

# AWARENESS PROGRAM ON ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE(INJANA)

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“That’s all drugs and alcohol do, they cut off your emotions in the end.”

**Drug and Alcohol abuse** are important problems that affect school-age youth at earlier ages than in the past. Young people frequently begin to experiment with alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs during the middle school years, with a smaller number starting during elementary school. By the time students are in high school, rates of substance use are remarkably high. According to national survey data, about one in three twelfth graders reports being drunk or binge drinking (i.e., five or more drinks in a row) in the past thirty days, furthermore, almost half of high school students report ever using marijuana and more than one-fourth report using marijuana in the past thirty days. Marijuana is the most commonly used illicit drug among high school students. However, use of the drug ecstasy (MDMA) has seen a sharp increase among American teenagers at the end of the twentieth century, from 6 percent in 1996 up to 11 percent reporting having tried ecstasy in 2000.



Indeed, at the beginning of the twenty-first century, ecstasy was used by more American teenagers than cocaine. Mainly in India this addiction problem shows in the village area due to lack of knowledge about the side effect of drinking and drugs the villagers or mainly the young generation get addicted of those things



In order to aware the villagers about the alcohol and drugs the volunteers of NSS SOEE conducted an awareness camp on "**Effects of Tobacco and Alcohol Consumption**" at the Injana village.





Our volunteers went door to door explaining the adverse effects and dangers to one's family and self, with the help of posters designed by the volunteers. The program was greatly appreciated by the local community.

