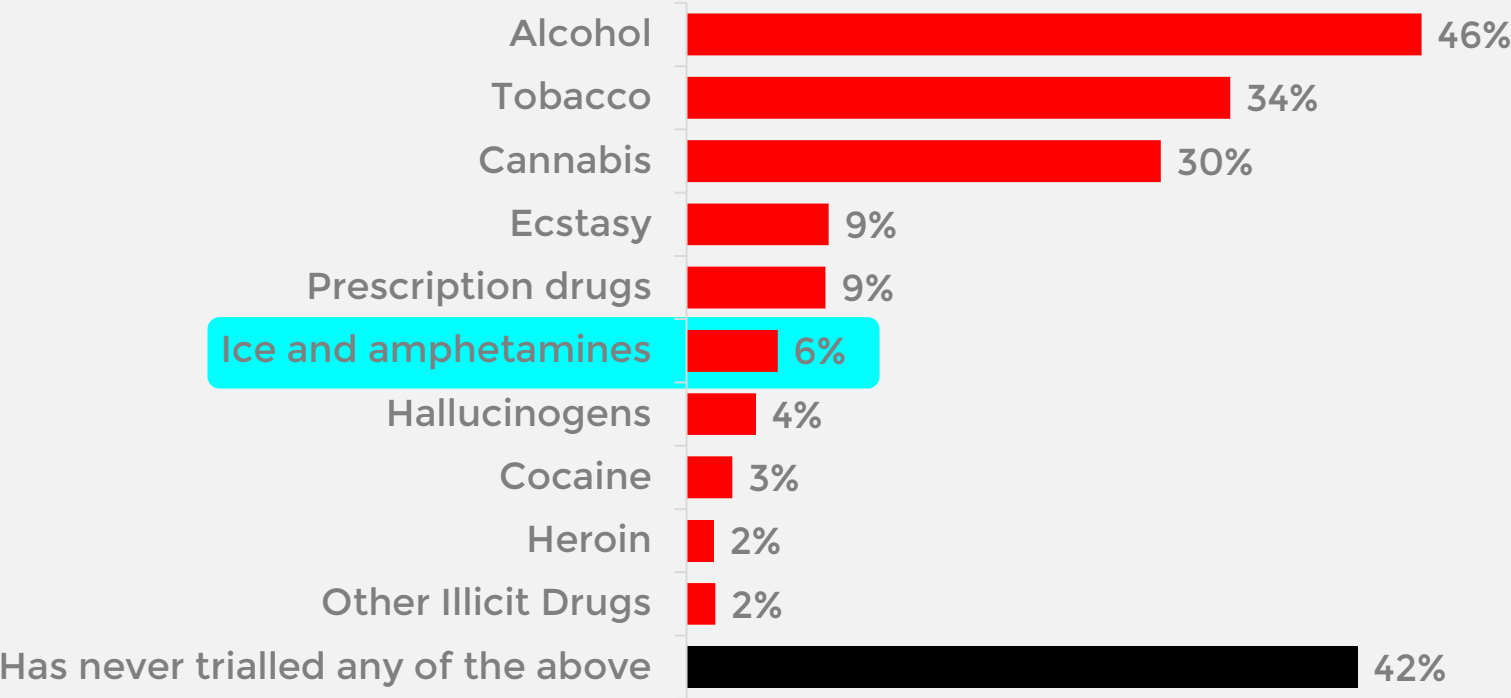
<sup>1</sup> Please note that reference to parents in this section refers to parents who have one or more child aged 5 or older unless otherwise specified.

# PARENTS, CHILDREN AND DRUGS

% Parents Who Believe Ice And Amphetamines Pose Great Drug Risk To Their Children



% Parents Who Believe A Child Has Experimented With Drugs



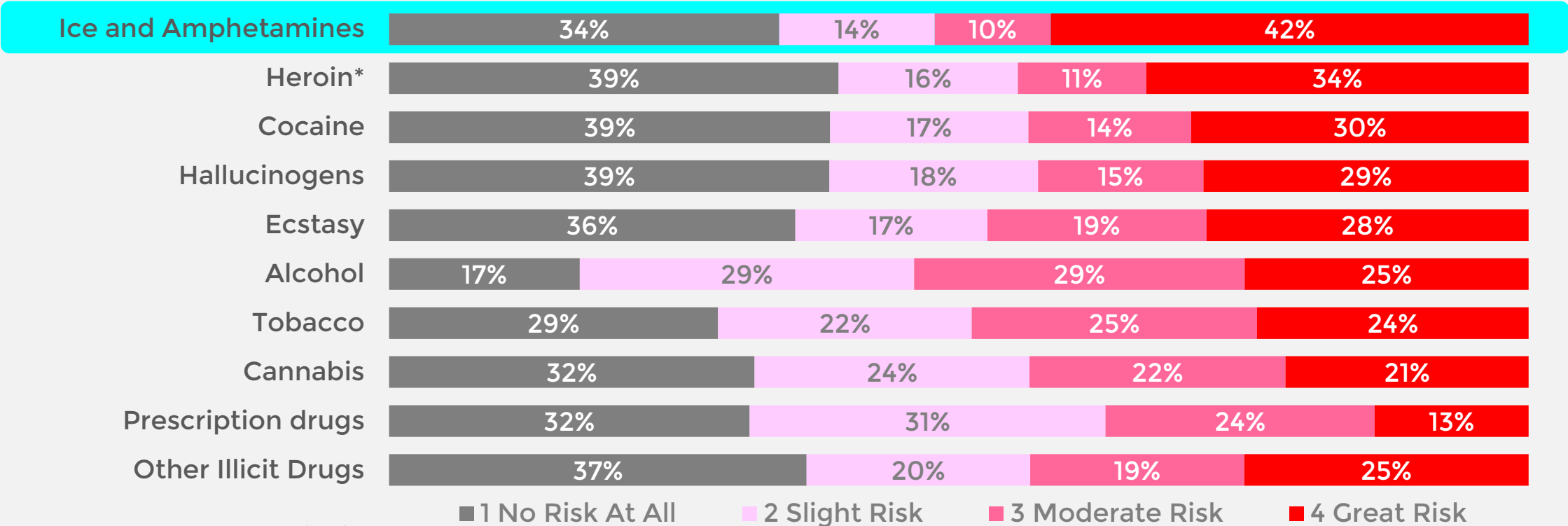
Total Parents With Children Aged 5+ Sample: 2016 N=579, 2015 N=531.

D1. Please indicate how much risk you believe the following substances pose, if any, to your children. If you have more than one child, please answer by considering your potentially most 'at risk' child by each substance. ['Great risk' percentage across four point scale of 'No risk at all' to 'Great risk'.]

D2. Do you think that your child may have tried any of the following substances? Please select those you believe they might experimented with.

# PERCEIVED DRUG RISKS IMPACTING AUSTRALIAN CHILDREN (2016)

Perceived Drug Risks Impacting Australian Children Aged 5+ in 2016



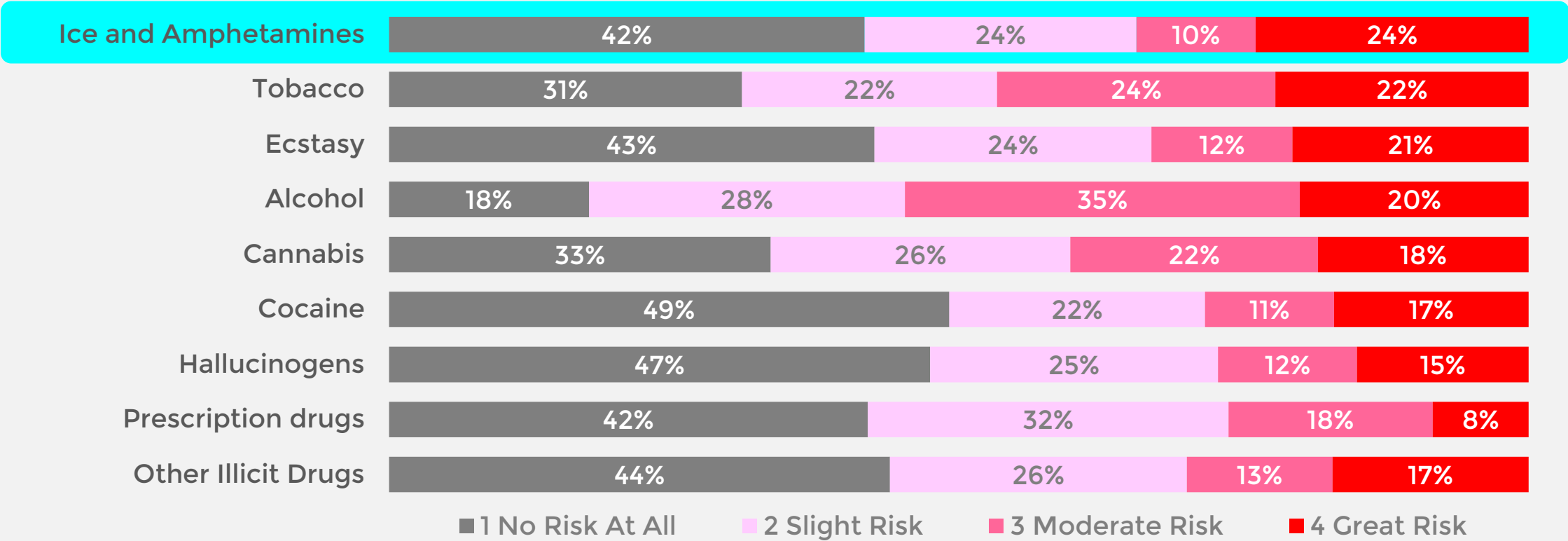
\* Heroin was added as a separate option in Wave 2.

Total Parents With Children Aged 5+ Sample: 2016 N=579.

D1. Please indicate how much risk you believe the following substances pose, if any, to your children. (If you have more than one child, please answer by considering your potentially most 'at risk' child by each substance.) E1. For the next four questions, all references to your child is to your child aged 18-24...Please indicate how much risk you believe the following substances pose, if any, to your child.

# PERCEIVED DRUG RISKS IMPACTING AUSTRALIAN CHILDREN (2015)

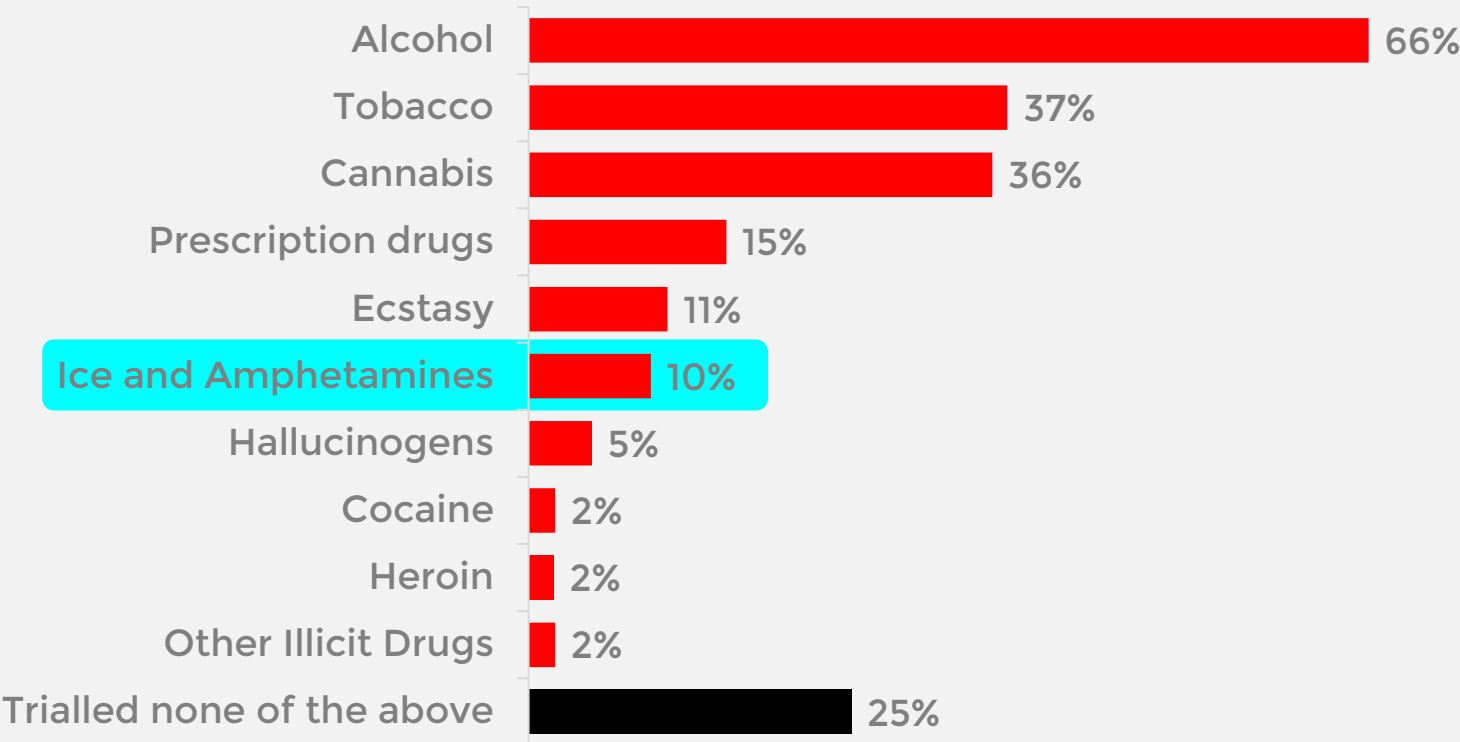
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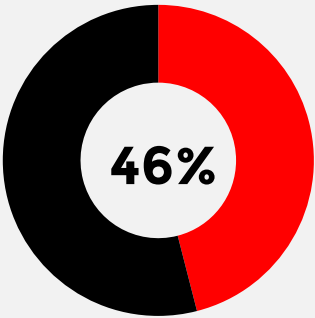
Total Parents With Children Aged 5+ Sample: 2015 N=531.  
D1. Please indicate how much risk you believe the following substances pose, if any, to your children. (If you have more than one child, please answer by considering your potentially most 'at risk' child by each substance.)

