

Committee: General Assembly Third Committee Social, Humanitarian and Cultural (SOCHUM)

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Topic: Prevention of Substance Abuse

The third committee of the General Assembly, having studied the numerous effects of substance abuse,

Recognizes that people are deeply impacted by the use of illegal drugs,

Expresses its appreciation for the consistent effort given to stopping this issue,
Desiring a world free of substance abuse,

1. Encourages drug rehabilitation programs by promoting evidence based treatment research for the prevention and treatment of substance abuse;
2. Calls upon developed nations to provide for certified specialists to research evidence based treatment and prevention of this worldwide issue;
3. Recommends teaching youth to avoid drugs through social media outlets and websites;
4. Further recommends interactive sports and recreational programs provided to both children and adults in schools and hospitals;
5. Supports informative talks being presented to adults from the viewpoint of someone who has gone through addiction;
6. Expresses its hope that those who are rehabilitated will take part in society and work in jobs to increase a country's economy;

7. Endorses assisting both local drug prevention and treatment programs;
8. Encourages helping poor farmers to stop harvesting illicit crops by providing alternative crops with life sustaining gains.

