DRUG ABUSE in SOUTH DAKOTA
OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL
MARTY JACKLEY
Meth Addiction
# Methamphetamine Stats

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<td>503</td>
<td>700</td>
<td>724</td>
<td>522</td>
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2016 South Dakota Methamphetamine

2025 Meth Arrests in 46 Counties  17949.225 grams Methamphetamine Seized  8 Lab Incidents

Updated: 9/30/16

2016 Task Force Meth Statistics

Pennington County Meth Task Force:  
- 572 Arrests  
- 1949.104 grams meth

Sioux Falls Meth Task Force:  
- 833 Arrests  
- 13617.54 grams meth

Statewide:  
- 620 Arrests  
- 2382.581 grams meth
Meth Progression Mug Shots

3 months

2.5 years
METHAMPHETAMINE

- Extreme addiction factor
- $100 per gram
- Snorted, ejected, smoked or swallowed
- A synthetic stimulant that affects the central nervous system
- May cause psychosis, a severe mental disorder in which people lose contact with reality and experience strong delusions and extreme paranoia
HEROIN- IS SOUTH DAKOTA NEXT?

- States of Wisconsin and Ohio stats revealed a growing epidemic in heroin use.
- The number of heroin-related deaths in Wisconsin jumped by nearly 50% in 2012, according to a recent survey of county coroners.
- Launched full scale awareness campaign with print, radio and television ads.
HEROIN

- Highly addictive drug that can be smoked, sniffed or injected
- Cheap-$10 or $20 on street or $150 per gram
- Easily obtained
- Can dangerously slow heart and lung functions—every hit is an enormous risk
- Statistics suggest that more than 75% of those who try heroin once will use again
- Addicts find themselves taking the drug just to feel normal
PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM
Prescription drug monitoring program

Prescription drug monitoring program to be established. The board shall establish and maintain a prescription drug monitoring program to monitor the prescribing and dispensing of all controlled substances. The program shall utilize a central repository, to which each dispenser shall submit, by electronic means, information regarding each prescription dispensed for a controlled substance. The information submitted for each prescription shall include specifically identified data elements adopted by the board and contained in the 2005 version of the electronic reporting standard for prescription monitoring programs, version 003, release 000, of the American Society for Automation in Pharmacy.
Membership Advisory Council shall consist of:

1) One dispenser selected by the board
2) One prescriber selected by the Board of Medical and Osteopathic Examiners
3) One prescriber selected by the Board of Nursing
4) One prescriber selected by the Board of Dentistry
5) One prescriber selected by the Board of Examiners of Optometry
6) One prescriber selected by the South Dakota Academy of Physician Assistants
7) One member selected by the South Dakota Association of Healthcare Organization
8) One member of the South Dakota State Medical Association
9) One member of the South Dakota Pharmacists Association
10) A designee of the Attorney General
11) A designee of the Department of Health; and
12) Any other prescriber or dispenser determined by the board to be necessary to meet a mandate or, or avoid a delay in implementing, and appropriate measure. The number of additional members that the board may select is limited to the number necessary to meet the mandate or avoid the delay of the appropriation.
## PDMP STATS

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PDMP

- July 1, 2014 automated electronic pseudo reporting to the National Log Exchange Network began
- All pharmacies and retail stores who sell are linked into this web based system
- Now sharing with 18 states through the NABP’s PMP Interconnect
SYNTHETIC DRUGS
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- **K2/ SPICE/ Synthetic Marijuana**
  - Mixture of dried herbs sprayed with psychoactive chemicals and sold as herbal incense, K2, or Spice
  - Sometimes marketed as a “synthetic marijuana” – the effects can be 10 times more intense

- **BATH SALTS**
  - MDPV- Produces effects similar to cocaine or amphetamines
  - White, Tan, Powder
  - Taken orally, snorted, injected or free-based
DANGERS OF SYNTHETIC DRUGS

- Addictive nature
- Severe hallucinations
- Increased heart rate
- Increased suicidal tendencies
- Seizures
- Death
WHY SO DANGEROUS

- No FDA testing
- No physician oversight
- No pharmacist oversight
K2 & Bath Salt Examples
MARKETED AS A CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIE
LOOKS LIKE A PRESCRIPTION
NEWEST SYNTHETICS
SMILES & N-BOMBS

- Liquid, powder or pill form
- Has been found to be mixed with candy or sugar
- Mimics LSD - only magnified
SMILES & N-BOMBS - effects

- Brain hemorrhaging
- Hallucinations
- Seizures
- Kidney failure
- Psychotic episodes