# PARENTAL INSIGHTS ABOUT ADULT CHILDREN AGED 18-24

% Parents Who Believe Child Aged 18-24 Has Experimented With Drugs



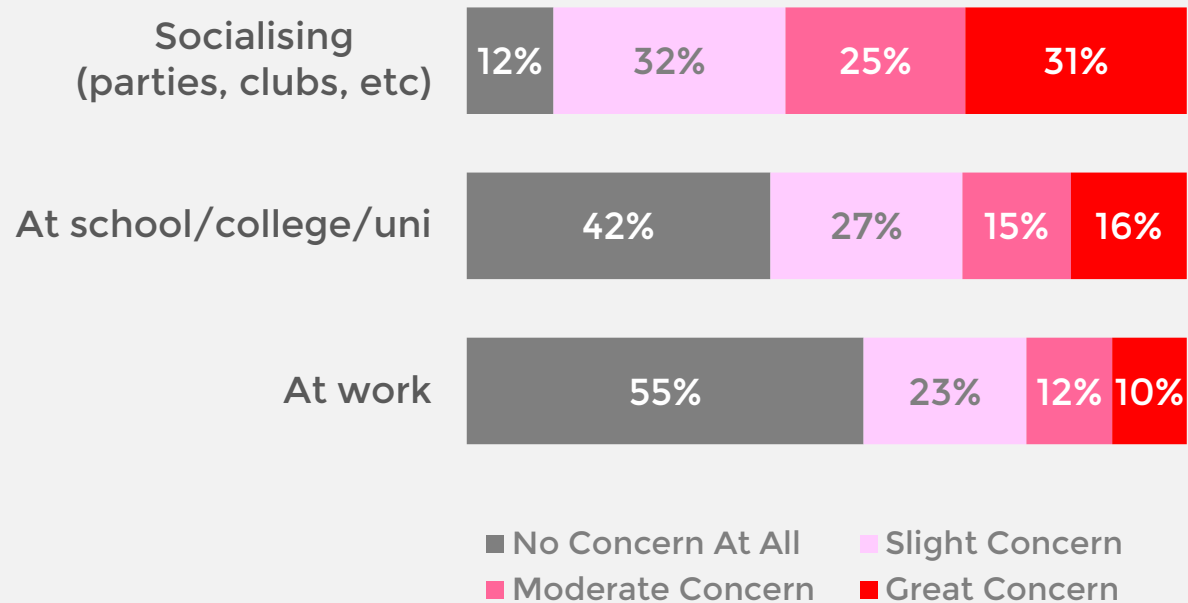
% Parents Who Believe Child Aged 18-24 Has Experimented With An Illicit Drug (Excluding Alcohol and Nicotine) (NET)



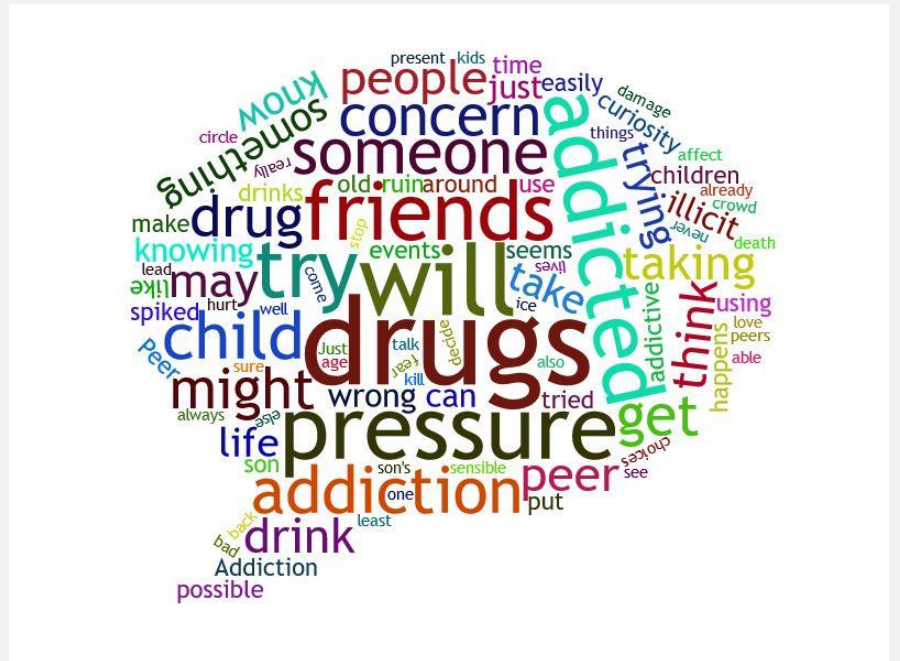
Total Parents With Children Aged 18-24 Sample: 2016 N=107.  
E1. For the next four questions, all references to your child is to your child aged 18-24...Please indicate how much risk you believe the following substances pose, if any, to your child.

## PARENTAL INSIGHTS ABOUT ADULT CHILDREN AGED 18-24 (CONT)

## Parental Concern About Child Exposure To Ice By Environment



## General Parental Concerns About Their Child And Illicit Drugs



Total Parents With Children Aged 18-24 Sample: 2016 N=107.

E3. What is your level of concern, if any, of your child being exposed to the drug Ice in the following environments?

E4. What are your greatest concerns for your child with regards to illicit drugs and why? [See Appendix for full list of open responses.]



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## 6/ ICE AND AMPHETAMINE TRIALLER AND USER PROFILE

# KEY INSIGHTS<sup>1</sup>

## ICE AND AMPHETAMINES USERS WERE NOT A MARGINALISED POPULATION SEGMENT

In Wave 2's survey of 1,053 Australians, 72 admitted that they had trialled Ice or Amphetamines (7%), and 62% of this group progressed to previously or currently using them more than a few times. While the sample size of 45 users was not robust enough to extrapolate representative quantitative insights about their characteristics, attitudes, and behaviours, this group can be profiled in a qualitative sense.<sup>1</sup>

A top line analysis reveals that triallers come from all parts of the Australian community. However, trialling was significantly likely to have occurred amongst Gen Y/Z, Gen X, and Non Parents. One trend that was uncovered by the study was that triallers tended to cluster with other triallers; 76% of all Ice and Amphetamines triallers knew at least one other person who had also trialled the drugs.

## BROADER ILLICIT DRUG USAGE AMONGST ICE AND AMPHETAMINES TRIALLERS HIGHLIGHTED GATEWAY DRUG ISSUES

Ninety five percent (95%) of all Ice or Amphetamines triallers had also trialled at least one of the seven other illicit drugs tested. In fact, the average number of other illicit drugs also used by this group was 3.8. The three most common other illicit drugs used by this group were cannabis (85%), ecstasy (72%), and cocaine (59%). Heroin was the least likely illicit drug also experimented with, but even this drug had been used by 26% of this group.

<sup>1</sup> Note that the low total sample sizes of Ice and Amphetamine Triallers (N=72) and Previous/Current Users of Ice and Amphetamines (ie beyond mere trial, N=45) means that statistical insights are directional only.

# KEY INSIGHTS<sup>1</sup>

## ATTITUDES TOWARDS TREATMENT OPTIONS

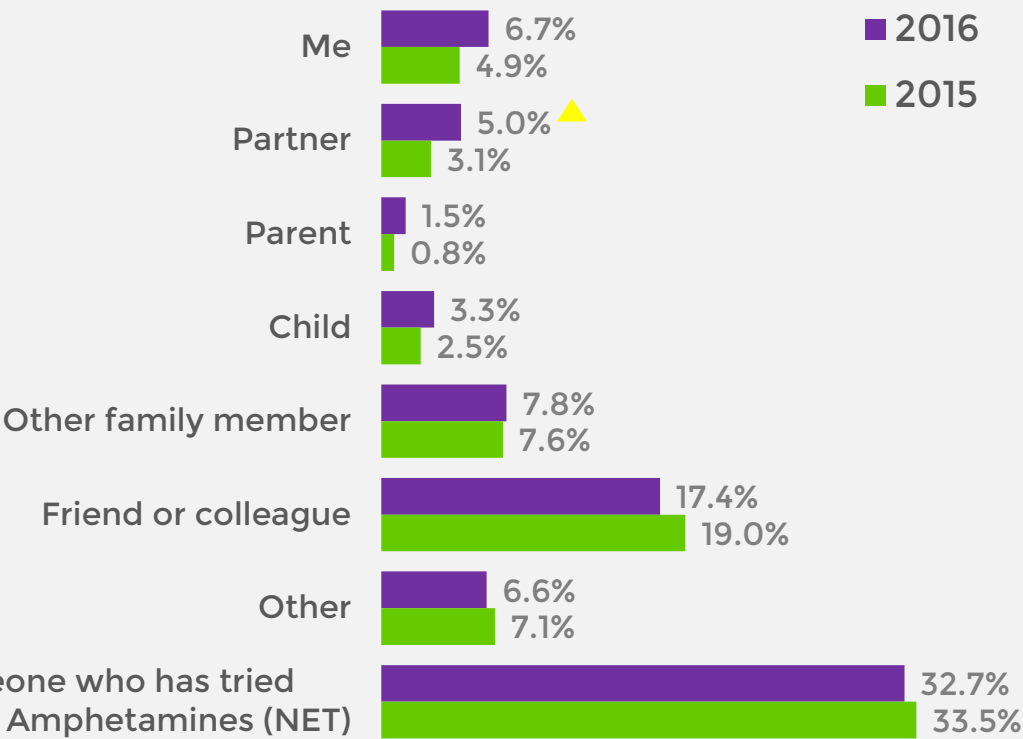
Within the sample size limitations specified to this group, a qualitative overview of the appeal of different treatment options found that the two most appealing options were self-focused (cutting back or quitting with their own efforts) while the most unappealing treatment options were those that involved advice and support from external parties (outpatient treatment, inpatient treatment, and seeking advice from a healthcare professional).

In this context, it would be helpful to target this at-risk segment with information and case studies about all treatment options so as to prompt them to view externally supported treatment programs as more mainstream options that are also available to them.

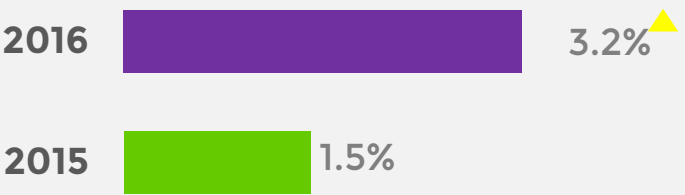
<sup>1</sup> Note that the low total sample sizes of Ice and Amphetamine Trialers (N=72) and Previous/Current Users of Ice and Amphetamines (ie beyond mere trial, N=45) means that statistical insights are directional only.

# INCIDENCE RATE OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES TRIALLERS AND CURRENT USERS

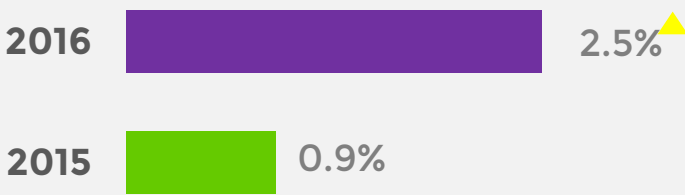
Incidence Rate Of Ice And Amphetamines Triallers



Incidence Rate Of People Who Were Or Are Currently Dependent On These Drugs



Incidence Rate Of Current Users



Total Sample: 2016 N=1,053, 2015 n=1,000.  
B2./B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?  
C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines.  
C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines?

# TRIALLERS WERE NOT A MARGINALISED POPULATION SEGMENT<sup>1</sup>

## Demographic Profile Of Ice and Amphetamine Triallers Compared To General Population

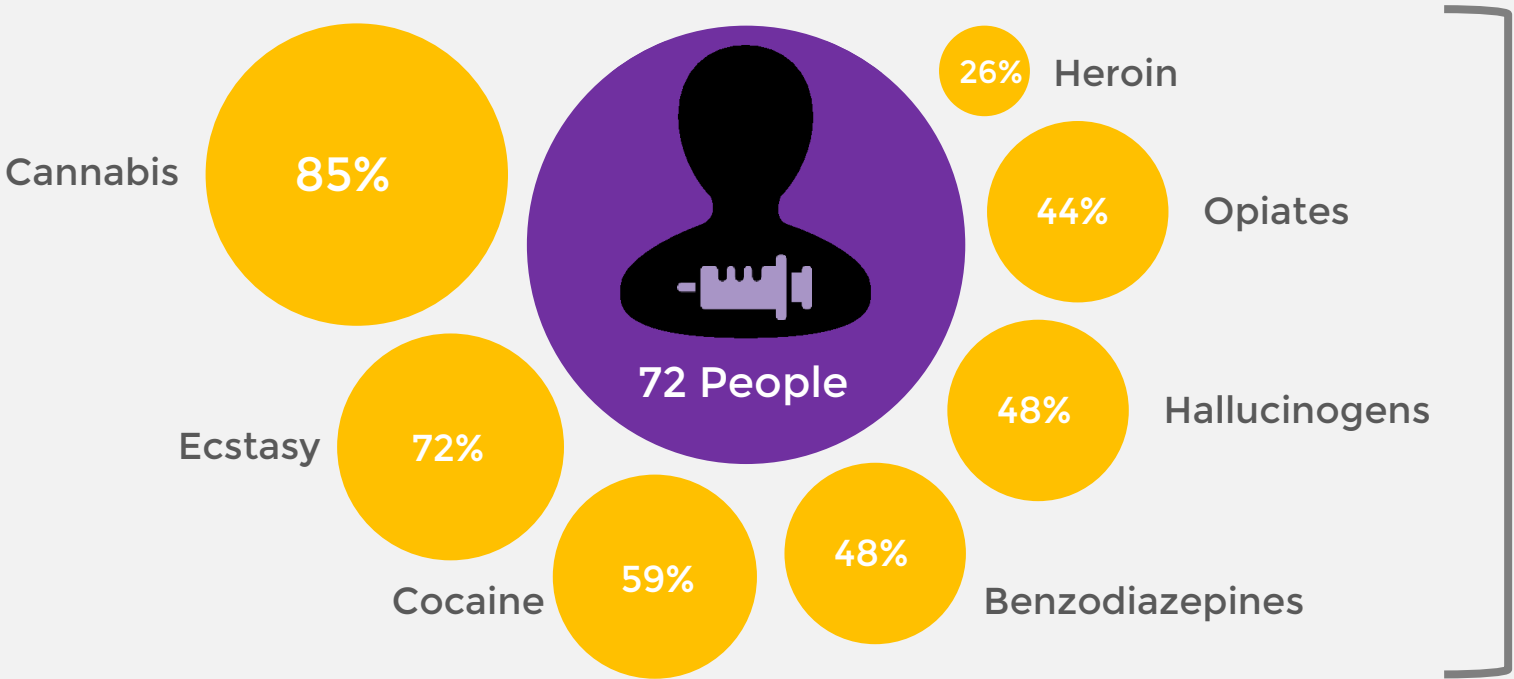
	Total	Triallers <sup>1</sup>
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>72</b>
Male	48%	47%
Female	52%	53%
Generation Y/Z (18-35)	31%	38%
Generation X (36-50)	27%	44%
Baby Boomers (51-69)	33%	16%
Pre Boomers (70+)	9%	1%
Parenthood Status By Age Of Oldest Child		
No children	40%	56%
0-4	4%	3%
5-12	10%	12%
13-17	10%	9%
18-24	8%	10%
25+	28%	10%

	Total	Triallers <sup>1</sup>
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>72</b>
Metro	62%	63%
Regional	38%	37%
NSW	33%	23%
VIC	24%	27%
QLD	18%	21%
SA	9%	12%
WA	11%	8%
Other States	6%	9%

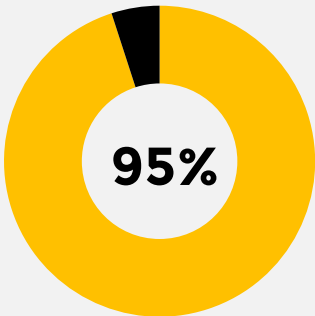
<sup>1</sup> Note that this data should be read directionally only due to limited sample size.

# GATEWAY DRUG ISSUES: DRUG TRIAL PATTERNS AMONGST ICE OR AMPHETAMINE TRIALLERS<sup>1</sup>

Illicit Drug Trial Patterns Amongst Ice Or Amphetamine Triallers<sup>1</sup>



% Ice or Amphetamine Triallers Who Have Trialed 1+ Other Illicit Drugs (NET)

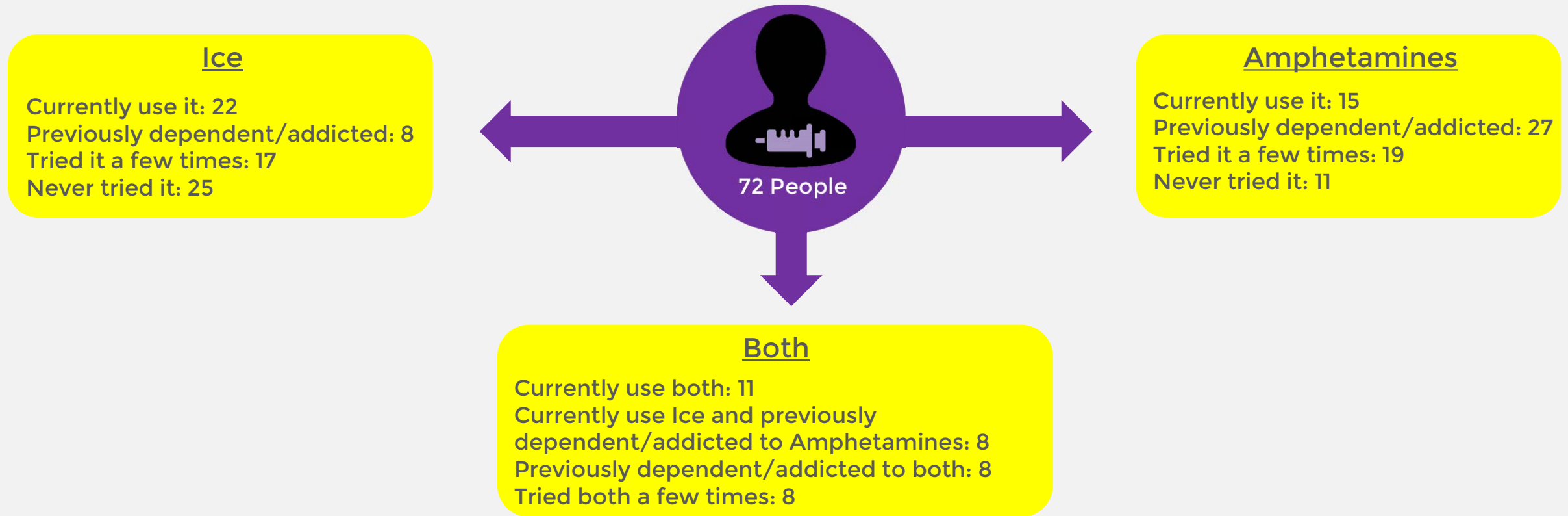


Average Number of Other Illicit Drugs Also Trialed: 3.8 (Seven Drugs Tested)

<sup>1</sup> Note that this data should be read directionally only due to limited sample size.  
Ice or Amphetamine Triallers N=72.  
B5. Have you ever tried any of these illicitly? C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines?

