Doctors Warn

Cannabis Can Cause Serious Health Hazards

IASIC, the International Academy on the Science and Impact of Cannabis, is a medical organization of doctors who educate on the impacts of cannabis, based on the scientific and medical literature. IASIC is a non-partisan and non-political group created to facilitate informed decisions when considering health and cannabis policy.

Thousands of peer-reviewed medical articles have been published on the harms of cannabis and marijuana: Emergency Department (ED) Visits, Psychosis, Suicide, Brain Development, Neonatal Exposure, Opioid Use, Traffic Fatalities, High Potency Use, Problematic Use and Cannabis Hyperemesis Syndrome.

While we support FDA-approved cannabisbased products that have met the rigor of scientific study, it is our conclusion, based on review of the scientific evidence, that the negative impacts of cannabis strain our health care and addiction treatment resources to an extent that far surpasses the perceived benefits.

Calling attention to the growing science on the risks of cannabis, we see an urgent need for smart public health policies that follow the science, prevent addiction, and decrease mental illness, including psychosis, depression, and suicide.

IASIC, The International Association on Science and Impact of Cannabis wants the public and our leaders to be informed decision makers.



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