A basic package to strengthen drug prevention, treatment, care and rehabilitation
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3.5 and ...

SDG 3.5: Strengthening prevention & treatment of substance use disorders

SDG 5: Gender equality and empowerment of women and girls

SDG 16: Peace, justice and strong institutions
Drug prevention, treatment, care and rehabilitation system

- Evidence-based strategies
- Quality standards
- Human resources
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International Standards for the Treatment of Drug Use Disorders
## Prevention

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**Still simpler?**
Need help?

PREVENTION MANAGERS
We can facilitate contact!
Experience to BUILD on

• FAMILIES
  – Families and Schools Together (FAST)
  – Strengthening Families Program for Youth and Parents (SFP 10-14)
  – NEW!!! Strong Families

• SCHOOLS
  – Good Behavior Game
  – UNPLUGGED
  – Lion’s Quest
Strong families

The Strong Families Program
Treatment

(UNODC, 2016)
Start at the community level

(UNODC, 2016)
We can help!

• Examples:
  – Overdose prevention
  – Treatment as an alternative
  – Step-by-step methadone protocol
  – Psychosocial therapies
  – Treatment for women, incl. pregnant women
Drug prevention, treatment, care and rehabilitation system

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Quality Standards

• Prevention
  – EDPQS
  – Evaluation training

• Treatment
  – NEW!!! UNODC Quality Standards
Drug prevention, treatment, care and rehabilitation system

Evidence-based strategies

Quality standards

Human resources

Financial resources

Coordination mechanisms
Training

- Policy makers
  - Nature, prevention and treatment of drug use disorders
- Practitioners

WE HAVE IT ALL!!!
Drug prevention, treatment, care and rehabilitation system

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# Prevention system

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Treatment services

Drug user

- Psychological and pharmacological drug dependence treatment
- Recovery management
- Mental health care
- Social assistance and protection
- General health care
- Anti-retroviral therapy
- Overdose, HIV, hepatitis prevention
- Family, community and peer support
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Let us use our resources better!
Better drug prevention and treatment
Health and wellbeing for all, particularly the most vulnerable
Thank you!