# CURRENT AND PREVIOUS USERS OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES<sup>1</sup>

## Ice and Amphetamine Trialers Usage Patterns<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Note that this data should be read directionally only due to limited sample size.  
Ice or Amphetamine Trialers N=72.

C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines?

# USER TREATMENT TAKE-UP<sup>1</sup>

## Ice and Amphetamine User Treatment Take-Up<sup>1</sup>

Counts	Total	Current Users	Past Users
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>Support/advice from family</b>			
- Doing so now/did so in past	18	10	8
- Would consider it/again	10	8	2
- Would never consider it	18	8	10
<b>Advice from HCP professional</b>			
- Doing so now/did so in past	14	8	6
- Would consider it/again	12	10	2
- Would never consider it	19	8	11
<b>Outpatient treatment</b>			
- Doing so now/did so in past	6	2	4
- Would consider it/again	14	13	1
- Would never consider it	25	11	14

Counts	Total	Current Users	Past Users
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>Inpatient treatment</b>			
- Doing so now/did so in past	8	3	5
- Would consider it/again	12	11	1
- Would never consider it	25	12	13
<b>Cutting back with own efforts</b>			
- Doing so now/did so in past	34	19	15
- Would consider it/again	7	6	1
- Would never consider it	7	3	4
<b>Quitting with own efforts</b>			
- Doing so now/did so in past	29	13	16
- Would consider it/again	10	10	0
- Would never consider it	6	3	3

<sup>1</sup> Note that this data should be read directionally only due to limited sample size. Users refers to people who are using or have previously used either or both Ice and Amphetamines more frequently than 'trying it just a few times'.

C3. Have you done any of the following with respect to your Ice or amphetamines usage?



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# APPENDIX/ DATA TABLES

# 1/5 GENERAL COMMUNITY ATTITUDES TO ICE

B2./B6. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements on a scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being “Strongly disagree” and 5 being “Strongly agree”.

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Ice has a greater negative impact on community than other illicit drugs													
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	10%	9%	11%	10%	11%	10%	8%	8%	10%	13%	6%	14%	12%
Neutral	22%	21%	23%	28%	23%	17%	15%	28%	33%	21%	14%	21%	15%
				C D				D F	D F				
Strongly Agree + Agree	68%	70%	66%	62%	66%	73%	77%	64%	57%	66%	80%	65%	73%
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Ice is difficult drug to buy or gain access to for mainstream community													
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	50%	47%	52%	34%	48%	63%	59%	42%	23%	48%	49%	53%	64%
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Neutral	33%	34%	32%	37%	36%	27%	30%	36%	61%	41%	27%	29%	24%
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Strongly Agree + Agree	17%	18%	16%	29%	16%	9%	11%	21%	16%	11%	24%	18%	11%
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<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/5 GENERAL COMMUNITY ATTITUDES TO ICE

B2./B6. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements on a scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being “Strongly disagree” and 5 being “Strongly agree”.

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Ice has a greater negative impact on the community than other illicit drugs												
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	10%	11%	9%	12%	9%	8%	11%	7%	16%	8%	13%	16%
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Neutral	22%	23%	20%	19%	25%	21%	24%	23%	20%	23%	21%	25%
Strongly Agree + Agree	68%	66%	71%	69%	66%	70%	65%	70%	64%	69%	66%	59%
Ice is a difficult drug to buy or gain access to for the mainstream community												
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	50%	45%	57%	48%	51%	53%	57%	42%	43%	44%	63%	59%
			A								A	A
Neutral	33%	35%	30%	34%	33%	34%	24%	34%	39%	39%	20%	26%
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Strongly Agree + Agree	17%	20%	12%	18%	16%	13%	19%	24%	17%	18%	17%	15%
		B										
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# 3/5 GENERAL COMMUNITY ATTITUDES TO ICE

B2./B6. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements on a scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being “Strongly disagree” and 5 being “Strongly agree”.

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
I think that the government is overreacting or scaremongering with its current focus on Ice													
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	73%	73%	74%	57%	72%	87%	84%	65%	63%	69%	78%	73%	86%
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Neutral	16%	16%	16%	24%	18%	8%	12%	22%	23%	19%	12%	18%	7%
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Strongly Agree + Agree	11%	11%	10%	18%	10%	5%	4%	13%	14%	12%	10%	9%	6%
				B C D	C			F					
I know all that I need to about Ice and its possible impact on me, my loved ones and the community in general													
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	31%	29%	32%	26%	31%	35%	31%	28%	29%	38%	30%	30%	33%
Neutral	24%	25%	24%	25%	23%	24%	29%	25%	27%	19%	19%	26%	26%
Strongly Agree + Agree	45%	46%	44%	49%	46%	41%	40%	46%	44%	43%	51%	44%	42%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 4/5 GENERAL COMMUNITY ATTITUDES TO ICE

B2./B6. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements on a scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being “Strongly disagree” and 5 being “Strongly agree”.

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
I think that the government is overreacting or scaremongering with its current focus on Ice												
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	73%	70%	78%	72%	73%	81%	70%	75%	63%	74%	72%	55%
			A							C		
Neutral	16%	17%	14%	17%	16%	12%	20%	16%	21%	17%	15%	18%
Strongly Agree + Agree	11%	12%	7%	11%	11%	7%	10%	9%	16%	9%	13%	27%
		B									A	A B
I know all that I need to about Ice and its possible impact on me, my loved ones and the community in general												
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	31%	30%	32%	32%	32%	32%	33%	28%	18%	33%	26%	25%
										B		
Neutral	24%	25%	23%	23%	28%	23%	20%	24%	30%	26%	20%	17%
Strongly Agree + Agree	45%	45%	44%	45%	40%	45%	47%	47%	52%	40%	54%	58%
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<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 5/5 GENERAL COMMUNITY ATTITUDES TO ICE

B2./B6. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements on a scale of 1 to 5 with 1 being “Strongly disagree” and 5 being “Strongly agree”.

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
I know how Ice differs from other drugs and their different levels of addictiveness													
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	26%	24%	27%	24%	24%	29%	23%	28%	17%	24%	26%	23%	25%
Neutral	27%	27%	27%	29%	28%	23%	32%	28%	30%	30%	26%	23%	25%
Strongly Agree + Agree	48%	49%	46%	47%	48%	49%	44%	45%	53%	46%	49%	54%	50%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
I know how Ice differs from other drugs and their different levels of addictiveness	26%	27%	23%	30%	26%	23%	23%	24%	16%	30%	16%	16%
Strongly Disagree + Disagree										<b>B C</b>		
Neutral	27%	28%	25%	26%	29%	26%	20%	31%	29%	31%	17%	15%
Strongly Agree + Agree	48%	45%	52%	45%	45%	51%	56%	45%	56%	39%	67%	69%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 1/4 IN/DIRECT IMPACT OF ICE AND OTHER ILLICIT DRUGS

## B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
I feel Ice addicts are a danger to the community	57%	58%	56%	53%	54%	63%	60%	53%	54%	50%	59%	63%	64%
						A							
I am worried about my children being offered illicit drugs or being with others who are using them	30%	31%	28%	22%	40%	30%	22%	10%	36%	52%	64%	55%	28%
					A C D	A			A	A F	A B F	A F	A
I have seen the destruction first hand of Ice in my community	21%	22%	21%	22%	24%	20%	16%	21%	17%	17%	30%	23%	21%
Someone close to me was or is currently dependent on or addicted to Ice or amphetamines	17%	15%	18%	19%	20%	15%	7%	16%	17%	14%	25%	22%	14%
				D	D								
I have been the victim of physical or verbal abuse from someone under the influence of illicit drugs	16%	17%	14%	16%	18%	15%	9%	16%	15%	20%	16%	13%	14%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/4 IN/DIRECT IMPACT OF ICE AND OTHER ILLICIT DRUGS

## B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
I have been the victim of theft or burglary by people who I believe used the proceeds to buy illicit drugs	13%	14%	13%	13%	14%	14%	9%	13%	13%	17%	13%	11%	13%
I have been offered or had the opportunity to use Ice or amphetamines	13%	13%	13%	19%	19%	4%	2%	16%	19%	14%	18%	11%	5%
				C D	C D			F	F	F	F		
I would know where to access Ice or amphetamines if I were interested in buying some	10%	9%	11%	14%	12%	6%	3%	12%	4%	12%	11%	12%	6%
				C D	C D								
Other ways me and my loved ones have been affected by illicit drugs	9%	8%	10%	7%	7%	13%	12%	11%	6%	6%	3%	4%	13%
													D
I was or am currently dependent on or addicted to Ice or amphetamines	3%	4%	3%	7%	4%	0%	0%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	2%
				C D	C								
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 3/4 IN/DIRECT IMPACT OF ICE AND OTHER ILLICIT DRUGS

B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
I feel Ice addicts are a danger to the community	57%	54%	63%	53%	58%	61%	62%	55%	61%	53%	65%	56%
			A								A	
I am worried about my children being offered illicit drugs or being with others who are using them	30%	29%	31%	31%	27%	27%	32%	31%	37%	26%	37%	28%
											A	
I have seen the destruction first hand of Ice in my community.	21%	19%	26%	15%	27%	28%	22%	15%	26%	10%	44%	49%
			A		A	A					A	A
Someone close to me was or is currently dependent on or addicted to Ice or amphetamines	17%	16%	17%	11%	18%	17%	23%	23%	23%	4%	42%	55%
					A		A	A	A		A	A
I have been the victim of physical or verbal abuse from someone under the influence of illicit drugs	16%	15%	16%	14%	14%	14%	22%	16%	21%	9%	28%	38%
											A	A B
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 4/4 IN/DIRECT IMPACT OF ICE AND OTHER ILLICIT DRUGS

## B6. Which of the following are applicable to you?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
I have been the victim of theft or burglary by people who I believe used the proceeds to buy illicit drugs	13%	12%	15%	14%	13%	11%	10%	13%	21%	8%	22%	31%
											A	A
I have been offered or had the opportunity to use Ice or amphetamines	13%	12%	13%	9%	15%	13%	17%	10%	19%	3%	32%	61%
											A	A
I would know where to access Ice or amphetamines if I were interested in buying some	10%	10%	10%	7%	12%	11%	14%	8%	14%	3%	24%	37%
											A	A
Other ways me and my loved ones have been affected by illicit drugs	9%	10%	9%	7%	13%	7%	13%	11%	5%	6%	17%	22%
											A	A
I was or am currently dependent on or addicted to Ice or amphetamines	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	8%	28%
											A	A B
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 1/2 PERCEIVED ANTI-SOCIAL IMPACT OF ILLICIT DRUGS BY FIRST RANK

B3. Please rank the following drugs in order of their ability to trigger dangerous and destructive behaviour. [RANKED FIRST % IN TABLE]

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
SAMPLE	1053	501	552	347	282	323	101	426	48	109	106	79	285
Ice or amphetamines	65%	61%	68%	51%	63%	76%	74%	60%	55%	59%	64%	67%	75%
			A		A	A B	A						A B C
Alcohol	11%	11%	11%	12%	14%	8%	8%	12%	9%	12%	11%	14%	9%
Heroin	8%	10%	6%	12%	7%	5%	7%	10%	10%	10%	5%	4%	6%
		B		C									
Hallucinogens	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	3%	3%	6%	8%	4%	8%	2%
Cocaine	3%	4%	3%	5%	4%	1%	1%	3%	9%	3%	5%	4%	1%
				C									
Ecstasy	3%	3%	2%	6%	1%	1%	1%	4%	6%	1%	5%	1%	0%
				B C D				F	F		F		
Cannabis	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	1%
Nicotine	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%
Opiates	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	0%	1%
Benzodiazepines	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

# 2/2 PERCEIVED ANTI-SOCIAL IMPACT OF ILLICIT DRUGS BY FIRST RANK

B3. Please rank the following drugs in order of their ability to trigger dangerous and destructive behaviour. [RANKED FIRST % SHOWN IN TABLE]

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
SAMPLE	1053	656	397	318	259	210	94	116	56	703	333	72
Ice or amphetamines	65%	62%	69%	60%	67%	72%	69%	63%	61%	65%	66%	53%
			A									
Alcohol	11%	10%	12%	11%	9%	12%	10%	15%	14%	9%	13%	29%
												A B
Heroin	8%	10%	5%	10%	8%	7%	7%	8%	5%	9%	7%	5%
		B										
Hallucinogens	4%	4%	4%	6%	2%	3%	2%	4%	7%	5%	3%	3%
Cocaine	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	4%	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%
Ecstasy	3%	4%	1%	3%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	4%
		B										B
Cannabis	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	0%	1%	4%	2%	2%	0%
Nicotine	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	4%	2%	2%	2%
Opiates	1%	2%	0%	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	3%
		B										B
Benzodiazepines	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 1/3 PROPENSITY TO BECOME ADDICTED FROM ONE HIT

B4. Do you believe that any of the following drugs could lead to addiction from using it just one single time?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Ice or amphetamines	74%	72%	76%	69%	73%	79%	80%	74%	70%	74%	75%	75%	76%
						A							
Heroin	66%	65%	67%	67%	66%	67%	60%	69%	62%	71%	67%	65%	61%
Cocaine	58%	55%	60%	63%	52%	60%	48%	62%	57%	57%	59%	57%	51%
				B D									
Ecstasy	47%	47%	47%	47%	37%	53%	50%	50%	47%	43%	44%	42%	47%
				B		B	B						
Hallucinogens	44%	40%	47%	43%	37%	50%	44%	45%	47%	37%	45%	48%	41%
			A			B							
Nicotine	31%	29%	33%	39%	31%	27%	22%	35%	53%	29%	32%	22%	26%
				C D				E F	A C D E F				
Cannabis	31%	30%	32%	38%	26%	30%	26%	35%	32%	33%	28%	27%	26%
				B									
Opiates	27%	25%	29%	31%	25%	27%	25%	30%	38%	27%	28%	26%	22%
Alcohol	26%	24%	27%	35%	22%	21%	21%	29%	43%	27%	23%	21%	20%
				B C D				F	D E F				
Benzodiazepines	24%	21%	26%	29%	23%	21%	17%	28%	41%	25%	24%	22%	15%
			A					F	F				
I don't think a single use of any of these drugs could lead to addiction	17%	16%	17%	16%	19%	16%	17%	17%	18%	13%	11%	20%	18%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

# 2/3 PROPENSITY TO BECOME ADDICTED FROM ONE HIT

B4. Do you believe that any of the following drugs could lead to addiction from using it just one single time?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
SAMPLE	1053	656	397	318	259	210	94	116	56	703	333	72
Ice or Amphetamines	74%	72%	78%	74%	75%	75%	74%	75%	70%	76%	72%	51%
			A							C		
Heroin	66%	65%	69%	62%	66%	67%	71%	68%	77%	67%	65%	51%
										C		
Cocaine	58%	56%	60%	51%	60%	61%	57%	64%	61%	59%	54%	37%
										C		
Ecstasy	47%	44%	50%	44%	46%	50%	48%	47%	52%	50%	40%	29%
										B C		
Hallucinogens	44%	42%	47%	42%	45%	46%	41%	45%	48%	47%	38%	25%
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 3/3 PROPENSITY TO BECOME ADDICTED FROM ONE HIT

B4. Do you believe that any of the following drugs could lead to addiction from using it just one single time?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
SAMPLE	1053	656	397	318	259	210	94	116	56	703	333	72
Nicotine	31%	29%	36%	30%	28%	37%	27%	31%	41%	31%	33%	28%
			A									
Cannabis	31%	29%	35%	30%	33%	30%	24%	36%	34%	32%	29%	26%
			A									
Opiates	27%	25%	31%	26%	25%	30%	27%	29%	33%	26%	30%	26%
			A									
Alcohol	26%	25%	27%	29%	23%	25%	17%	30%	26%	24%	28%	29%
Benzodiazepines	24%	23%	25%	23%	24%	23%	23%	24%	31%	24%	25%	25%
I don't think a single use of any of these drugs could lead to addiction	17%	18%	14%	17%	16%	19%	16%	15%	16%	16%	17%	38%
												A
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 1/4 ILLICIT DRUG TRIALLING ACROSS THE COMMUNITY

