

why drug banning is good.

Augmentative Essay

United States of America is considered as a liberal state, where an individual can enjoy life with freedom, but freedom does not mean that we should start taking things for granted. This means that we start indulging in activities, which can prove to be dangerous for others and ourselves. The addiction to drug is very hazardous, thus it should be banned. The topic of this argumentative paper is why drug banning is good.

Drug abuse should not only be discouraged in United States, but it should be condemned worldwide. Addiction or the use of drugs is harmful for both the user, and for others who comes into contact with the abuser. According to various researches and studies conducted on drugs usage, it has been estimated that there around 40 million users who uses drugs illegally, and America happens to be the biggest market for drugs. The researchers conclude that the number of drug dealers exceed the numbers of doctors in our society. Drug addiction and abuse not only hurts the user, but the entire society. Drug addiction is like a parasite, which feeds on the financial power of our society. It is very important to note that money spent on drugs is not at all put to good use. When drug addicts runs of money, they try getting money for drugs in an illegal way such as, theft, robberies etc, ultimately increasing the crime rates (Levaggi et al., 2012).

The most common drug in our society is Alcohol, though it is perceived as relatively harmless, and socially acceptable, but it can also have disturbing effects. The immediate effects of alcohol are anesthetic effect and feeling of relaxation. But, its consumption can often result in violent temper, where the individual performs serious of acts, which can harm others. The alcoholics are seen to abuse others both physically and mentally, as they are not in their senses. In America, millions of lives are wasted due to consumption of alcohol, and drunk driving plays

a significant contribution. Not only this, individual, who drinks are subject to vomiting, passing out, and consumption in large quantity can also lead to death.

There are other several forms of drugs, which are consumed such as marijuana, cocaine, and heroine. Out of the mentioned three categories, heroine is most addictive form of drug. It addicts are termed as junkie, because they have no concern about personal hygiene, and health. All they care about is staying in the state of euphoria. Its heavy consumption can also lead to death.

The main reason, which leads to significant growth in crime rate, is drug abuse. The abusers are always in need of money to support their habits, and they are often found reckless when under influence. The abusers are involved in property crimes, such as robbing a store or a house. They are also engaged in personal crimes such as mugging, rape and even murders. A society with drug abusers around makes it a very unhealthy and exposed place to live in, as the people will feel unsafe to come out of their homes (Yin-song, 2009).

This leads us to conclude that drugs should be banned. In order to combat drugs, firstly we need to look up to the roots of drugs supplies, we should track the source of its origin eliminate it. We should educate the people about its harmful effects, and the harm it causes to the society. We should also frame strict rules and regulation to prohibit the entry of drugs in our country. Secondly, we should develop facilities for the abusers to help them fight the aftermath of withdrawing drugs. The only way to wage an effective war against drug is when we set elimination of drugs form our society as our top priority.

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