

Substance Misuse & Coronavirus 19

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Policy Changes & Delivery of Services

Practical responses in the time of COVID-19

Lack of social housing can severely jeopardise an individual's chance of rehabilitation

[Russell Webster Blog](#)

Health & Behaviour

Cannabinoids and the coronavirus

Reviews the state of the science regarding cannabinoids as possible therapy for viral illnesses and thus the coronavirus [Cannabis and Cannabinoid Research](#)

Cannabinoids and COVID-19

Presents the current knowledge on the potential impact of cannabinoids on bacterial and viral infection courses, namely SARS-CoV-2 [Medical Cannabis & Cannabinoids](#)

COVID-19 and cannabis smoking and vaping: four things you should know

Topics covered include the effects of smoking on lung health and on the immune system as well as the impact for people with COVID infection

[Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction](#)

Online Resources

COVID-19: Useful links, August 2020

This page contains the latest COVID-related links on guidance, harm reduction & treatment, news & opinion and research [Society for the Study of Addiction](#)

Webinar: Protecting students from drug-related harm in 2020 [16 Sep, 4-6pm]

Will present the findings of a recent survey on student drug use and discuss in detail how COVID-19 has impacted on patterns of consumption [Neurosight](#)

Webinar: the dual public health emergency and advocating for change: international perspectives [28 Aug, 1-2 PM]

How the increase in drug overdoses and the coronavirus have affected drug-users in Canada and Australia [Scottish Drugs Forum](#)

Due to the current coronavirus outbreak, the Library and Knowledge Services are operating a virtual service until further notice. We can provide evidence support with literature searches, current awareness and assistance with accessing our online resources.



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