

ISSUP Newsletter - Issue 100

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Welcome to our 100th Newsletter!



It is a huge privilege for me to be introducing this, our 100th edition newsletter! It is great to be able to get in touch with you all to say thank you for reading, keeping in touch, contributing and your fantastic efforts in substance use prevention, treatment and recovery.

When ISSUP thinks about the substance use prevention, treatment and recovery support workforce, we think of a community of individuals, contributing in a range of ways, as volunteers, practitioners, managers, commissioners, policymakers, educators, carers, peers, family and learners. We want to learn from you, support you and boost your work; whilst putting you on the map as a workforce.

This newsletter is a small part of our efforts, but one which allows us to talk to you regularly and highlight the things that we think will be of use to you. Throughout our 100 editions we have shared research, highlighted events, promoted issues and brought you up to date on what ISSUP is offering. We currently have 17,500 subscribers, and still growing!

We hope you enjoy this 100th edition, with information about our [National Chapters 2021 Annual Meeting](#) and our upcoming [Tobacco Webinar Series](#).

We're delighted you're part of ISSUP. We hope you are finding an element of our work of use. We urge you to keep going out every day in the pursuit of evidence based, ethical drug prevention, treatment and recovery support. If there is something in particular you'd like to see in our newsletters, please let us know [here](#).

Our Top 10 Newsletter Posts!

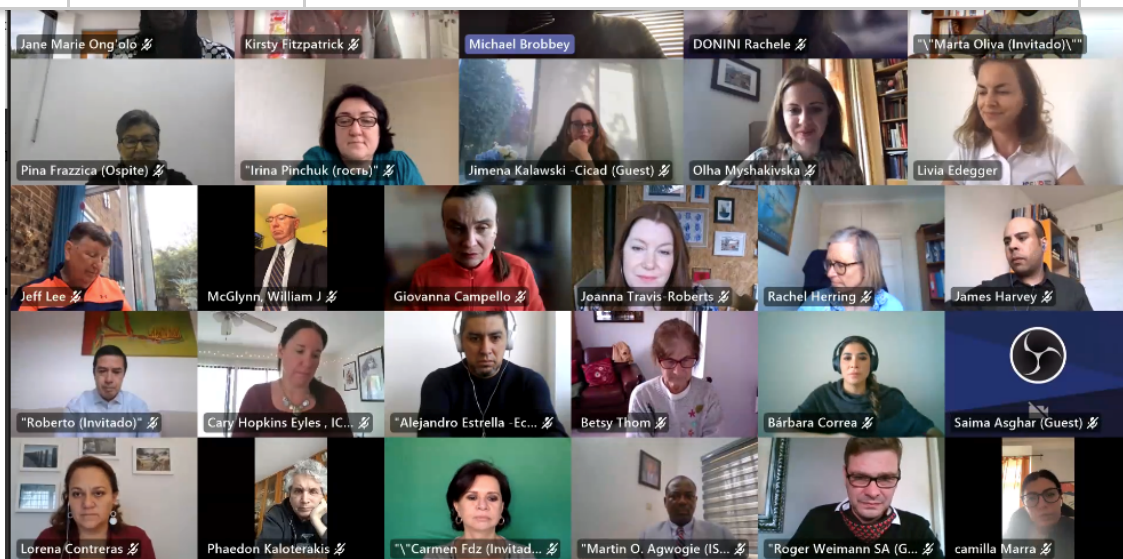


As we celebrate the anniversary of our 100th edition, we thought we would share our **top 10 articles and features** of all time! Here are the posts that have had the most readers since the first issue of the newsletter was sent out in 2017.

1. [Motivational Interviewing Course: Assisting Patients in Making Sustainable Positive Lifestyle Changes](#)
2. [Drug Demand Reduction in Africa Conference](#)
3. [Global drug use rising says World Drug Report 2020](#)
4. [Winners of the 2018 ISSUP Awards](#)
5. [“Prevention Map” Meeting Takes Place in Washington, DC](#)
6. [The National Chapters at ISSUP's 4th Annual Workshop](#)
7. [INEP Plus Opens the Door to Prevention](#)
8. [ISSUP Celebrates 10,000 Members!](#)
9. [Drug Demand Reduction Programming in the Americas Meeting](#)
10. [ISSUP Participates in CICAD's XX Drug Demand Reduction Expert Group Meeting](#)

National Chapters Annual Meeting 2021

On 20-22 April, ISSUP was delighted to hold its three day annual meeting with representatives from our existing and potential [National Chapters](#), which totalled 33 countries being represented. We took the opportunity to discuss areas where we can further support the important work of the National Chapters, and it allowed us to thank them for their enthusiastic efforts delivering the mission of ISSUP around the world. Read the full event update: [ISSUP](#)

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Expand Your Knowledge of Tobacco Use Issues

It is our pleasure to invite you to a forthcoming series of three live online events on the topic of Tobacco Use. The Tobacco Webinar Series will be held throughout May, with the final event marking [World No Tobacco Day](#) on the 31st of May 2021. See details for each event below and follow the links to register. Full details here: [ISSUP](#)

LIVE WEBINAR **ISSUP** INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF ADDICTIONAL PROFESSIONALS

INDIA chapter

Tobacco Webinar Series

Webinar 1:
Tobacco Use - Pleasure or Harm?

