

# What is drug abuse?

- 1 Using, for a different purpose than intended, medicines for treating injuries or illnesses.
  - 2 Using dangerous drugs that are against the law.
- Doing either of the above even once counts as drug abuse.



## Abusing drugs will ruin the mind and body.

People start using drugs thinking they'll be fine if they only use a little ...



And when the drugs run out, they get irritable and anxious



**They become unable to quit on their own**

Then fall under the illusion that they feel better



They ask for "just one more," wanting more and more



## The most commonly abused drugs



### Marijuana

Also known as: happa, kusa, yasai, choko, etc.



### Stimulants

Also known as: Shabu, ice, speed, esu/S, etc.



### Narcotics

Morphine, cocaine, MDMA, LSD, etc.



### Dangerous drugs

Synthetic cannabinoids, incense, bath salts, etc.



### Medicines

Painkillers, psychotropics, cough suppressants, etc.



### Thinners, toluene, etc.

If someone asks you to do drugs...

There are two things to remember!



## 1 Flatly refuse!



I don't do drugs!

## 2 Leave.



I have things to do!

## When overseas, be careful not to buy foods containing marijuana!

In some countries you can buy snacks containing marijuana ingredients. Be careful not to buy them on accident.



## Don't be fooled by suspicious information on websites or social media!

Don't be taken in by mistaken information on the Internet or persuasive language saying that marijuana is safe or that marijuana won't lead to chemical dependency.