## B5. Have you ever tried any of these drugs illicitly?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
ANY ILLICIT DRUGS (NET)	40%	41%	39%	41%	44%	39%	24%	37%	40%	45%	46%	46%	37%
				D	D	D							
Alcohol	51%	53%	49%	48%	57%	50%	43%	46%	53%	54%	56%	61%	50%
Nicotine	34%	35%	34%	28%	43%	36%	23%	29%	36%	42%	42%	41%	35%
					A D	A D							
Cannabis	32%	33%	31%	31%	37%	32%	17%	30%	33%	36%	37%	38%	28%
				D	D	D							
Ecstasy	10%	9%	11%	16%	15%	3%	1%	10%	19%	15%	14%	14%	4%
				C D	C D			F	F	F	F	F	
Opiates	12%	11%	12%	11%	13%	11%	11%	11%	15%	10%	14%	14%	12%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/4 ILLICIT DRUG TRIALLING ACROSS THE COMMUNITY

## B5. Have you ever tried any of these drugs illicitly?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Benzodiazepines	10%	8%	13%	12%	13%	8%	7%	11%	8%	11%	9%	10%	10%
			A										
Cocaine	8%	9%	8%	11%	12%	4%	1%	7%	13%	12%	10%	9%	6%
				C D	C D								
Hallucinogens	9%	10%	7%	9%	12%	7%	2%	8%	17%	9%	9%	11%	7%
					D								
Ice or amphetamines	6%	6%	6%	8%	10%	2%	1%	7%	7%	8%	6%	10%	3%
				C D	C D								
Heroin	3%	4%	3%	4%	5%	1%	1%	4%	2%	5%	3%	5%	2%
					C								
I would rather not answer	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	0%	3%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%
I haven't tried any of these drugs	35%	33%	37%	38%	28%	36%	49%	40%	33%	30%	33%	26%	35%
				B			B C						
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

# 3/4 ILLICIT DRUG TRIALLING ACROSS THE COMMUNITY

B5. Have you ever tried any of these drugs illicitly?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
SAMPLE	1053	656	397	318	259	210	94	116	56	703	333	72
ANY ILLICIT DRUGS (NET)	40%	37%	44%	35%	38%	43%	56%	37%	41%	29%	60%	95%
			A				A B E				A	A B
Alcohol	51%	49%	53%	46%	52%	52%	60%	50%	54%	44%	63%	84%
											A	A
Nicotine	34%	34%	36%	30%	38%	36%	44%	30%	34%	27%	49%	72%
											A	A
Cannabis	32%	30%	34%	26%	31%	37%	47%	30%	30%	22%	51%	85%
						A	A B E				A	A B
Ecstasy	10%	9%	12%	10%	8%	9%	14%	9%	16%	3%	23%	72%
											A	A B
Opiates	12%	11%	13%	11%	15%	12%	10%	8%	12%	8%	19%	44%
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 4/4 ILLICIT DRUG TRIALLING ACROSS THE COMMUNITY

## B5. Have you ever tried any of these drugs illicitly?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Benzodiazepines	10%	11%	10%	11%	11%	9%	16%	5%	12%	7%	18%	48%
											A	A B
Cocaine	8%	8%	9%	9%	9%	7%	8%	6%	9%	2%	19%	59%
											A	A B
Hallucinogens	9%	8%	9%	7%	8%	10%	12%	9%	11%	3%	18%	48%
											A	A B
Ice or amphetamines	6%	5%	7%	5%	6%	5%	9%	4%	11%	0%	16%	72%
											A	A B
Heroin	3%	4%	3%	5%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	7%	26%
											A	A B
I would rather not answer	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	4%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%
I haven't tried any of these drugs	35%	37%	32%	39%	33%	34%	27%	36%	33%	44%	19%	3%
										B C		
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# AVERAGE NUMBER OF ILLICIT DRUG TRIALLING

B5. Have you ever tried any of these drugs illicitly? [AVERAGE ILLICIT DRUGS TRIALLED]

Average	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
SAMPLE	1053	501	552	347	282	323	101	426	48	109	106	79	285
Average Illicit Drugs Trialled	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.7	0.4	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.7
				C D	C D	D							
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

Average	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
SAMPLE	1053	656	397	318	259	210	94	116	56	703	333	72
Average Illicit Drugs Trialled	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.5	1.6	3.8
											A	A B
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 1/4 EXPOSURE TO ICE INFORMATION IN PAST TWELVE MONTHS

B8. In the past twelve months, do you recall coming into contact with information from any of the following sources about the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
SAMPLE	1053	501	552	347	282	323	101	426	48	109	106	79	285
News media	49%	51%	47%	39%	43%	59%	64%	48%	34%	35%	43%	50%	60%
						A B	A B						A B C D
Government or community drug education advertisements and brochures	27%	26%	28%	28%	23%	28%	29%	28%	21%	24%	31%	24%	27%
Social media	22%	20%	25%	34%	20%	16%	12%	24%	34%	25%	26%	34%	13%
				B C D				F	F	F	F	F	
Government or community anti-drug websites	14%	13%	15%	19%	13%	10%	11%	17%	17%	11%	14%	13%	11%
				C									
Friends	13%	12%	13%	17%	11%	12%	9%	13%	17%	13%	16%	9%	12%
People you know who have tried or use Ice or other illicit drugs	11%	8%	14%	13%	13%	9%	5%	12%	11%	11%	11%	11%	10%
			A										
Personal experience	10%	9%	11%	14%	12%	8%	1%	12%	17%	9%	5%	14%	7%
				C D	D	D							
Online research	10%	9%	10%	14%	9%	8%	6%	11%	6%	10%	9%	16%	7%
Family	8%	7%	9%	10%	8%	7%	3%	8%	13%	9%	10%	6%	7%
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

# 2/4 EXPOSURE TO ICE INFORMATION IN PAST TWELVE MONTHS

B8. In the past twelve months, do you recall coming into contact with information from any of the following sources about the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
SAMPLE	1053	501	552	347	282	323	101	426	48	109	106	79	285
Medical/mental health professional	7%	7%	6%	9%	6%	7%	4%	7%	8%	6%	11%	4%	6%
School drug education programs	6%	5%	7%	11%	5%	3%	2%	7%	11%	7%	6%	7%	2%
				B C D				F	F				
Pharmacist	4%	5%	4%	7%	4%	2%	4%	4%	7%	5%	6%	6%	3%
				C									
Community help line or social worker	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	1%	3%	0%	4%	3%	1%	3%
Other not listed above	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%	3%	0%	1%	3%	3%	2%
I didn't come across any information about the dangers and impact of Ice from any source in the past twelve months	27%	26%	29%	28%	29%	26%	22%	32%	35%	34%	16%	18%	23%
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

# 3/4 EXPOSURE TO ICE INFORMATION IN PAST TWELVE MONTHS

**B8. In the past twelve months, do you recall coming into contact with information from any of the following sources about the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia?**

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
News media	49%	49%	48%	44%	53%	52%	49%	50%	52%	46%	57%	48%
											A C	
Government or community drug education advertisements and brochures	27%	28%	25%	24%	27%	29%	24%	33%	32%	24%	34%	34%
											A	
Social media	22%	23%	22%	17%	24%	26%	18%	27%	36%	18%	33%	25%
									A		A C	
Government or community anti-drug websites	14%	15%	12%	11%	13%	16%	16%	19%	12%	10%	23%	25%
											A	A
Friends	13%	13%	12%	10%	15%	13%	16%	13%	16%	6%	28%	28%
											A	A
People you know who have tried or use Ice or other illicit drugs	11%	11%	11%	8%	14%	11%	13%	10%	12%	2%	30%	43%
											A	A
Personal experience	10%	9%	11%	9%	14%	8%	10%	9%	9%	2%	26%	39%
											A	A
Online research	10%	11%	8%	8%	10%	10%	12%	11%	12%	6%	17%	18%
											A	A
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 4/4 EXPOSURE TO ICE INFORMATION IN PAST TWELVE MONTHS

B8. In the past twelve months, do you recall coming into contact with information from any of the following sources about the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
SAMPLE	1053	656	397	318	259	210	94	116	56	703	333	72
Family	8%	8%	8%	5%	10%	10%	5%	7%	16%	3%	18%	21%
											A	A
Medical/mental health professional	7%	7%	6%	4%	10%	7%	5%	7%	11%	3%	15%	12%
											A	A
School drug education programs	6%	7%	5%	6%	5%	5%	8%	5%	11%	5%	8%	7%
Pharmacist	4%	6%	2%	4%	6%	3%	6%	5%	4%	2%	9%	8%
		B									A	A
Community help line or social worker	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	6%	3%	3%	1%	7%	12%
											A	A
Other not listed above	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%
I didn't come across any information about the dangers and impact of Ice from any source in the past twelve months	27%	28%	27%	31%	25%	23%	27%	27%	29%	35%	9%	16%
										B C		B
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 1/2 ICE INFORMATION SOURCE RANKED FIRST BY VALUE

**B9. Please rank the sources below in order of how much information or insight they gave you into the topic of the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia.**

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
News media	62%	67%	58%	44%	63%	71%	68%	54%	63%	60%	60%	67%	71%
		<b>B</b>			<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>
Personal experience	51%	49%	53%	49%	54%	48%	100%	46%	47%	39%	61%	64%	59%
Government or community drug education advertisements and brochures	46%	44%	47%	51%	35%	47%	49%	48%	39%	44%	40%	41%	48%
People you know who have tried or use Ice or other illicit drugs	37%	40%	36%	27%	43%	38%	82%	26%	21%	42%	75%	11%	51%
											<b>A</b>		
Pharmacist	30%	37%	20%	30%	36%	12%	52%	22%	0%	40%	50%	38%	33%
Medical/mental health professional	30%	34%	25%	27%	37%	29%	27%	24%	76%	0%	59%	35%	19%
Online research	24%	20%	27%	21%	43%	16%	0%	23%	32%	37%	31%	30%	10%
Social media	22%	23%	22%	23%	25%	13%	43%	17%	17%	36%	30%	35%	13%
School drug education programs	22%	25%	20%	30%	22%	0%	0%	26%	42%	23%	0%	16%	14%
Community help line/social worker	20%	24%	17%	26%	14%	0%	100%	30%		0%	34%	0%	12%
Government or community anti-drug websites	20%	25%	15%	25%	16%	20%	0%	23%	25%	17%	12%	18%	17%
Friends	19%	23%	17%	24%	22%	11%	23%	14%	14%	33%	34%	13%	18%
Family	19%	26%	14%	8%	40%	13%	32%	16%	0%	42%	45%	0%	11%
					<b>A</b>								
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/2 ICE INFORMATION SOURCE RANKED FIRST BY VALUE

**B9. Please rank the sources below in order of how much information or insight they gave you into the topic of the dangers and impact of Ice in Australia.**

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
News media	62%	62%	63%	64%	66%	60%	68%	51%	52%	72%	48%	27%
										B C	C	
Personal experience	51%	52%	50%	55%	50%	57%	51%	40%	39%	40%	52%	63%
Government or community drug education advertisements and brochures	46%	46%	45%	47%	40%	50%	40%	60%	27%	55%	31%	39%
										B		
People you know who have tried or use Ice or other illicit drugs	37%	33%	45%	44%	31%	40%	23%	46%	43%	33%	38%	27%
Pharmacist	30%	29%	32%	49%	13%	17%	33%	49%	0%	47%	24%	0%
Medical/mental health professional	30%	28%	33%	38%	36%	20%	20%	12%	35%	49%	22%	0%
										B C		
Online research	24%	18%	36%	26%	20%	26%	36%	15%	16%	31%	17%	24%
			A									
Social media	22%	23%	21%	33%	11%	26%	12%	18%	30%	27%	16%	10%
School drug education programs	22%	18%	31%	20%	28%	0%	37%	16%	33%	26%	17%	0%
Community help line or social worker	20%	24%	11%	27%	0%	23%	34%	24%	0%	57%	9%	10%
Government/community anti-drug websites	20%	20%	19%	22%	9%	38%	0%	22%	14%	21%	18%	16%
						B D						
Friends	19%	19%	20%	24%	25%	4%	27%	26%	0%	33%	14%	9%
										B		
Family	19%	17%	23%	24%	8%	28%	0%	13%	33%	21%	17%	27%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# COMMUNITY POLICY: TREATMENT, LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EDUCATION

F1. Imagine you had \$100. How would you allocate this amount with the goal of reducing Ice or amphetamines use across education, treatment and law enforcement?

Average \$	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
SAMPLE	1053	501	552	347	282	323	101	426	48	109	106	79	285
Education	37	38	37	39	37	34	39	37	37	40	39	35	37
				C									
Law enforcement	31	34	29	28	30	35	33	29	32	31	35	32	33
		B				A							
Treatment	32	29	35	33	33	31	29	35	31	30	27	33	30
			A					D					
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

Average \$	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
SAMPLE	1053	656	397	318	259	210	94	116	56	703	333	72
Education	37	37	37	37	35	38	39	38	39	37	38	37
Law enforcement	31	31	32	31	33	32	27	30	30	33	26	19
										B C		
Treatment	32	32	31	32	32	29	34	33	31	30	36	43
											A	A
SIG COLUMNS		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# WHERE DO ADDICTS BELONG?

## F2. Where do you think Ice addicts belong?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Rehab	70%	65%	75%	74%	70%	68%	67%	72%	71%	71%	60%	66%	71%
			<b>A</b>										
Jail	18%	22%	15%	14%	17%	22%	22%	16%	14%	17%	25%	24%	19%
		<b>B</b>											
Other	5%	5%	4%	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	9%	5%	4%	1%	5%
I don't really care	7%	8%	6%	7%	8%	6%	6%	7%	6%	7%	11%	8%	6%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Rehab	70%	72%	67%	66%	71%	69%	81%	73%	73%	69%	72%	72%
Jail	18%	17%	20%	20%	20%	17%	14%	13%	18%	19%	17%	11%
Other	5%	5%	4%	6%	4%	4%	2%	8%	2%	4%	7%	13%
												<b>A</b>
I don't really care	7%	6%	9%	8%	5%	10%	3%	6%	7%	8%	4%	4%
										<b>B</b>		
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 1/2 VIEWS ON COSTS TO COMMUNITY OF REHAB VS JAIL FOR ICE ADDICTS

F3. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statement –  
“Overall community costs of rehab programs for Ice addicts are lower than putting them in jail.”

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	20%	19%	20%	20%	14%	24%	20%	17%	27%	24%	24%	13%	21%
						B							
Agree + Strongly Agree	37%	40%	34%	35%	37%	39%	36%	39%	23%	30%	34%	39%	40%
		B											
Strongly Disagree	7%	7%	6%	5%	3%	11%	6%	6%	9%	4%	8%	2%	9%
						A B							
Disagree	13%	12%	14%	14%	11%	14%	14%	12%	18%	20%	16%	10%	12%
Neutral	43%	41%	45%	45%	48%	36%	43%	44%	50%	46%	41%	49%	39%
				C	C								
Agree	25%	29%	22%	24%	26%	26%	28%	26%	17%	25%	25%	23%	27%
		B											
Strongly Agree	12%	11%	12%	11%	11%	14%	9%	13%	6%	5%	10%	16%	13%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		A	B	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	E	F

# 2/2 VIEWS ON COSTS TO COMMUNITY OF REHAB VS JAIL FOR ICE ADDICTS

F3. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statement –  
 “Overall community costs of rehab programs for Ice addicts are lower than putting them in jail.”

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Strongly Disagree + Disagree	20%	17%	24%	21%	20%	19%	16%	15%	31%	21%	18%	17%
			A									
Agree + Strongly Agree	37%	39%	35%	37%	39%	37%	43%	36%	27%	33%	46%	57%
											A	A
Strongly Disagree	7%	6%	8%	7%	6%	8%	8%	3%	9%	7%	6%	4%
Disagree	13%	12%	16%	14%	14%	12%	9%	13%	22%	14%	12%	12%
			A									
Neutral	43%	44%	41%	43%	42%	43%	41%	48%	42%	46%	36%	27%
										B C		
Agree	25%	26%	25%	27%	22%	27%	26%	27%	20%	25%	28%	24%
Strongly Agree	12%	13%	10%	9%	16%	10%	17%	10%	8%	9%	18%	32%
											A	A
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 1/2 ICE AND AMPHETAMINE TRIALLING

C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines?

