

Let's Start Dialogue on Drug Use Prevention 2019



Activities Drug Demand Reduction & Drug Use Prevention Monthly Report of February, 2019

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Organized by: **Drug Advisory Training Hub (DATH) & YOCFAN** Collaboration with: **PHEC, DC Office Lahore, Directorate Colleges Lahore**

No.	Topic/Institutions	Date
1.	A team of DATH/YOCFAN paid a surprise monitoring visit of Smoke and Drug Free Campus at Govt. Wattan Islamia High School, Brandreth Road, Lahore. Syed Mohsin, incharge School program along with team members Saima Shahzad, Binish Asad and Farwah Bashir discussed various issues regarding drug use prevention and awareness programs with staff and focal person. Principal Mr. Amir Mehmood briefed the team members about our success stories	01-02-2019
2.	Special Meeting Brief of Crystal Ice and Sheesha Smoking Bill 2019 held at Commissioner Office, the meeting presided Mr. Usman Khalid Additional Commissioner Lahore Division. Syed Zulfiqar Hussain briefed about use of crystal ice, drug addiction through of Sheesha smoking, drug addiction in the educational institutions, use of drugs in parks, footpaths and gardens and treatment program for SUD. DCO Kasur, ADCG Nankana, Mr. Tariq Zaman PSO to DCO Lahore, all CEO Health and Education from Lahore Division and SSP Special branch participated. Syed Mohsin, Saima Shahzad, & Dr. Ikram ul Islam also participated in this occasion.	4-02-2019
3.	Special surprised monitoring visit and meeting was organized with Sister Shakila, Principal of Don Bosco High School Empress Road Lahore in which discussed about drug addiction issues and smoking in lower staff of school. Syed Zulfiqar informed that yesterday City 42 highlighted the drug issue about school staff. Principal informed we removed the staff who involved some wrong activities.	06-02-2019
4.	A special talk program with Fine Arts Students Lahore College for Women University regarding how to give positive message through posters. Mr. Ayub, Senior Advisor Colombo Plan & Syed Zulfiqar Hussain, Consultant delivered a comprehensive lectures to Fine Arts Students. The poster Competition will organize at Lahore College for Women University after summer vacation.	07-02-2019
5.	Let's Start Dialogue on Drug Use Prevention program held at College of Tourism and Hotel Management COTHM Johar Town Lahore. Mr. Shahid Mian Director presided and Syed Zulfiqar Hussain, Ms. Saima Shahzad and Mr. Tipu also talk on drug addiction issues.	11-02-2019
6.	Teacher Training Session organized by PHEC at Punjab Higher Education Commission Training Institute. Syed Zulfiqar Hussain, Consultant Anti Drugs/Narcotics Campaign delivered a comprehensive lecture followed by Answer and Questions. About one 100 Assistance Professor were participated in the program. Mr. Tahir Bashir, Dir Training presided the event.	12-02-2019
7.	Awareness Seminar on Drug Use Prevention organized at Govt. Shalimar College for Boys Baghbanpura, Lahore. Syed Zulfiqar Hussain delivered a lecture on how to improve his life, types of drugs, risk and protective factors. CEO Health Lahore Dr. Agha Toheed and Ms. Tahira Mariam Health Officer were chief	13-02-2019