(Photo courtesy Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation)
25i or NBOMe
TESTING

- State Health Lab - $40
- Redwood Lab - California - $35
- K-9 Units
  - Can detect if trained
FELONY

- SDCL 22-42-2 - Unauthorized manufacture, distribution, or possession of controlled substances
- SB 68 - Signed into law on March 6, 2013
  - SDCL 34-20B-1 (22)
  - Controlled substance analogue
Stogie’s Smoke Shop, Rapid City
- Selling synthetic marijuana in small jars for $35-$50 approximately 1 gram
- Customers were told it was just like marijuana but not detectable in a urine test
- Displayed like potpourri, but included a small wooden pipe
- Grossed $10,000-$15,000 a week
- No convictions. Shop agreed to stop selling synthetics and turned over their inventory.
WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA CUSTER AREA

- Anthony Moed
- Buying product over the internet and then reselling
- Undercover buys brought 3 separate purchases, 6 grams, 30 grams and 12 grams
- Two purchases were within a school zone
- Charged with possession and distribution
- Sentenced to 4 years - all but 20 days suspended
2 controlled buys

Q: “If the pending change in law was going to affect their business?”
A: “They are not going to slow us down.”

Mislabeling

“DEA compliant”
“legal in 50 states”
Charged with 4 counts including Drug Free Zone
Convicted by jury on all 4 counts
Sentence- serve 9 years with additional time suspended
SD Supreme Court Affirmed
“while the State never yields the burden of proving knowing possession, one cannot consciously avoid learning the nature of a substance to later assert ignorance of its nature”
SOUTHEASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA
MR. YUCKES/ GREGORY ENRIGHT
GREGORY ENRIGHT/ MR. YUCKES

- Seized over 100 lbs of K2/plant material
  - 10,000 1 to 1.5 gram bags
  - $31,000 cash
  - One handgun
- Up to $86,000 a month selling synthetics (half profit)
- Convicted
  - 2 counts possession with intent to distribute
  - 1 count conspiracy to possess a controlled substance
  - Sentenced to 30 years with 21 suspended on conditions
NORTH DAKOTA TEEN DEATHS

- 2 teens die within a week of each other after ingesting hallucinogens
- Ingested powder that was mixed with melted chocolate, cooled and eaten like candy
- 15 individuals charged in operation “stolen youth”
- Prosecutors demanded that over $385,000 in alleged drug proceeds be turned over
Signs & Symptoms

- Decline in grades
- Decline in normal daily behavior
- Agitation
- Anxiety
- Sweating
- Restlessness
- Aggression
- Suicidal Tendencies
- Chest pain
Education is Key

- As trusted expert in your field
  - Tell the general public the dangers of synthetic drugs
  - Speak to civic groups or students
  - Add posters or warnings in your work place to explain the dangers of synthetic drug use
Marijuana
Marijuana - Medical or Recreational

Marijuana Legalization Status
- Medical marijuana legalized
- Marijuana legalized for recreational use
- No laws legalizing marijuana

*Governing The States and Localities
May 2016
SD Marijuana Voting History

- 2006 general election lost 52.3% to 47.7%
- 2010 general election lost 63% to 37%
Marijuana  SD Legislation

Medical Marijuana
- 2001 SB 73
- 2005 HB 1109
- 2009 HB 1127

Medical defense
- 2001 HB 1120
- 2009 HB 1128
- 2013 HB 1227
Legalization in SD?

- FDA approval?
- Physician prescription?
- Pharmacist dispensing?
Marijuana Legalization

- Western AG concerns with the legal recreational use in Washington and Colorado
  - Law enforcement nightmare
  - Long term health concerns
  - Preventing the distribution to minors
College Student Leaps to Death after Eating Pot-Laced Cookie

- March 11, 2014 – Wyoming college student on spring break in Colorado consumes a marijuana cookie purchased from a recreational pot shop.
- Exhibited hostile behavior and ended with a jump over a balcony railing to his death.
- Body tested positive only for THC - the psychoactive ingredient in marijuana.
DOES MARIJUANA USE MAKE YOU STUPID? ....MAYBE NOT, BUT STUPID DECISIONS? YES

- Colorado State Patrol says Stoned Driver Crashed into 2 Patrol Vehicles
- Mom High on Marijuana Leaves Baby on Top of Car, Drives Off: Legalize Pot?
- Woman Complains to Police about Marijuana Quality
- 2 men Tied Child to Tree while they Smoked Pot- Arrested on Drug and Child Abuse Charges