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Me	6.7%	6.6%	6.8%	8.3%	10.9%	3.3%	1.1%	9.5%	3.9%	7.5%	6.2%	8.7%	2.5%
				C D	C D			F					
Partner	5.0%	3.1%	6.7%	7.6%	7.1%	2.2%	0.0%	4.9%	1.9%	7.5%	6.6%	9.7%	2.8%
			A	C D	C D								
Parent	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	3.9%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.5%	3.9%	1.8%	3.5%	2.4%	0.0%
				C					F		F	F	
Child	3.3%	3.2%	3.4%	1.5%	2.9%	4.6%	5.8%	0.5%	4.2%	1.0%	3.8%	7.7%	6.6%
									A		A	A	A
Other family member	7.8%	5.9%	9.6%	8.9%	8.6%	7.3%	3.9%	7.6%	8.2%	8.6%	9.0%	5.0%	8.1%
			A										
Friend or colleague	17.4%	16.8%	17.9%	24.5%	21.8%	11.1%	3.1%	19.1%	21.2%	21.5%	22.0%	24.9%	9.2%
				C D	C D	D		F	F	F	F	F	
Other	6.6%	6.5%	6.6%	8.0%	6.3%	5.8%	5.2%	7.0%	2.2%	6.1%	6.5%	11.6%	5.5%
I don't know anyone at all who has tried Ice or amphetamines	67.3%	67.7%	66.9%	58.0%	63.9%	74.4%	83.0%	66.8%	64.1%	66.9%	59.2%	61.3%	73.1%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/2 ICE AND AMPHETAMINE TRIALLING

C1. Have you or anyone you know ever tried Ice or any form of amphetamines?

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Me	6.7%	6.8%	6.5%	4.6%	7.7%	7.6%	9.3%	5.1%	10.8%	0.0%	16.4%	100.0%
											A	A B
Partner	5.0%	3.8%	6.8%	4.9%	4.5%	4.8%	6.2%	4.2%	7.3%	0.0%	15.9%	40.5%
			A								A	A
Parent	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	0.6%	2.2%	1.3%	4.0%	0.8%	1.8%	0.0%	4.8%	4.1%
											A	A
Child	3.3%	3.4%	3.1%	3.1%	4.3%	2.5%	1.1%	4.4%	3.8%	0.0%	10.6%	4.5%
											A	A
Other family member	7.8%	7.9%	7.7%	4.3%	10.2%	9.0%	10.5%	9.5%	7.2%	0.0%	25.1%	19.3%
											A C	A
Friend or colleague	17.4%	17.8%	16.8%	13.5%	20.2%	18.4%	21.7%	16.2%	21.0%	0.0%	55.9%	59.5%
											A C	A
Other	6.6%	5.9%	7.7%	4.7%	9.1%	9.5%	4.2%	5.2%	3.6%	0.0%	21.1%	8.2%
											A C	A
I don't know anyone at all who has tried Ice or amphetamines	67.3%	66.9%	67.8%	74.5%	61.2%	64.8%	68.1%	66.5%	58.9%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%
				B						B C		
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 1/2 TYPE OF ICE USAGE

## C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines? [ICE]

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Non-Trialers	93.3%	93.4%	93.2%	91.7%	89.1%	96.7%	98.9%	90.5%	96.1%	92.5%	93.8%	91.3%	97.5%
						A B	A B						A
Current Users [NET]	2.1%	2.0%	2.2%	2.9%	3.6%	0.6%	0.0%	2.8%	0.0%	4.8%	1.8%	1.3%	0.7%
Previously Dependent/Addicted [NET]	0.7%	0.9%	0.5%	1.2%	1.0%	0.3%	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%	0.8%	0.9%	1.3%	0.3%
I currently use it on weekly basis or more frequently	0.9%	0.4%	1.5%	1.8%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	3.7%	1.8%	1.3%	0.0%
										F			
I currently use it at about once or twice a month	0.4%	0.2%	0.6%	0.3%	0.7%	0.3%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
I currently use every few months or so	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
I currently use it less frequently	0.6%	1.2%	0.2%	0.8%	1.1%	0.3%	0.0%	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
		B											
I don't use it now but used to be regular user	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.6%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
I don't use it now but used to be dependent or addicted user	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	0.3%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.8%	0.9%	1.3%	0.3%
I tried it no more than a few times	1.6%	1.6%	1.7%	1.5%	2.9%	0.9%	1.1%	1.9%	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%	5.0%	1.1%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/2 TYPE OF ICE USAGE

## C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines? [ICE]

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Non-Trialers	93.3%	93.2%	93.5%	95.4%	92.3%	92.4%	90.7%	94.9%	89.2%	100.0%	83.6%	0.0%
										<b>B C</b>	<b>C</b>	
Current Users [NET]	2.1%	2.1%	2.1%	1.9%	1.9%	0.4%	5.2%	1.7%	5.5%	0.0%	5.1%	31.2%
							<b>C</b>		<b>C</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
Previously Dependent/Addicted [NET]	0.7%	0.3%	1.4%	0.6%	0.4%	2.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.3%	10.7%
			<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>
I currently use ion weekly basis or more freq'y	0.9%	0.7%	1.3%	1.2%	0.7%	0.0%	2.0%	0.8%	1.7%	0.0%	2.7%	14.1%
											<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
I currently use it at about once or twice a month	0.4%	0.5%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%	0.9%	2.0%	0.0%	0.6%	5.9%
											<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
I currently use it every few months or so	0.1%	0.0%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%	0.3%	1.6%
												<b>A</b>
I currently use it less frequently	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%	0.3%	1.1%	0.4%	2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.5%	9.6%
											<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
I don't use it now but used to be regular user	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	4.0%
											<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>
I don't use it now but used to be dependent or addicted user	0.4%	0.0%	1.2%	0.3%	0.4%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.4%	6.7%
			<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>
I tried it no more than a few times	1.6%	1.4%	2.1%	2.2%	1.6%	1.0%	1.1%	0.9%	3.5%	0.0%	4.4%	24.6%
											<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 1/3 TYPE OF AMPHETAMINES USAGE

## C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines? [AMPHETAMINES]

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Non-Trialers	93.3%	93.4%	93.2%	91.7%	89.1%	96.7%	98.9%	90.5%	96.1%	92.5%	93.8%	91.3%	97.5%
						A B	A B						A
Current Users [NET]	1.4%	0.8%	2.0%	2.0%	2.1%	0.6%	0.0%	1.4%	0.0%	2.7%	2.9%	1.2%	0.7%
Previously Dependent/Addicted [NET]	2.5%	2.6%	2.3%	2.3%	5.2%	0.8%	1.1%	3.2%	0.0%	3.9%	2.6%	5.0%	0.7%
					C								
I currently use it on weekly basis or more frequently	0.3%	0.0%	0.6%	0.3%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
I currently use it at about once or twice a month	0.5%	0.2%	0.7%	1.1%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	1.0%	0.0%	0.3%
I currently use it every few months or so	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	0.0%
I currently use it less frequently	0.5%	0.4%	0.6%	0.3%	0.7%	0.6%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	0.0%	0.4%
I don't use it now but used to be regular user	1.3%	1.5%	1.2%	1.4%	2.7%	0.6%	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%	1.8%	1.7%	1.1%	0.3%
I don't use it now but used to be dependent or addicted user	1.1%	1.2%	1.1%	0.9%	2.5%	0.3%	1.1%	1.2%	0.0%	2.0%	0.9%	3.8%	0.3%
I tried it no more than a few times	1.8%	1.4%	2.1%	1.7%	2.8%	1.5%	0.0%	2.9%	2.0%	0.9%	0.0%	2.6%	1.1%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/3 TYPE OF AMPHETAMINES USAGE

## C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines? [AMPHETAMINES]

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Non-Trialers	93.3%	93.2%	93.5%	95.4%	92.3%	92.4%	90.7%	94.9%	89.2%	100.0%	83.6%	0.0%
										B C	C	
Current Users [NET]	1.4%	1.0%	2.1%	0.9%	1.1%	0.4%	4.2%	1.7%	3.6%	0.0%	3.3%	21.1%
											A	A B
Previously Dependent/Addicted [NET]	2.5%	2.2%	2.9%	2.1%	3.4%	4.8%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%	7.4%	37.1%
											A	A B
I currently use it on weekly basis or more frequently	0.3%	0.0%	0.8%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%	0.0%	1.7%	0.0%	0.9%	4.4%
			A								A	A
I currently use it at about once or twice a month	0.5%	0.7%	0.0%	0.3%	0.4%	0.0%	2.0%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	6.7%
											A	A B
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# 3/3 TYPE OF AMPHETAMINES USAGE

## C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines? [AMPHETAMINES]

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
I currently use it every few months or so	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	2.6%
												A B
I currently use it less frequently	0.5%	0.1%	1.1%	0.3%	0.4%	0.0%	1.1%	0.8%	2.0%	0.0%	1.2%	7.4%
			A								A	A B
I don't use it now but used to be regular user	1.3%	1.3%	1.4%	0.6%	1.9%	3.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.3%	20.0%
											A	A
I don't use it now but used to be dependent or addicted user	1.1%	0.9%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%	3.1%	17.1%
											A	A B
I tried it no more than a few times	1.8%	2.3%	1.0%	0.6%	2.4%	0.4%	3.1%	3.4%	5.3%	0.0%	4.0%	27.1%
									A C		A	A B
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		A	B	A	B	C	D	E	F	A	B	C

# 1/2 CURRENT USAGE OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES

## C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines? [CURRENT USERS]

Col %	Total	Gender		Generation Groups				Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child					
		Male	Female	Gen Y/Z	Gen X	Boomers	Seniors	None	0-4	5-12	13-17	18-24	25+
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>285</b>
Non Current Users	97.5%	97.8%	97.3%	96.8%	95.3%	99.4%	100.0%	96.7%	100.0%	95.2%	97.1%	97.5%	99.3%
						<b>B</b>							
Ice Only	1.0%	1.4%	0.7%	1.1%	2.6%	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%	1.3%	0.0%
					<b>C</b>								
Amphetamines Only	0.4%	0.2%	0.5%	0.3%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%	1.2%	0.0%
Both Ice and Amphetamines	1.0%	0.6%	1.5%	1.7%	1.1%	0.6%	0.0%	1.0%	0.0%	2.7%	1.8%	0.0%	0.7%
Ice and Amphetamines [NET]	2.5%	2.2%	2.7%	3.2%	4.7%	0.6%	0.0%	3.3%	0.0%	4.8%	2.9%	2.5%	0.7%
					<b>C</b>								
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>

# 2/2 CURRENT USAGE OF ICE AND AMPHETAMINES

## C2. How would you describe your use of Ice or amphetamines? [CURRENT USERS]

Col %	Total	Location		State						Know Someone Who's Tried Ice/Amphetamines		
		Metro	Reg'l	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	Other	No	Someone	Self
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>1053</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>72</b>
Non Current Users	97.5%	97.6%	97.4%	97.8%	97.0%	99.6%	94.8%	98.3%	94.5%	100.0%	93.7%	63.2%
						<b>D F</b>				<b>B C</b>	<b>C</b>	
Ice Only	1.0%	1.4%	0.6%	1.2%	1.9%	0.0%	1.1%	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%	3.0%	15.7%
											<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
Amphetamines Only	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%	0.3%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	5.6%
											<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>
Both Ice and Amphetamines	1.0%	0.7%	1.6%	0.6%	0.0%	0.4%	4.2%	1.7%	3.6%	0.0%	2.1%	15.5%
							<b>B</b>		<b>B</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
Ice and Amphetamines [NET]	2.5%	2.4%	2.6%	2.2%	3.0%	0.4%	5.2%	1.7%	5.5%	0.0%	6.3%	36.8%
							<b>C</b>		<b>C</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>A B</b>
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

# RISK POSED BY DIFFERENT DRUGS TO CHILDREN 5+ (GREAT RISK %)

D1./E1. Please indicate how much risk you believe the following substances pose, if any, to your children (your child aged 18-24). [GREAT RISK % ON 4 POINT SCALE FROM NO RISK AT ALL TO GREAT RISK SHOWN]

Col %	Total	Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child (Children aged 18-24 Not Necessarily Youngest)			
		5-12	13-17	25+	18-24
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>107</b>
Ice and Amphetamines	42%	46%	52%	41%	29%
		E	E	E	
Heroin	34%	33%	48%	34%	19%
		E	B D E	E	
Cocaine	30%	34%	39%	28%	20%
			E		
Hallucinogens	29%	27%	39%	28%	22%
			E		
Ecstasy	28%	29%	38%	26%	24%
Alcohol	25%	27%	32%	22%	23%
Tobacco	24%	22%	30%	25%	18%
Cannabis	21%	21%	29%	19%	19%
Prescription drugs	13%	18%	18%	10%	12%
Other Illicit Drugs	25%	29%	31%	23%	19%
<b>SIG COLUMNS</b>		<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>

# PARENT ESTIMATES OF DRUG TRIAL BY CHILD

D2./E2. D2. Do you think that your child may have tried any of the following substances? Please select those you believe they might experimented with.

Col %	Total	Parenthood By Age Of Youngest Child (Children aged 18-24 Not Necessarily Youngest)			
		5-12	13-17	25+	18-24
<b>SAMPLE</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>107</b>
All Illicit Drugs [NET]	38%	9%	28%	50%	46%
			<b>B</b>	<b>B C</b>	<b>B C</b>
Alcohol	46%	7%	34%	58%	66%
			<b>B</b>	<b>B C</b>	<b>B C</b>
Tobacco	34%	9%	22%	48%	37%
			<b>B</b>	<b>B C</b>	<b>B C</b>
Cannabis	30%	5%	18%	42%	36%
			<b>B</b>	<b>B C</b>	<b>B C</b>
Prescription drugs	9%	3%	7%	9%	15%
					<b>B</b>
Ecstasy	9%	3%	5%	12%	11%
				<b>B</b>	
Ice and Amphetamines	6%	2%	2%	7%	10%
Hallucinogens	4%	1%	3%	6%	5%
Cocaine	3%	1%	2%	4%	2%
Heroin	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%
Other Drugs	2%	0%	3%	2%	2%
Never tried any of these drugs	42%	83%	51%	28%	25%
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# 1/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

Have seen stories  
Police and news reports  
Highly addictive which also causes violent behaviour and criminal activities.  
Character is out of control.  
They have no self control  
I think they lose control in a bad way.  
They are unpredictable and lash out at people. They are also known to steal to support their habits  
Because it's highly addictive.... I've seen families torn apart..... It can cause dangerous behaviour  
Taking this drug can make them become violent. Also, once addicted they will do anything to obtain the drug, including theft.  
Very horrible drug  
Heard so much in the news about it  
Break and enters paranoid  
Theft, reckless driving  
They seem to have no control on what they say or do and can be extremely violent. They seem to have no fear of self-harm. Hence, they'll do what they like when under the influence.  
Dependency on ice creates need to acquire the drug at any cost.  
Its bad for life cause it ruins your money and health  
Because the police focus on marijuana in my community instead of going after the ice  
They create a society where young individuals are turned into drug addicts and unemployed youths.  
Have seen it on tv they go crazy  
Lead to bad behaviours  
Bad behaviour , they do not know what they are doing , they are desperate for money  
I just feel that they are destructive  
Bad behaviour  
They go mental and lose control  
Unexpected behaviour

Angry,dishonest,very violent and armed robbery to get a fix  
Ice addicts is danger  
It takes over your brain ,makes you go mad  
It doesn't matter where you go now, you always see someone looking rough, dirty, acting out in very strange ways. Its obvious they are affected by drugs. In areas where there is housing commission, the problem is even more evident. They are dirty, violent and trash their homes. You always see police coming or leaving these areas  
Destructive behaviour, leading to crime  
The violence,  
It is particularly addictive, often results in violent behaviour and the addiction is difficult to cure. Notices in hospitals and public offices warning of violent behaviour is also an indication of the growing problem of ice addiction. However Australia's main problem is and always was ALCOHOL but because of vested interests, little effective measures are taken against its overuse. More effective measures have been taken again nicotine but the government's dependence of taxes on alcohol, tobacco and gambling has turned it into an addicted organisation too. This way you can have high taxation on the entire community without people realising that they are being taxed. Realistic tax rates and pursuit of corporate tax dodgers and overseas tax havens would be more effective and more honest.  
From the little I know, it affects their mind and they can become aggressive and behave dangerously  
They need it to function, increased crime by allowing more drug dealers  
They become very strong and irrational  
They aren't in control  
I feel that this drug changes the mind set of people and can set them off to be very violent when they lose control. I have seen this a couple of times  
Because the drug would have an affect on their behaviour/ make them desperate for money for more drugs - burglarise/ mug etc. (Not an issue I see specifically in my community, but could be a potential issue if their are addicts around)  
Those that use it become very violent, aggressive , abusive while coming down from a high , they have no concentration , if they were to drive they could end up killing someone.  
They are unpredictable in behaviour, irrational in their thinking and perceptions of situations around them. Aggressive  
Theft rates go up  
They are not in control of themselves anymore  
To keep there habit they are willing to do anything to get the money to pay for it  
They steal, they are selfish and only think about their own benefit, they deal drugs into the communities.  
Just what I have seen advertised. Users become violent and have no regard for anyone even family member sand especially law enforcement people  
They are in their own world. They can be irresponsible, not dependable,...  
As I understand it the cravings are worse and people totally loose all reason when under the influence and can be aggressive and become super strong for a short period of time and do insane things like try to eat a persons face etc  
I have seen on TV how it affects people and the ones close to them  
They think they are invincible.  
It has already happened

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B7. Why do you feel that Ice addicts are a danger in your community?