May 5, 2021 | 6am Pacific Time | 2pm UK | 6:30pm India

Speakers: Dr. Pratima Murthy, Nicholas Fradkin, Dr. Samya Al Memari, Dr. Adam Kulhanek

5 May | Join the first webinar for a look at nicotine addiction, treatment of dependence, smoking patterns and attitudes of patients, and the management of smoke-free detoxification units. [Register](#)

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PHILIPPINES chapter

Tobacco Webinar Series

Webinar 2:
New Electronic Smoking Devices - What's The Difference?

May 19, 2021 | 6am Pacific Time | 2pm UK | 9pm Philippines

Speakers: Jonathan Foulds, PhD, Dr. Kawkab Shishani, Hari Nugroho, MD, MSc, Dr. E. Ulysses Dorotheo

19 May | The second session will look at new electronic smoking devices and what the scientific evidence tells us about electronic cigarettes, health risks and potential harms, and policy recommendations. [Register](#)

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PAKISTAN chapter

Tobacco Webinar Series

Webinar 3:
Tobacco Smoking Addiction - From Prevention to Treatment

May 31, 2021 | 4am Pacific Time | 12pm UK | 4pm Pakistan

Speakers: Beatriz H. Carlini, Jeff Lee, Natalia Zachartzi, Dr. Tribowo T Ginting, Saima Asghar

31 May | Join us on World No Tobacco Day 2021 for a look at best practices in tobacco cessation, prevention of smoking behaviour, prevention in children, treatment, and tobacco use trends in Pakistan. [Register](#)

Click [here](#) to browse our full programme of webinars and archive of past events.

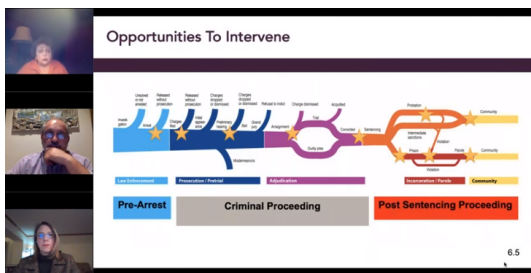
CPDAP UPC M&S and SOGI Training Courses



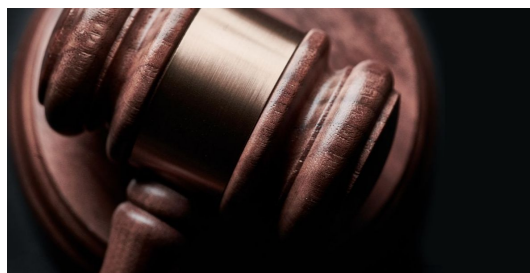
The Drug Advisory Programme of Colombo Plan (CPDAP) invite applications for the [UPC Managers and Supervisor's series](#) and [SOGI](#) online training courses to be conducted from the 15 June 2021.

Knowledge Share

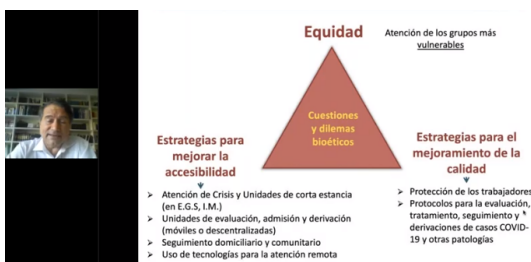
The ISSUP [Knowledge Share](#) holds a wealth of resources submitted by our members and partners. Read our [sharing_guide](#) and make your first post today.



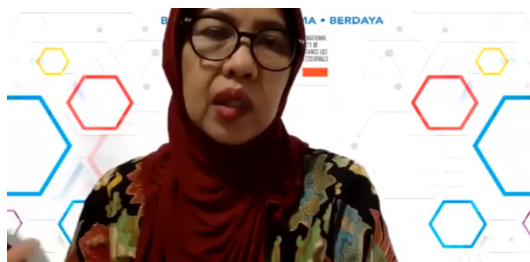
[Webinar: Alternatives to Imprisonment for Drug Users](#)



[Substance Use and the Criminal Justice System Reading List](#)



[Accesibilidad, calidad y equidad en los dispositivos de tratamiento](#)



[ISSUP Indonesia Launch Webinar](#)
(in Indonesian only)



[Civil Society & COVID-19 - Responses to the Pandemic](#)



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