

Slang/Street Names for Drugs

Marijuana

Marijuana, a drug made from the flower of the cannabis plant, is a mind-altering substance that produces euphoric effects. Marijuana can lead to slowed reaction time, increased heart rate, anxiety and hallucinations.

- Smoke
- Aunt Mary
- Mary Jane
- Green
- Pot
- Reefer
- Joint
- Weed
- Zaza
- Dope
- Ganja
- Grass
- Trees
- Skunk
- BC Bud
- Blunts
- Boom
- Gangster
- Hash
- Cart
- Bud

Synthetic THC

Synthetic cannabinoids are herbal mixtures that include cannabinoid chemicals associated to THC. These drugs are stronger and more dangerous than marijuana. Synthetic cannabinoids can result in increased heart rate, paranoia or heart attack.

- K2
- Spice
- Bliss
- Black mamba
- Fire
- Smacked
- Moon rocks
- Genie
- Bombay blue
- Fake weed

Steroids

Anabolic steroids are man-made substances that people often abuse to enhance their physical appearance, athletic ability or sexual performance. Using these drugs can lead to fluid retention, aggression and kidney failure.

- Stackers
- Weight Gainers
- Candy
- Gym
- Juice
- Roids
- Pumpers
- Arnolds

Stimulants

Stimulants are drugs that increase blood pressure, attention, alertness, heart rate and energy. These substances include illicit drugs such as cocaine and prescription medications such as amphetamine. Using these drugs can lead to heart problems, paranoia and infectious diseases.

Amphetamines (Adderall/Benzedrine):

- Bennies
- Truck drivers
- LA turnaround
- Uppers
- Speed
- Hearts
- Crosses
- Black beauties

Methamphetamine:

- Crank
- Speed
- Meth
- Ice
- Go fast
- Chalk
- Crystal
- Fire
- Glass

Cocaine:

- Blow
- Flake
- Rock
- Toot
- Snow
- Bump
- C
- Candy
- Crack
- Charlie
- Coke
- Soda Cot

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Kratom

Derived from a tree indigenous to Thailand, kratom is a drug that can relieve pain and cause mood-lifting effects. It's known as "gas station heroin". Kratom use can lead to seizures, liver damage and withdrawal symptoms.

- Herbal speedball
- Ketum
- Biak-biak
- Thom
- Ithang
- Kahuam



Fentanyl

Fentanyl is a synthetic opioid that is up to 50 times stronger than heroin and 100 times stronger than morphine. It is often added to other street drugs, which makes drugs cheaper, more powerful, more addictive, and more dangerous.

- Apache
- TNT
- Tango and Cash
- Goodfella
- Jackpot
- China girl
- China white
- Friend
- Dance fever
- Murder 8
- Percopop
- King Ivory
- He-Man
- Great Bear

Oxycodone

Oxycodone is a potent morphine-like opioid for pain relief.



- Oxycet
- Oxycotton
- Oxy
- O.C.
- Percs
- Hillbilly Heroin
- Cotton
- Ox
- Pills
- Kicker
- Roxy

Percocet

Percocet is an opioid for pain relief that is a combination of oxycodone and acetaminophen.



- Bananas
- 512s
- Blueberries
- Blue
- Tires
- Wheels
- Percs
- Rims
- M-30s
- Kickers
- Greenies
- Ercs
- Buttons

Xanax

Xanax is a sedative prescription drug that can cause muscle relaxation and reduce anxiety. This drug can result in dizziness, confusion, slurred speech and insomnia.

- Bars
- Zannies
- Z-Bars
- Xanies
- Sticks
- Bicycle handle bars
- Hulk
- Footballs
- Planks
- Ladders
- School Bus
- Zanbars

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Sleep Meds

Sleep medications are sold over the counter or prescribed by a physician. Prescription sleep medications, called hypnotics, help people fall asleep more quickly. These medications include Ambien, Sonata and Lunesta.

- Rophies
- Forget-me pill
- R2
- Mexican Valium
- Rope
- Roofinol



Rohypnol

Flunitrazepam, also known as Rohypnol, is a benzodiazepine that is chemically similar to Valium and Xanax. Many young people misuse Rohypnol in party environments. Because of its sedative properties, the drug has been used to incapacitate people and commit sexual assaults.

- Date-rape drug
- Roofies
- Circles
- Forget-me pill
- Forget pill
- Wolfies
- Trip-and-fall
- Ruffies
- Row-shay
- La rocha
- Mexican Valium
- Lunch money
- Mind eraser
- Pingus
- Roach
- Reynolds
- Rib
- Rophies

Dextromethorphan

Some over-the-counter cough and cold medications can be psychoactive when misused. These medicines include dextromethorphan and cough syrups containing promethazine and codeine. Many young people mix prescription cough medicine with soda or candy to produce “lean.” Also known as “sizzurp,” this concoction can cause feelings of euphoria. But it can depress the central nervous and respiratory systems, leading to heart and lung problems.

- Sizzurp
- Lean
- Robo
- Robotripping
- Triple Cs



Inhalants

Inhalants include aerosols, solvents and gases found in home products such as glues, spray paints and cleaning fluids. They can result in dizziness, lightheadedness, choking, suffocation or death from asphyxiation.

- Laughing gas
- Poppers
- Gluey
- Huff
- Rush
- Snappers
- Whippits

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Heroin

Heroin is a highly addictive opioid that is illegal to possess in the United States. Made from natural substances in certain poppy plants, the drug is often sold as a white or brownish powder that can be mixed with other substances. Heroin use can cause collapsed veins from injection, slowed breathing and liver or kidney disease.

- Brown sugar
- Skag
- White horse
- China white
- H
- Big H
- Black Tar
- Chiva
- Hell Dust
- Negra
- Thunder
- Horse
- Junk
- Smack
- Dope

Hallucinogens

Hallucinogens are a class of drugs that can cause distortions in reality. Dissociative drugs are a subclass of hallucinogens that can lead to intense trips and temporary psychosis. LSD is a hallucinogen, while dissociative drugs include ketamine and PCP.



PCP:

- Angel dust
- Peace pill
- Love boat
- Hog
- Boat

Ketamine:

- Vitamin K
- Valium
- K
- Special K
- Cat Valium
- Purple
- Cat Tranquilizer
- Jet K
- Kit Kat
- Purple
- Special La Coke
- Super Acid
- Super K

LSD:

- Acid
- Yellow sunshine
- Blotter
- Cubes
- Microdot
- Blue heaven
- Dots
- Mellow Yellow
- Window Pane
- Blotter Acid

Benzodiazepines

Benzodiazepines are a class of drugs used to treat anxiety and depression. But these substances can cause slurred speech, restlessness and hallucinations. Over time, benzodiazepine users can develop a physical or psychological dependence to the drugs.

- Benzos
- Candy
- Sleeping pills
- Blues
- Chill Pills
- French Fries
- Totem Poles
- Tranks
- Downers