# 2/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

Violence and robbery  
Under influence they don't know what they are doing.  
Because ice addicts steal from innocent people to help pay for their addiction. They commit violent crimes and do not act like regular people

Violence  
I believe that it often causes you to become violent. This can't be good!  
You hear of uncontrollable users causing physical harm to their family, emergency personnel and the general public

When on the drug they are not in their right mind & when hanging out for a hit they are very unpredictable.  
They have no idea what they are doing  
There behaviour is unpredictable  
From being one, I am aware of the pull it has. I have now been clean for 6 months

I know what it does . I've seen first hand how it affects families and tears them to bits through lies stealing etc  
These people are easily irritated, often irrational, violent, prone to extreme mood swings and don't care about anything except their next hit. I have worked with people like this and they were dangerous when they were on them and when they were coming down from the hit

All illicit drugs present a danger to community as it stops one being able to think and act rationally  
They make addicts violent they are not in control of themselves  
Because they are EXTREMELY violent!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!  
Because you never know what they are capable of  
They obviously lack self control when they are under the influence, and that in itself can be a problem, especially when they are being handled by those who need to restrain them and keep them from being a danger to themselves as well as others.  
They have no control over their actions and become extremely violent  
They are not aware what they are doing due to addiction  
Yes they are violent and unpredictable and breaking and entering a lot more  
Unpredictable behaviour. I worry about my employees being addicts and violent at work. I have many blue collar employees in my business  
They are out of control  
They can be violent, and pose an economic threat as they spend all their money and government allowances on drugs  
Crime violence  
Cause there judgement to think is impaired

They have no concern for other people - they are only worried about where and how to get their next fix  
Based on what I have read in the media and seen on news reports  
They rob houses to get money. They are violent.

When on ice they do not seem to know what they are doing. They steal to get money to pay for ice  
Very violent to themselves and others

When on ice, people are out of control and don't know what they are doing. Can be extremely violent.  
They have no knowledge of what is happening; their ice induced paranoia leads them to do things they would not otherwise do. This drug causes extreme anger and violence.  
Because a person may be on ice or they may not be, its a guessing game  
They are unpredictable, unstable, and using ice is extremely unhealthy for them in a medical sense. They are prone to assaults and theft due to mental instability brought on by the drug.

They don't care about anyone or themselves so long as they get their fix stopping at nothing to get it  
Because being aboriginal I've heard stories in my family  
They are completely off the planet. Crazy strong and uncontrollable  
They frequently are violent  
According to TV ads  
Great body strength, no fear of anybody , no idea of their actions ,

Because they seem to lose all fear of pain, danger and any other consequences of them taking this drug  
Not sure  
Burglary, theft from family or loved ones, caring more about their next hit over all other things & people in their lives  
It is addictive. Lots of people will have drug addicts in there town  
Because the drug itself causes dangerous side effects to a person that has them lash out at others for their own selfish need for drugs in the first place.  
They are not in control of their actions or emotions  
I feel that if the ice dependant community increase, the rate of crime and abuse on the streets will. If this happens I will fear for the safety of my family, friends and the general community (including both addicts and non-addicts).  
From my limited knowledge it appears ice can change a person's behaviour to being aggressive, non-compliant, dangerous and harmful to him/herself and others.  
All drug users are a danger to a community because sooner or later they usually need more money to support their habits

Mainly due to items in the news - I have not been personally involved in any situations involving ice

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# 3/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

Because they are addicted and not in a mental state of mind

Prefer not to answer

Because they are bloody violent

They are unpredictable

Violent - no idea what they are doing - indiscriminate -

They behave poorly and commit crimes

Knowing that 'ice-addicts become very violent and abusive towards others, including their own family and friends'.

They are violent and aggressive and steal and rob to get their next fix

My opinion

They are unstoppable and very violent and aggressive on ice. They are set out to harm and the worse thing is they don't know that they are doing it and can't be stopped.

I've seen ice addicts do some very stupid things. Some seem to be in their own little world at times and don't understand how bad their behaviour can be. There's a particular addict I was once friends with who turned on me for no reason. Another girl I know also became a junky and is no longer very capable of looking after her kids.

Out of control. No fear. Need money.

They can become violent, anti social, thieves

There unpredictable

Theft to support the habit, extensive lying, denial of addiction and blaming others, verbal and physical abuse

Not in their right minds, criminal activity

Ice leads to a destruction of the physical and mental health of anyone person.

Health violence robbery car stealing

They looks scary, can be violent, wanting money etc

The effect hat ice has on the body.Violence,stealing for more drugs etc.

Because people don't have control over their actions

Not sure but they harm themselves and the community and the parents

Because it is bad for their health and it hurts the people who are close to them and care for them

They will do anything to keep getting the drugs. This includes criminal acts

They are abusive when they are on a high and can get very violent and hallucinate

Uncontrollable behaviour and reactions.

- They act impulsively
- they don't feel any fear
- they don't care who they hurt
- they want to have "fun" by hurting other people or their loved ones
- they act disgusting and are extremely disrespectful
- they're always angry

They are not making the best decisions for themselves and thus the community

Because ice makes the user unpredictable and they have no control of what they do...They hallucinate and can believe something totally different is occurring.

Users are unpredictable and dangerous

The actions are uncontrolled and dangerous

I don't know a lot about how ice affects the individual, however, any drug addiction requires money to fuel it. When money runs out, people can take desperate measures to get drugs and this could be dangerous. Addiction also takes away time and money that parents could use for their children which can result in child abuse and neglect. Furthermore, if an addict owes a dangerous person money for drugs or drugs themselves, these people could very well harm the addict and their families.

The drug puts users in a physical or mental uncontrollable state that they do not know what is right from wrong and hit out at anyone that they know or do not know they become very strong and can overcome a few people at time

They are always angry and strung out. Often walk up my street screaming incoherently & saying they are going to kill someone.

Are extremely paranoid and will threaten to hurt you if you as much as glance at them. One threw rocks at every window of my ice-stealing neighbour's flat over debt caused by ice. Previously seen effects of heroin in my area, and ice is 100 times worse. Ice addicts are angry, everyone else is scared.

They are desperate for ice and money to buy it so they steal and are physical towards others

Bad stuff

I have seen documentaries on ice addiction

Endanger the lives of the public when they are drug affected

It triggers unacceptable behaviour

It's too common now days so it's too easy for people to become addicted

Because it brings out a terrible aggression in the users. The addicts attack people for no apparent reason or will rob someone violently in the open without compunction

Dangerous behaviour, stealing to pay for the drugs

Outbursts of anger and violence

dangerous in clubs

the dealing and buying industry is very violent

Erratic behaviour

Because you can not tell how and when that drugs reacted from the body. It will happen anytime, anywhere.

Because they're uncontrollable, they're violent, they steal vehicles and break into homes!!!

They seem to be aggressive and commit crime to keep their habit.

Creates crime, violence and inhuman behaviour

If it was a "good" thing to have and caused no damage I would not be filling out this survey, there is a reason it's talked about negatively and I don't want it on the streets because of that reason

They are a danger to the community and have very immediate reactions

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# 4/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

I believe they have no control of what they are doing. They are a danger to everyone and themselves.  
Nothing specific

They have no control over their actions  
They are not liable for their actions  
The ice makes them violent  
Illegal drug - increase level of violence in the community

I have worked in mental health before. I have seen the impact that some people who are addicted to ice can have on others. They are not always a danger to the community and obviously others in the community can still be just as dangerous but it definitely increases the danger when ice is involved sadly.  
It can kill people

They have erratic moods and behaviours, become paranoid and over react, assault people, become homeless, wander around the shopping centre and train station looking and acting weird, commit crimes

...  
Yes extremely so, the law is not tough enough  
They behave bad and may get into crime  
They can have harmful effects by damaging things, lives or people. They could injure someone or possibly kill them  
Theft, vandalism, damaging property and abusing people  
Stealing, violence,  
Irrational and destructive behaviour  
Only judging by what I have seen in the news on TV  
They are always on edge and act violently  
They can be dangerous due to the drug influence.  
Violence

From what I understand - ice addicts are violent to themselves and others

it is almost impossible to quit the habit, and it is getting a large problem than cocaine  
Cost of illicit drugs and the ability of illicit drug user to maintain gainful employment means that all people are risk of violent & non violent crime for these addict to acquire their drugs  
They lose complete control of there actions, very hard to deal rationally with them when they are under the influence of ice  
The addiction makes them very unpredictable even hostel  
Because it kill you retard  
Not responsible for their actions

Very destructive  
Rampage behaviour

Ice sends them right off they get very angry and hard to control , I have seen it with the ambulance guys that have to pick them up on tv and even in hospitals .Ice addicts are very powerful and hard to manage on the stuff .

Because they are totally unpredictable violent aggressive abusive  
They are dangerous because they get so pent up with rage and could potentially take it out on anyone around them. They think they are super human and don't realize the danger they put themselves in or others around them. They can be very violent as well

The news, seeing people rage with it. Hearing stories about people who have murdered after using UT  
I knew a security guard who had to deal with ice addicts.

It is in a certain area close to the capital city, so it is a concern.

They become very violent and have no fear

Because their perception of things around them disappears and they become angry and violent because of the voices in their head telling them to do things

Makes users violent. Any type of ingredients are used.

They can go and steal cars  
damaged someone's property  
break into someone home  
cause harm to someone else

It is a mind altering drug and dangerous to the community

I think any drugs are a danger why should teens and adults get addicted to these disgusting drugs what even happened to the simple things in life I grew up in a community where it was tough to smoke so I tried it and found nothing in it for me to continue don't smoke I rarely drink and never taken these drugs and I have a good fun life so you give me a valet reason why this isn't a danger

People steal money in order to fund the addiction, they act out when they're addicted

They aren't in control when they are on these drugs and this means that they are likely to hurt themselves and others.

I feel like ice addicts are a danger as the meaning of addict is something you are physically unable to live without. This could lead to intense character changes and lead to someone committing a murder to feed their addiction.

I think they are more of a danger to themselves

This is because they get all this extra strength that makes them hard to contain. They become violent and aggressive.

Erratic behaviour, violent, threatening

Most become violent and are out of touch with reality

Violent & destructive behaviour of users

Lock them up

All drug addicts regardless are a danger as you never know what they can do

The destructiveness of the drug

They can contribute towards reckless behaviour and have serious mental affects on the brain. The drug is very unpredictable and can become highly addictive.

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# 5/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

The anger and rage that manifests in ice users is frightening, you never know when things are going to escalate and something insignificant and not a big deal could be the catalyst for violence or even murder.

Theft would also be connected with ice usage

Violent and will do anything to get another fix

They could be doing harm to other people while on ice

When some one has take drugs he doesn't know how to control his self and he doesn't know what is doing, the drug can control his thoughts and can be very dangerous for the community. I've seen on the news how many people have been killed from the drugs most of them are very young. Is the future of our country in danger we need to protect them

Increased violent ways, increased strength, so if anyone tried to stop them good luck, could lead to more thefts to support habits, users are unpredictable

Burglaries, crime in general, assaulting people

They are uncontrollable, dangerous as they are under the influence of an illicit substance

Violence towards medical staff and workers

They are unpredictable and ice is very addictive so they will resort t anything to get money for drugs and they can become violent.

Destructive behaviour

They are not able to participate in the community, can become incredibly aggressive and violent and also commit crimes

They could become dangerous because of their violent behaviour when on drugs

Because I feel like they would have no control over what they are doing, and could potentially do hazardous things to themselves and others without knowing it.

When under the influence of drugs, they don't know what they are doing and most of the time tend to be violent, angry and strike out.

Its addictive. It cost lots of money to get. Users get aggressive on it.

Because they can fly into a rage and as they're so out of it, they don't know what they are doing and could easily cause serious harm / damage, even death to someone.

They will do anything to get a fix.

They get in a rage

People get unconscious after having them so they do much crimes

I have heard of the effects of ice on peoples behaviour and how that can affect their interactions with other people.

I have seen news footage of people on ice and what damage they do to property, people, and how they behave in emergency departments in hospitals.

Theft and burglary are on the rise - people sell what they steal to get more drugs. It's a vicious circle...The more people consume the drug, the more they want it, therefore hey commit more crimes to get money to buy more drugs

- Please they are rebellious
- they are junkies
- they don't care for anyone but themselves, and they are mentally so unstable and abrupt

Scum bags

Because they will stop at nothing to get their next dose

Violent

ill do anything to get a hit

To buy ice they need money and for money they'll do anything. Their ability to think right, spoils because of ice

They may be a danger to children

Unpredictable

Out of control ,hallucinations, violence, self harm

Evil

They might not have full consciousness of their actions

Bad reputation

They go off their heads, are violent. Rob people for more ice, cant trust them

They are completely out of control and unable to stop themselves. They are aggressive they think that everyone is against them and causing them harm

Just from what we see reported in the media, dangerous for attending paramedics etc.

I have seen ice addicts in my local community and they're scary looking, like they might attack you without warning.

They are out of control and can get very violent even police have a problem

I see everyday the users roaming the streets and in the parks in my area and it grows more and more every year.

They can become aggressive and short tempered. Also they are not their normal selves so they do things they would normally not do.

Because it is scary

Cause we know nothing about it, I've seen how people act with it

The drug is so addictive, they will do anything to get it. Once they are on it, they often have no idea exactly what they are doing or saying, get very aggressive and angry if unable to get it as well.

Addicts put getting more ice before anything in their lives.

I lived among ice addicts in a concentration camps. I know many details of ice production, use and the ends.

Addicts steal to feed their habit

Scum

Unpredictable...Extra strong...

Their withdrawals, they can be violent and can use the excuse they was under the influence of drugs

They do harm to people and damage to property

Extremely addictive, extreme mood changes and personality changes. People get desperate and behave in ways they wouldn't usually

Poison for the kids

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# 6/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

Off their face'

Erratic, willing to do anything to get money/drugs to fuel their addiction, violent, angry, temperamental

The violent behaviour that is caused by ice usage puts many members of the community at risk!

They can become angry

Ice affects individuals, making them harmful

They physically act out in an uncontrollable manner

They become reckless and lose control of their senses and behaviour

They steal, fight, hurt people, kill for it

They steal for their habit and they become violent

They come into work and are unpredictable

They are aggressive under the influence

They break the law to meet requirements of their addiction.

They are violent and a danger to others

Because of their behaviour when taking the drug and when they need access to it.

Unpredictable behaviour while using ice and stealing to get their next lot of ice

From what I've seen and heard on tv

They are unpredictable and violent, it completely destroys their perceptions of what they are doing

People on ice do not know how violent they are

The effects are horrendous

Simply it destroys life's

Strange and unpredictable behaviour

They don't seem to remember what they have done

-Theft

-aggressive/unpredictable behaviour

-not behaviour children should be exposed to

-people driving under the influence

-family destruction

-debt... I could literally make 50+ more points

There very aggressive

They may have aggressive behaviours and unstable mental activity

Crime is on the increase, as addicts are trying to feed their habit. There are a lot more break-ins and hold-ups

Because of the way they act when high

Endangers/influence others to use them too especially from peer pressure

can cause illnesses

, can cause violence

, may do anything to get their hands on the drug

They might do dangerous things while under the influence, or in order to continue getting drugs

People do it for fun and don't realise how dangerous it is. It then takes over their life and has terrifying effects but too many people don't realise how dangerous it is, particularly love people. Also people with addictions have trouble seeking help because of the assumptions made about them.

