Successes in the Fight Against Drugs

Impact on Demand (2000 through 2015)

Teen drug use:

It is estimated that nearly 690,000 fewer teenagers used illicit drugs last year than a decade earlier, a 15 percent decline.

Marijuana:

Current marijuana use by teens has dropped 14 percent.

Methamphetamine:

Current methamphetamine use by teens has plummeted 80 percent.

Ecstasy:

Current use of Ecstasy has been slashed by 67 percent among teens.

Cocaine:

Current cocaine use among high school seniors has dropped 59 percent, and crack cocaine use has decreased 53 percent.

Steroids:

Steroid use by teens has dropped by 44 percent.

LSD:

LSD use has dropped by an astounding 50 percent.