

Chinese Drug Involvement Scale (C-DIS)

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(Project Name / Activity Name)
Pre-activity Evaluation Questionnaire

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Participant no.: _____

Gender: Male Female

Age: _____ years old

Instruction:

The following questions concern information about your opinion towards drugs taking (including illicit or legal drugs). This is not a test, thus there is no right or wrong answer. Please read each item carefully, decide on the most appropriate option and circle the corresponding number. Please answer all questions.

1. I have had the experience of confrontation with others without reasons after using drugs.

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|-------|--------|--------------|-------|------------------|--------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| never | seldom | occasionally | often | most of the time | always |

2. My good friends would regard using drugs as very common.

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| strongly disagree | fairly disagree | slightly disagree | slightly agree | fairly agree | strongly agree |

3. Using drugs will make me more confident.

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| strongly disagree | fairly disagree | slightly disagree | slightly agree | fairly agree | strongly agree |

4. I believe that all my troubles will disappear after using drugs.

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|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| strongly disagree | fairly disagree | slightly disagree | slightly agree | fairly agree | strongly agree |

5. I believe that I can get along with my friends better after using drugs.

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| strongly disagree | fairly disagree | slightly disagree | slightly agree | fairly agree | strongly agree |

6. I believe that I will have a good time after taking drugs.

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| strongly disagree | fairly disagree | slightly disagree | slightly agree | fairly agree | strongly agree |

7. I use drugs several times each week.

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| never | seldom | occasionally | often | most of the time | always |

8. I have had the experience of fainting after an overdose of drugs.

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| never | seldom | occasionally | often | most of the time | always |

9. Using drugs leads to my having more conflicts with my family.

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| never | seldom | occasionally | often | most of the time | always |

10. I will use drugs when I am unhappy.

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| strongly disagree | fairly disagree | slightly disagree | slightly agree | fairly agree | strongly agree |

11. I have taken overdoses of drugs.

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12. When I use drugs together with my friends, I always use more than they do.

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In Hong Kong, some people have substance abuse behaviour, which means taking illicit drugs (e.g. using thinner, "ice", popping pills) or overdosing on certain legal drugs (e.g. cough medicine etc.). Based on this understanding, please answer all questions.

13. I have promised myself not to abuse drugs.

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14. I will feel guilty if I abuse drugs.

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15. I will not abuse drugs.

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16. I have abused drugs in the past 30 days.

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17. I have many good friends who abuse drugs.

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18. My good friends have abused drugs in the past month.

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19. My good friends think it is stupid to abuse drugs.

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20. If I abuse drugs often, I will have trouble in my work or study.

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21. It is important to let others know that I do not abuse drugs.

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22. My health will be worse than the health of others if I abuse drugs.

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= Thank you =

(Project Name / Activity Name)
Post-activity Evaluation Questionnaire

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= Thank you =

Information Note on Evaluation Question Set No. 11
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Items 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21 and 22 in the scale are negatively phrased which means the score for individual items shall be calculated by subtracting respondent's rating from 7. For instance, if the respondent's rating for Q15 is 5, then the score for Q15 shall be $7-5 = 2$. Missing items are coded as 0. A higher score denotes more problematic beliefs and values relating to drug use.