They have no control over their actions

They lack control of their lives

Unpredictable aggressive behaviour and addiction leads to crimes being committed

They are crazy powerful, and powerfully crazy under the influence of ice, they lose all form of reasoning, their addiction has them stealing, robbing and other illegal acts just to get enough money to get their next fix, and they can hurt anyone who even looks at them funny while under the influence.

They have no control over the addiction thinking it is not as bad as what everyone is saying. The family can see the consequences of their addiction and the person on the drug is in denial that they are addicted and cannot see that it alters their everyday behaviour

Its a dangerous drug that is highly addictive and therefore people are more dangerous and resort to crime to fund their habit

Unpredictable, dangerous, aggressive

Lose basic human senses

It's a danger because taking the ice not only it's not good for you but it does not control the person that is taking it

They are completely out of their minds, on another planet, berserkers ! the bastards will stop at nothing to keep feeding their disgusting habit

Addictions can lead to crime.

They live in their own world and that can be dangerous for other people

Danger

They seem aggressive and not all there and will commit crimes to fund their habit

They aren't in complete control and can get violent

Unpredictable behaviour

may commit a crime to gain a supply

dangerous

Due to increased crime to pay for their addiction

Ice creates an uncontrollable rage

Don't know

Logic

Because it makes already crazy people even crazier

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B7. Why do you feel that Ice addicts are a danger in your community?

# 7/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

I lived in the USA, all my comments about it come from life over there. HERE, well, you got your work cut out for you. I've tried the drug and found it easy to put away, but nicotine was the worst to get rid of. I think it depends on the person and their addictive personality (or lack thereof). However, no, I don't condone it and see all of these drugs and their pushers/suppliers as extreme threats to society. I'd take them out, put a bounty on them.

Not sure

Because they are walking aggressive zombies

They have less control over themselves

Once ice has been administered that person is prone to being violent and out of control.

Its dangerous

It's highly addictive and I see on TV and know that they are dangerous on the drug

It can ruin children's or any persons life or lively hood if they get addicted

I am not sure of the facts other than what I have read

Ice is a very serious addiction as documented.

They are violent , untrustworthy and a waste of space

It causes addiction which can lead to behaviour that is negative for the community.

Children are experimenting with these drugs at younger ages...

It affects minds horrendously, this is being played out in the number of armed robberies and attacks on emergency services staff eg. Ambulance and police in Queensland.

Ice changes a person's persona, gives them tremendous strength, they don't know or remember what they have done, it makes them feel like they have crawling insects under their skin and end up with gashes over them, they will pick a fight with anyone who crosses them on the street and if taken to hospital many of the drugs given to them by medical staff do not work on them.

Heard from tv about it

Watching the news

Destructive symptoms

Mixing drugs

Ice addicts have a reputation in my suburb to steal and harass members of the community

Because the kids are in danger

There behaviour with or without the drug is destructive and uneasy

I'm not sure...

Let seems to bring out the violence in user

Because I have seen tv ad about ice addicts and what they do

Ice is such a dangerous drug as it affects the psycho metaphysic state of the individual under its influence. It harbours deceptiveness, aggressive and creates super muscular strength with aggressive tendencies.

Because they become aggressive and not thinking clearly

Ice addicts have altered behaviour and can be violent and abusive towards love one and the community

Housing areas

Ice does terrible things in changing your personality and the person who is on ice is likely to do anything and

they do not know what they are doing

Addicts can behave unreasonably & sometimes violently

They don't know what they are doing whilst under the influence of ice

They seem to go berserk, feel no pain and generally out of control

Ice makes them violent & they don't know what they're doing

They are described as and described themselves as committing aggressive, abusive acts against others that they wouldn't normally do and have even been shocked at their own behaviour in order to obtain the means to fuel their addiction

I feel like it could be easily available with the right connections and with peer pressure, the addiction could spread.

My experience I have seen people stealing and doing illegal things just to get enough money to score

Methamphetamine (ice) addiction somehow causes the brain to go into conflict with itself resulting in the person getting out of control and unable to cope (control) his anger and emotions.

Violent destructive

Because people can be harmed and the community will have a bad reputation.

From what I understand, ice makes people angry, aggressive, paranoid and very violent.

They act irrationally, are extremely violent, and can't be subdued easily

Cause they are unaware of actions. Desperate and aggressive. Angry types

People try to assist and they become angry and aggressive

They do not know what they are doing

They will do anything to get their next fix and have no control over the addiction.

I feel that ice damages people's health and that they can get very addicted to it.

Being too addicted means a separation from your close loved ones, and I don't know very much about it but I know that it's bad.

Under the influence of ice, I believe people are more prone to act irrationally

Violence to other members of society.

Because ICE causes destructive behaviour.

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# 8/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

Ice changes a persons perspective of his surroundings, thus making him see things that aren't there, and think people are not what they are.

They're unpredictable  
they're violent  
they're self destructive  
Its dangerous

Violence, they make decisions they wouldn't usually make

They know not what they do and cannot reason soundly

Unpredictability and violence of those under the influence of ice.

Strained resources of our police force, hospitals etc

They are a danger to themselves and every one around them as they lose all sense of reality and will do anything to get their next fix

Unpredictable behaviour at any time of the day or night

People are willing to do anything to get drugs

The ice addicts in my neighbourhood are loud, aggressive and a threat to people around them. They have gotten physical with people and shout abusive things.

They aren't in the right frame of mind to make the right decisions

Their unpredictability especially in groups. Disrespect for all law enforcement officers-paramedics etc , their strength while "high" on ice

Violent, strong, unmanageable

I work in child protection and see the damage it causes to families

Because they cannot control themselves when they are on a high, they can't differentiate between what's right and what's wrong, and this leads to impulsive and poor decision choices, often resulting in violence towards their own loved ones and strangers.

There is a large drug ring in our local community and their delivery rounds are getting bigger. Several people I know in the community know someone or are themselves affected. There have been acts of violence, even destruction against any who stand up against the drug lords.

They steal and get violent

They seem to be very aggressive and violent

When under the influence of this drug they are not in their right mind and can be very destructive.

They damage physical health of those that consume it and triggers bad behaviour

Causes violence & erratic behaviour

Robbing

Uncertain

They lose their minds and act a whole new character. They are dangerous to the community as well as to themselves. Their endanger their health and have some kind of effect to friends and loved ones. Have not experience or seen this in person but have definitely seen how they react from watching online clips.

I think that they have a special power that the body cant control. That is how strong this drug is. I have seen advertising in the past. And an friend told me she saw someone that has been on ice. And her face had sore all over, her teeth fell out. It sounds dreadful. They steal to get more of the drug. If they cant get what they want. They will hurt or even kill someone.

Because it sounds like when they are high they are capable of extreme behaviours where logic does not seem to apply at all.

More addictive and is an unknown drug

They are irrational and often violent for no apparent reason, commit crimes to maintain their habit and are a drain on the health system.

Heard of ?Addicts are angry & aggressive

Because their brains are not working properly

Irrational behaviour towards any one, theft for drugs from innocent people, driving under the influence of drugs ( this scares me badly to think that their driving could badly injure me - I have a brother with acquired brain injury from car accident),

Impulsive violent anger outbursts.

Home invasions, hand bag snatches etc... To support habits.

Driving under influence endangering others.

Leaving syringes and implements in public community areas where children are.

Read reports daily in the cairns post etc.

More crime going on

They need the drug, and will do anything to get it,,,, and when they are on it,,, they don't know what they are doing

Apparently addicts become violent. They commit crimes to finance the buying of the drug.

Fights home brake ins

Because I have seen government advertising suggesting that this is so and I have relatives who work in emergency departments who tell me this is so

Yes definitely. Their behaviour can be very unpredictable and violent. They can harm others as well as themselves.

Increased violence, theft and overall anti social behaviour of addicts in the community

- They do things that people shouldn't be doing

Unpredictable/volatile

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# 9/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

There are ice addicts and there are junkies. A junkie will go to extreme lengths to get coin to pay for their drug. It started with theft and has moved to theft from houses or of cars where people are at the property at the time. A junkie does not want to be caught which puts these people at risk if they are seen or disturb the thief. Ice addict have no regard for any type of order and do what they believe is necessary in their situation. They have easy access to weapons including guns and ammunition. These can be easily obtained illegally. As addictions grow so does the crime rate to pay for these addictions.

Because their behaviour is completely out of their control when they are using ice

Dangerous behaviour

Unpredictable behaviour

They seem to become extremely violent, irrational and physically powerful.

From advertisements, media reports and hearsay, it appears well known that people who have immediately/recently taken ice can display psychotic behavioural episodes and be completely irrational and the psychosis (or whatever it induces) can make them extremely volatile and prone to bouts of preternaturally strong violence, often requiring many people to subdue them. Sadly, usually health care workers bear the brunt of it according to media reports etc. But if someone has a psychotic (or whatever the correct term is) episode, say in a shopping centre, medical centre or other public environment, how can the average person defend themselves? What if there are children or elderly people around? This is a frightening prospect which is quite honestly chilling n imagining the repercussions in such a situation.

High crime rates , and the fact that they do not care or know what they are doing when on the drug

Unpredictability

They are not in control

From what I have learnt that ice makes most addicts angry besides addictive

Erratic behaviour

Violence

crimes

Aggressive and violent behaviour

This drug turns people from loving caring people into crazed animals if they use it have seen first hand how it happens and it is not just in my community it is all over Adelaide and its suburbs there needs to be something done or our next generation will e addicts

It triggers psychosis

leads to crime

It ruins people

Because of the violence I see portrayed in the hospital ads. There are not enough mental health help options available. I have people addicted in my block of flats who then rage around banging and yelling plus knocking on the door wanting food (no money left) or money

They have no control over themselves. They don't think rationally and will act out in manners violent toward others.

Complete inability to control behaviour

People r out of control under ice

They don't know what they're doing

It generates violence

They are prone to outbursts of rage

People on ice have no control and just lose and it gives them a false sense

It makes people crazy

Violence

Thy become angry and violent when on the drug,

They become violent and they have absolutely no idea of what they are doing and will do anything to get money for next hit

Because they don't know what they are doing when they are on it, they just go berserk.

The increase in their physical abilities (strength) and mental instability is well documented

They appear to attack anyone who gets in their way. Have never heard of a "happy" ice addict.

All seem to be morose and dangerous.

They rob and bash when they are in need

Their unpredictable and violent behaviour. Failure to accept normal conventions. Constant threat to the 'front line' assistance (paramedics, hospital staff police and security).

It makes you violent and paranoid

The violent outbursts the drug appears to cause

On TV adds and media reports have heard how violent addicts cab be

If I understand it correctly ice is one of the drugs that you can become addicted to after one use and as an addict I believe their morals and sense of right and wrong just disappears, leading to a craving that has to be satisfied at any cost

Violence, robbery

Ice induces paranoia to the user and this can cause hallucinations, leading to violence. Addicts will also likely to turn to crime if they are unable to fund over their addiction.

They are violent

Danger to our hospitals & health workers, family & friends of ice addicts

Read about them in magazines on the news.

From what I have seen in the media it seems that ice addicts are more violent, are a huge danger on the roads and have no remorse for the damage they do to themselves, anyone who happens to be in their way. Ice addicts must be gaoled for possession or us and dealers gaoled for a minimum 10 years. The use of ice makes me unwilling to visit central Melbourne after dark

They effect the mind causing antisocial behaviour

Erratic, unprovoked attacks on others, no self-control

Mind is stuffed

All drug users are a danger

Most break ins are being blamed on ice addicts

One can never be sure who is on it so interaction is difficult. They can be quite erratic and violent.

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# 10/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

They are out of control. Do not know what they are doing to themselves or other standby persons. The ambulance, police and any emergency personnel, stand the chance of being a victim.

Mental harm

They can't control mind

You see a lot of people affected by drugs in my area at certain times in the day

It can lead to violence, theft.

The need for money - the 'I don't care' attitude that is prevalent in the young community today -

their attacks are indiscriminate - the damage that they do to themselves as well

They seem to lose control and become violent, uncaring and unaware of the consequences of their actions.

They become very violent and strong when on this drug and cannot be reasoned with. They become an addict first time and will do anything to get money to continue this terrible addiction. Changes their behaviour/demeanour to a violent & angry one, with no guilt for their actions or compassion for the ones they have hurt.

As ice affects the brain, and they are not aware of what they are doing, so can harm you.!

To them self, theft, driving, working

Irrational behaviour.

Violence and angry persons

They lose all reason and will attack their own children and others

They are the danger

Have you seen breaking bad?

They do not know what they are going

If tv ads on the subject are accurate, then it appears that ice addicts are uncontrollable.

People become aggressive towards other people. They steal.

They are out of control and do whatever it takes to partake in their habit

Crazy

Irrational behaviour, excess strength and people stealing to feed their habit

Just watch the news

Can kill anybody under influence

I have known them. They lose all empathy and understanding. They will steal from anyone, no matter what the relationship was before-hand or how 'nice' they used to be. It dramatically changes people's views of reality to the point where they literally have no feeling for anything or anyone but themselves. My family was nearly destroyed by this drug - mentally, physically and financially.

Ice addicts are destructive, and they can endanger others when they are on a high,

I think they are unpredictable and the drug promotes stronger violence than other drugs

Ice increases anger. It stimulates the brain and pushes people past limitations.

They are totally erratic when on ice

Burglaries & robberies.

Because they become very violent and don't care who they hurt (or worse)

Unpredictable violent behaviour

Once the addicts are high in ice, they could cause physical harm to everyone near them, and they are extremely difficult to tackle due to their increased physical power and loss of sensory.

I think that, because ice is so addictive, and because the users have no idea what they are doing when they are taking ice, and also because they don't know/don't care who they target when they are on the drug, that they become a danger to people in the community.

Violence, robbery, abuse.

They can be unpredictable and violent

They are not in their right mind

It will affect our children

The police have to know where this drug is coming from why are they not stopping my mates son is addicted to this drug so sad

Have been hearing and reading so much about it lately and all the bad things associated with it

The aggressiveness during their withdrawal causes them to inflict violence, cause major damage, and steal property.

Burglary aggression becoming more easily attainable

They seem to lose control of themselves and are forgetful cruel

I think ice may make people violent. Addiction to any drugs usually means that the person is desperate for money and this might lead to an increase in burglary/street robbery

Its can make people react very violently, more so than other drugs.

Violent erratic behaviour

When they are high, they can be totally out of control

When they use and are out with the general public they are putting themselves and us in danger

Their mind goes warped and it makes it hard to make correct decisions

I was in hospital emergency recently and observed 2 ice druggies threaten doctors and nursing staff. Bloody frightening.

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B7. Why do you feel that Ice addicts are a danger in your community?