	guests. Voice Principal Mr. Naeem and Prof. Muhammad Aslam was also spoke on the occasion.			
8.	Syed Zulfiqar Hussain, Consultant, Anti Drugs/Narcotics Campaign participated in Live Program on Drug Addiction and Crystal Ice in Lahore News TV and Hum TV.	13-02-2019		
9.	Review meeting with Mr. Tahir Bashir Director, PHEC regarding future planning on drug use prevention programs in educational institutions on division level.15-02-2PHEC will provide the fully technical support15-02-2			
10.	Syed Zulfiqar Hussain participated in "News Night Program with Najam Wali" on Lahore Rang TV. Mr. Hussain discussed about rapidly growing trend of drug addiction in the city of Lahore and other guests also agreed by Mr. Hussain. Thousands people watched the program.	16-02-2019		
11.	Organized UNODC Prevention Specialists meeting on Drugs at Drug Advisory Training Hub (DATH), Syed Zulfiqar, Mr. Tahir Bashir, Dr. Shoaib and Mr. Adnan Chohan participated in the meeting.	18-02-2019 21-02-2019		
12.	 A special meeting held at CEO Health Lahore Dr. Agha Touhed, Ms. Tahira Maryum Distt. Health Education Officer, Mr. Muhammad Ayub, Senior Advisor Colombo Plan with Syed Zulfiqar Hussain, Ms. Saima Shahzad and Syed Mohsin participated in the meeting. A detailed discussion on drug use prevention and drug demand reduction campaign. An other meeting held at University of Education Director General Mr. Anees Ahmed regarding working relationship with PHEC on Drug Demand Reduction Programs in different educational institutions. Mr. Muhammad Ayub, Senior Advisor Colombo Plan with Ms. Saima Shahzad and Syed Mohsin participated in the meeting. 			
13.	Syed Zulfiqar Consultant, Anti Drugs/Narcotics Campaign presided program on Social Evil in Educational Institutions organized by Nazria Pakistan Trust. Ms. Haleema Sadia Director Punjab Group of Colleges also spoke on the occasion. Teachers from different institutions participated in the event.	21-2-2019		
14.	Annual Prize distribution ceremony was held at Ali Al-Murad High School, Garhi Shahu Lahore. Syed Zulfiqar Hussain was chief guest at this ceremony.	23-02-2019		
15.	Annual Prize distribution ceremony was held at Don Basco High School Principal Empress Road, Lahore. Syed Zulfiqar Hussain was chief guest at this ceremony. Syed Mohsin & Saima Shahzad also participated in this ceremony.	25-02-2019		
16.	Meeting with Mr. Amir Gillani at University of Lahore. Syed Zulfiqar Hussain discussed with his team members Syed Mohsin & Saima Shahzad at this meeting. Volunteers of UCP also participated in this meeting.	28-02-2019		

No.	Activities Title	No. of Activities
1.	Monitoring Visit held	02
2.	Advocacy Meetings + General Meetings held	06
3.	Awareness Seminars held	07
4.	Participation in Live TV Program	03
5.	Participation in Training UNODC	01
6.	Awareness Walk on Drug Use Prevention	01
7.	Press Clipping	39
8.	TV News Channels	17
9.	Distribution of Literature	710
10.	Back Drop and Flexes	5/8
11.	No. of Students/Youth Trained/Educated	557
12.	No. of Teachers Trained/Educated	0
13.	No. of Parents Trained/Educated	0
14.	No. of Key Individuals sensitized	112

Lahore High Court:

Syed Zulfiqar Hussain, filed a W/P in Lahore High Court on use of smoking and soft drugs in the schools and colleges. On 22nd February 2019 Syed Zulfiqar Hussain, Consultant, Anti Drugs/Narcotics Campaign and Chairman YOCFAN appeared before Honorable Justice Jawad Hasan Lahore High Court and explained his point of view about the ground reality of drugs and highlighted the activities done in past regarding drug demand reduction and drug use prevention in educational institutions. In the same case School Education Department, FIA and Mr. Azhar Saddiqe Advocate, Mr. Fuwad Mughal Advocate also appeared before the honorable Court. Syed Zulfiqar Hussain informed the reason about smoking, ecigarette and naswar in school students. He further informed the honorable court that there are two types of drugs in the market and upper and middle class using different drugs.

Challenges:

The month of February our program implementing teams have been facing some challenging in which We overcome the challenges organizing different meetings with the head of different government departments and different institutions. We made it clear to different provincial ministers and government officers to make them understand about our objectives, mission, goals and different ongoing activities on drug demand reduction and drug use prevention. Project Coordinator Syed Zulfiqar along with his implementing team had to work hard to meet these challenges. At the moment DATH/YOCFAN and its implementing team has met these challenges successfully in the month of December. Now these officers and Ministers have been stream lined to understand our programs and mission.

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