

ISSUP Newsletter - Issue 135: October 26, 2022

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A very warm welcome to this edition. ISSUP now has over 27,600 members worldwide and the one thing we all have in common is that we are passionate about evidence-based practice and improving the quality of prevention, treatment, and recovery support provision everywhere. Each edition of our newsletter features resources and opportunities from our partners and members that we hope you will find useful. As always, we value your feedback and if there is anything you would like to see featured or promoted here please [get in touch](#) with us.

Online Course in Basic Counselling Skills

We are thrilled to bring you the news that UTC Course 4 is now available to take online in a Self Led format. Learn core counselling techniques, including basic skills in motivational interviewing, group counselling and implementing psychoeducation sessions. Enrol here: [ISSUP](#)



The Global Centre for Credentialing and Certification (GCCC) will be offering ICAP Treatment I-IV Exams (Pencil/Paper) to qualified candidates on 10 December 2022 in Quezon, Philippines. [Apply here](#). **Applications must be submitted by 31 October 2022.**



Comorbidity of mental health and SUD

Mental health and substance use issues are commonly linked. It is important that practitioners are skilled and knowledgeable in identifying and working with the potential challenges an individual may be facing.

For World Mental Health Day, ISSUP UK, ISSUP Pakistan and ISSUP Indonesia collaborated on a [presentation](#) addressing the issues that practitioners can face when reaching out and working with people with substance use and mental health problems.

The latest ISSUP Reading List offers further information and resources on this complex issue that can be challenging for treatment services. Learn more: [ISSUP](#)



Inauguration of new ISSUP Kenya 2022-2025 Executive Committee

Following successful elections on 27th August 2022, ISSUP Kenya has inaugurated a new Executive Committee. ISSUP extends a very big thank you to the outgoing members for their contribution and we wish the incoming members every success in their future endeavours. Full update here: [ISSUP](#)



SPR 2023 Annual Meeting

SPR is still accepting submissions for their Annual Meeting, which will be held on May 30-June 2, 2023, in Washington, DC. Want to take part? The deadline for all calls is October 31, 2022! Full details here: [SPR](#)



Registration opens for European Drugs Winter and Summer Schools 2023

The EMCDDA and the University Institute of Lisbon (ISCTE-IUL) are delighted to open registration today for two upcoming joint events in 2023: the European Drugs Winter School (EDWS) and the European Drugs Summer School (EDSS). Learn about the programmes and scholarship availability: [ISSUP](#)

Upcoming webinars and events

ISSUP INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR SUBSTANCE USE PROFESSIONALS
UKRAINE

Ukraine ITTC International Technology Transfer Center

Consultation on Ukraine Emergency Issues

Providing mental health support and care to people affected by the War: General topics and specific questions

- Aug 31, 2022 | 19:00 Kyiv
- Sept 28, 2022 | 19:00 Kyiv
- Nov 3, 2022 | 19:00 Kyiv

Interactive consultations prompted by participant questions: general and specific.
Limited participant numbers.

Dr. Sonya Norman
Professor, UC San Diego
Director,
PTSD Consultation Program

Dr. Patricia Watson
Psychologist,
National Center for PTSD

3 November | Session 3 of the Consultation on Ukraine emergency issues: 'Providing mental health support and care to people affected by the War: general topics and specific cases'. [Register interest](#) (advance registration required due to limited places).

10 de noviembre | ISSUP Chile te invita a participar de un webinar sobre los resultados de investigaciones

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Cannabis y Adolescencia
Dr. Gabriel Rossi Gonnet
 Médico Psiquiatra de Niños y Adolescentes
 Ex coordinador del área tratamiento de la Secretaría Nacional de Drogas de Uruguay
 Consultor del Plan Colombo Latinoamérica

10 de noviembre de 2022 17:30 (hora de Chile)

en desarrollo? [Regístrate](#)

LIVE WEBINAR **ISSUP** INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF SUBSTANCE USE PROFESSIONALS

Substance Use Prevention:
 A review of what it means and requires through the language of football/soccer

Speaker:
Jeff Lee
 Senior Consultant, International Society of Substance Use Professionals (ISSUP)

November 15, 2022 2PM London

15 November | Using the language of football/soccer, Jeff Lee will provide an overview of the role of prevention within drug demand reduction and the “do’s” and “don’ts” of how we should approach prevention provision. [Register](#)

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

Knowledge Share

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

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20 OCTUBRE 11:00 a.m.

CONVERSATORIO VIRTUAL
 "Experiencias exitosas de CSMC en la prevención y atención de personas consumidoras".

JAVIER NIÑO ALCANTARA Psicólogo CSMC Chile
MAURICIO BENVENISTE Médico psiquiatra CSMC Chile
ALEYDA OSORIO LEÓN Psicóloga CSMC Chile
ELENA ESCOBAR Psicóloga CSMC Chile
MIGUEL HINOJOSA Experto Senior de la Dirección de Salud Mental en Ministerio de Salud

ISSUP PERÚ CHILE

DEVIDA care CAYENDE HEREDIA

[ISSUP Perú webinar sobre servicios comunitarios](#)

ISSUP INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF SUBSTANCE USE PROFESSIONALS

Challenges and Responses: Reaching out to those with Substance Use and Mental Health Problems

Please note that this webinar is provided for informational purposes only and does not constitute medical or treatment advice. The views presented here are those of the speaker and not, necessarily, those of ISSUP.

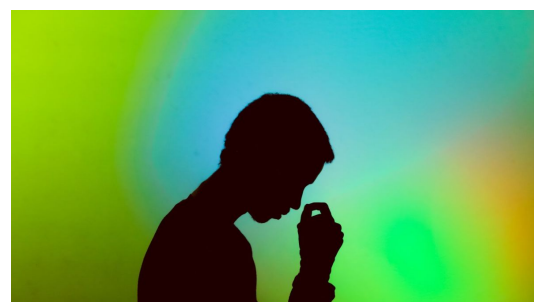
[Reaching out to those with SUD and Mental Health Problems](#)

ISSUP ARGENTINA **UMSA** UNIVERSIDAD

Datos sobre consumo de alcohol en niños argentinos

Consumo de alcohol en niños y niñas Día 16/11/2022, 14:30

[ISSUP Argentina webinar: Consumo de alcohol en niños y niñas](#)



[Comorbidity of mental health and substance use disorders](#)

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Browse the collection of plenaries, presentations and other videos from the global in person and online event which took place on the 12th – 16th May 2022 in Abu Dhabi. Explore the archive here: [ISSUP](#)

Jobs & Opportunities

- [Universal Treatment Curriculum \(UTC\) Self Led Courses](#)
- [Project Coordinator: CCSA, Canada](#)
- [Associate, Coalition Development Services, CADCA, Unites States](#)
- [NCC AP Certification and Testing Coordinator, United States](#)
- [UNODC Programme Coordinator - Programme Office in Mozambique \(POMOZ\)](#)
- [PhD Studentship - Developing and Evaluating an e-Cigarette Cessation Intervention](#)

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