# 11/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

Anti-social and violent behaviour  
Theft, money to get their next hit  
Scared they are unpredictable, very strong, hard to control  
The government is a joke and self serving

have seen vision on the television of people affected by ice 'flipping out' violently in hospital emergency rooms, I imagine hospital workers are at particular risk....I also read the newspaper stories which indicate that persons under the influence of Ice can become very violent, which would endanger members of the community. Because they go crazy when they are high or coming down from a high  
Desire for the drug could lead to increase in crime especially theft  
Increased rate of theft. Difficult to get off addiction. Meth labs explode. Dangerous and uncontrollable behaviour when you're on meth.  
This drug is out of control in some areas  
They are so high they don't know what they are doing I have seen first hand how terrible it is and how the people have been bashed or even raped  
Ice addicts lose all control and thieve to support their habit  
Because they can not control their addiction and behave erratically in all situations whether drugged up or trying to get drugged up

From news reports, there seems to be a lot of cases of dangerous behaviour from people after using the drug ice. Because the drug often makes people very violent.  
Violent antisocial behaviour  
Dangerous when under the influence  
The drug controls their behaviour and makes them do things they wouldn't normally do  
Danger to themselves it sparks violent outrages, hallucination's

Because they are so unpredictable in their temper. They can't function properly. It is so hard to get off ice & takes so long, many just stay on the drug as they can't get help. This then leads to more robberies & violent behaviour. It is a real worry when there is children involved which then brings in another factor. The children will have to be taken away & cared for by other people. It all puts a huge strain on the system in so many areas.  
It's dangerous  
Here stories of ice users raging  
Very psychotic

Users of the drug are violent and lash out blindly towards loved ones and strangers and have no mental capacity to make sound judgement because their mental state is no longer able to process right from wrong.  
Erratic behaviour, crime to fund addiction  
What you hear on the news

Their aggressiveness  
They are starting to commit robberies in towns close to us, and I don't like having to deal with them in the city streets.  
They are not in control of themselves  
Violence

Because they will rob and steal from you and sometimes harm you or kill you to get their fix of ice  
Their behaviour is a danger to themselves and others  
Drug affected, violent, out of control

While using methamphetamine, users can feel hypersexual and uninhibited, often forgetting to use protection. Ice causes extreme paranoia and violent rages

Ice stimulates the user to serious aggression, way beyond reason. As a nurse I've encountered people affected by this and other drugs in the ED, and have known of instances where those trying to help have been attacked. I believe that people addicted would do anything for the drug ice, including various crimes  
They can become very aggressive  
Threatens safety  
Because they are in need of their highland the drug can cause psychotic episodes  
I know that the proportion of ice users is very small compared to say the problem caused by alcohol and that alcohol is the primary danger in our community for so many reasons. Ice is of concern because of the extreme reactions/behaviours of people affected by ICE and that is the only reason for this observation. I do not view ICE as THE primary danger by any means.  
I only know what I've seen on the news. Seen on news people going crazy and being violent and not in control of themselves  
Don't have any control over what they're doing  
Because it seems to turn them into "super" beings and cause destruction to people and property  
Violence being on the increase  
They do not realise what they are doing when they are under the influence of the drug and can cause harm to other people, themselves and property  
Because they become addicted very quickly and cannot afford to pay for their needs, so they steal from soft targets to get cash/goods to use for ice.  
Thru robbery and domestic violence  
Robberies, violence in streets  
Violence, physical abuse and act of violence  
Their behaviour is unpredictable, they might be ok one minute and explode the next. They don't feel the pain so will continue doing something despite hurting themselves, eg hitting a wall even though their hand is bleeding and raw. It affects their mental state so they can no longer think straight. They steal, break into houses/cars/offices. They have no sense of right and wrong

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# 12/12 WHY ICE ADDICTS ARE SEEN AS THREAT TO COMMUNITY

## Why Ice Addicts Are Seen As Threat To Community

They see and hear things that aren't there. Want to harm other people. Just makes them unpredictable and causes mental issues. Will rob/attack people for money to supply there habit'  
People do not know the impact it has on people when using long term, powerful drug etc

From what I see in the media they are out of control and dangerous in the extreme  
They will do anything to get the money to get their next fix  
Don't know what they are doing  
They tend to be violent.  
Should legalise it let them kill themselves and problem solved wasting time money on resources on people that cant help themselves is a waste when it could be better spent elsewhere

It seems to have such an instant addiction effect and a much more severe withdrawal effect than what we here about other drugs such as heroin, cocaine and the like and as there are a lot of seniors in the suburb where I live and in the surrounding area the antisocial effects will be more readily noticed  
Strongly addictive and while under the influence crimes are likely to occur

From the information I've seen in the media, the drug is very addictive and can really mess with peoples heads.  
The lack of real consequences for criminals in our community  
Uncontrollably violent  
They seem to be particularly aggressive and out of control  
They steal and rob to get money for their drugs.  
Impossible to handle. Lie cheat and steal. Erupt at the slightest provocation.  
Under its influence people behave differently and can be dangerous  
They take the drug and somehow their mind snaps and they go crazy. They become extremely violent and it doesn't matter to them who they vent their violence upon.  
The extreme depression that comes after an ice high can be volatile.

Because they can get a drug induced psychosis from taking them and harm themselves and or others  
They are very aggressive to ambulance and people in general

The information available is explicit in facts, hospitals are information that shows the results of addict react. It puts nurses, doctors, police etc in great danger! Most importantly the person is damaged for a long time.  
I am not sure but I think it makes your brain not function correctly  
My main concerns stem from media reports about police, medical staff and family members who have been attacked by people affected by ice.  
Damage that have taken place as reported in the media  
They are usually very violent.

It is everywhere  
Get aggressive  
They neither care what they do to others  
Violence and robberies.  
From reports in the news print and television and radio.  
They go into a another world and become dangerous to them selves and others.  
Lose all sense of reality. Will commit crime and violence to obtain drug  
Because they can still drive a vehicle and kill people  
They commit crimes to pay for their addiction  
Become crazy and do harmful things to people and property  
They go crazy  
They may be pushed to criminal activities to fund their addiction.  
The personal safety of my family and I is at risk from ice addicts  
As a result of being on ice  
Because they become very violent

Become addicts and resort to stealing or even mugging people to get money to pay for their habit.

Become unpredictable and violent.  
They rob, abuse and are a medical burden.  
Ice user develop bizarre, destructive aggressive or violent behaviour. And that is unacceptable in the community

Uncontrolled violence. Burglary. Muggings. A danger to those trying to help them (medics, police)  
They become aggressive and unpredictable  
They become very aggressive even psychotic and aren't aware of their actions  
Its everywhere  
They get off their heads and then violent  
I believe their addiction is much more serious than other addictive drugs and the pressures to consume ice drive people to commit serious crime particular when the street cost of the drugs increase due to demand and supply  
They are just so out of control and gain super human strength

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B7. Why do you feel that Ice addicts are a danger in your community?

# 1/5 PARENTAL CONCERNS ABOUT CHILDREN AGED 18-24 AND ILLICIT DRUGS

## General Parental Concerns About Their Child And Illicit Drugs

Affected by some one else using it

Peer pressure to take the drug

That someone offers it to them and they decide to try it.

Addiction and destruction

My children are all grown up and its harder because your not around them all the time any more to know what there up to ' you just hope they make good healthy choices

She has just become a mother & I don't think she has any time for drugs

Mental disorder, dangerous self & others

Addiction and crime

We know our son has tried cannabis but appears to have just been a flirtation although concerned that having done it a couple of times he is in a circle of friends where he probably can get access so going back to it is a concern. Then the long term never/brain damage is the other concern

Over dose and addiction

Genetic and emotional history

That they will be attacked by somebody who is taking it or have a substance put in their food or drink because these people think it is funny to do that

That they attempt them in the first place, and then become addicted. Every other concern is a consequence of these 2

Not being able to stop

Kids these days are easily led. ICE is a drug that in the ice circles is there society if your in that circle your an addict excepted for what you are.

Because they will take the drug and get addicted to it and they will have a likely chance of dying

That they get in to deep and become addicted

There is none for me. I have talked to my children and they both have such strong opinions about drugs and alcohol. Neither of them are interested and freely talk to me about lots of subjects in life.

I fear they may have their drinks spiked

Child trying drugs due to peer pressure, as well as curiosity to try new things.

Peer pressure other peoples influence social groups

I would prefer my child to be kept away from people who do it!! But it is rather difficult

Total Parents With Children Aged 18-24 Sample: 2016 N=107.

E4. What are your greatest concerns for your child with regards to illicit drugs and why?

# 2/5 PARENTAL CONCERNS ABOUT CHILDREN AGED 18-24 AND ILLICIT DRUGS

## General Parental Concerns About Their Child And Illicit Drugs

That they come into contact with them.

Become addicted to drugs

I am concerned about some of my son's friends and their recreational activities. They say that they respect my son's wishes to be 'clean' and not use any substances at all but I am concerned that they may decide to spike his water (don't laugh, that's all he drinks, not even tea or coffee) just to see what happens to him. I am also concerned that if my son is out with his friends and they are using that he will somehow be caught up in any mess that follows.

Why they are taking it

Forming an addiction and the adverse effect that this would their ability live fruitful and rewarding lives and the impact all who love them

They are always looking for some sort of excitement

The concern isn't her she knows what's wrong or right my daughters dot smoke either but its the friends they keep and who they might meet around the corner who might influence them in the long run that's the concern I have but its not with them but the situation

Being offered and pushed into trying.

My greatest concern in regards to drugs and my child is someone forcing them on him because I know how he feels about drugs and the people who take them. For him to take them it would be against his will

Bad news

They could get hooked

He gets mixed with wrong crowd, peer pressure

Concerned will not separate from friends that delve into that lifestyle and is easily swayed to follow their lead

Poison can kill them

Possible addiction, messing with the wrong crowd

My child wouldn't try drugs

There dangerous

Friend influences

"Pressured into taking them

Adverse reactions to taking them"

Death

That someone will pressure them into trying something, and they have a bad reaction or something happens to them while under the influence. Or that someone might slip something into their drink without them knowing, and something happens to my child

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E4. What are your greatest concerns for your child with regards to illicit drugs and why?

# 3/5 PARENTAL CONCERNS ABOUT CHILDREN AGED 18-24 AND ILLICIT DRUGS

## General Parental Concerns About Their Child And Illicit Drugs

The chance of them becoming addicted and impacting on their work and or studies.

Becoming addicted to them and what may happen to her whilst she is under its influence

Australia seems to be in love with drugs. When I lived here in 1990 at least marijuana was legal to grow and use....I come back 20 years later and it's illegal but seems everywhere, worse than before - and across the age barriers too. I see parents of 22year old kids wasted and stinking of booze and cigarettes in the Centrelink offices. What gives? I think it was easier to raise my kids in the USA as far as drugs go, at least.. It's very trendy here, but old hat there. I don't know. I'd crack down like the black plague on all of it.

That they would et addicted ruin their lives and their bodies and end up as useless, homeless druggies

Access to it, it being present in schools and uni.

Hiding drugs from me and there behaviour

Addiction

That they think once won't hurt. Addiction runs on both so des I f family

I don't have any concerns as she has never had any interest in taking drugs but has been very supportive to friends/relatives who struggle with addiction

People pushing it on to them

They get hooked and I cant help them

Not sure if they would be willing to use and fear of being more open to peers than to me.

Based on the probability of events it is possible that at some gatherings of young people someone who uses/possesses drugs might be present and may talk about them

If someone slips one of them in her drink. Or someone on ice injecting her. To get what they want.

Being pressured by his peers

Just seems to be everywhere

Get addicted

Temptation to try

As for any parent addiction and possible loss of life for my child/ children

Peer group pressure

I have no concerns - they have been raised correctly

To become addicted which would ruin their life.

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E4. What are your greatest concerns for your child with regards to illicit drugs and why?

# 4/5 PARENTAL CONCERNS ABOUT CHILDREN AGED 18-24 AND ILLICIT DRUGS

## General Parental Concerns About Their Child And Illicit Drugs

Violence addiction mental and physical

Scared peer group pressure might tempt them to experiment but doubt they would try.

Their curiosity might put them in danger

Just being passed around at parties

Being attacked/abused by someone under the influence

Peer pressure

I don't really have any concerns he is a sensible lad.

That it will ruin his life and that it will lead to greater crimes than they realise and possibly their death

I don't really have any concerns as my child of this age is a very sensible person and we have talked a lot about illicit drug use in the past.

Being able to hold a job. Drugs may affect his reasoning.

Experimentation and addiction

Peer pressure because when you are young you think nothing will hurt you. And friends put pressure on you try things

I don't have any. I trust them.

Peer pressure whilst under the influence of alcohol

My daughter is a haemophiliac and has always been told that under no circumstances is she to take any illicit drugs as she can fall and kill herself or do herself severe damage that could have a very detrimental affect on the rest of her life and she has only once at 18yrs at a graduation party tried a joint she didn't like it and

so has never tried anything else how do I know we have a great relationship and I'm her carer and she doesn't leave the house without me 24/7 so yes I'm sure

Not knowing how strong they can be, not knowing what to do if something goes wrong, not knowing how much to take

He's already affected family relationships because of his drug dependence and his health has been greatly affected I'm very concerned for his well being

Personal safety

Child is in a intoxicated situation and then is asked to try some of the illicit drugs.

Trying liking and getting addicted once they do they are on their own as I will do nothing to stop them they are old enough to make their own decision vote drink

etc then they make their own choices

Peer pressure

They go out with friends to different events and I know that these events are targets for drug dealers and I'm afraid that they might be tempted or have a drink spiked.

I have no concerns relating to curiosity

Total Parents With Children Aged 18-24 Sample: 2016 N=107.

E4. What are your greatest concerns for your child with regards to illicit drugs and why?

# 5/5 PARENTAL CONCERNS ABOUT CHILDREN AGED 18-24 AND ILLICIT DRUGS

## General Parental Concerns About Their Child And Illicit Drugs

Addictive, destroys a family, harmful, wasteful

May be there friends taking

Violence from others

HANGING AROUND drug addictive people

Her drink will be spiked , a friend will convince her to try it

Feel like it's so easily capable of being instantly addictive. My son has depression and I worry about his decision making when his head isn't clear.

No concern they are a good kid

Friends trying

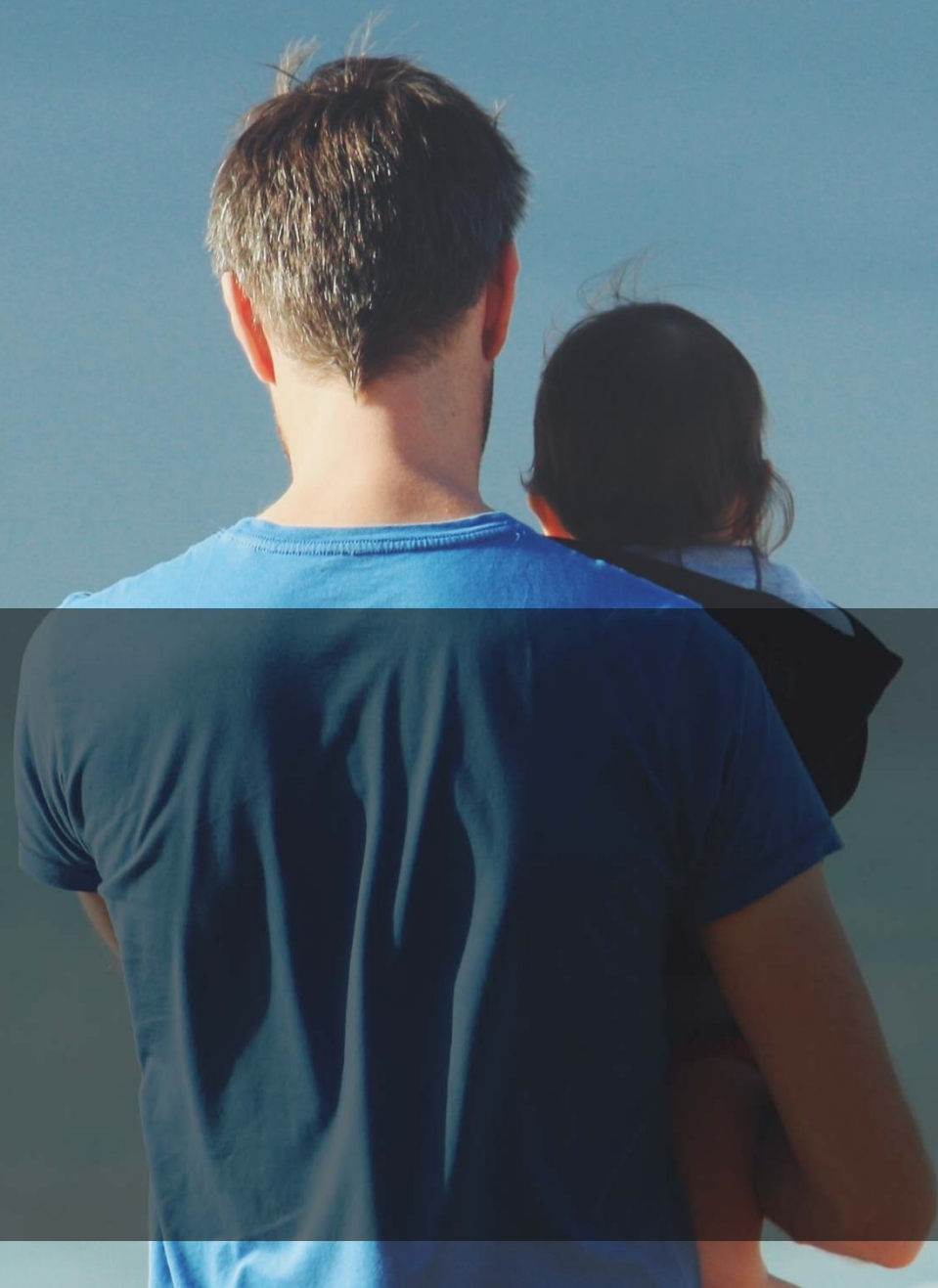
She has depression & anxiety so she is already been prescribed drugs for this plus she drinks

I would be terrified if my child was offered an illicit drug and decided to try it because their friends were also going to try it.

Unable to control emotions and using again when facing stress or anxious time

Total Parents With Children Aged 18-24 Sample: 2016 N=107.

E4. What are your greatest concerns for your child with regards to illicit drugs and why?



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