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Addiction Treatment Alternative in Drug Rehabilitation Program



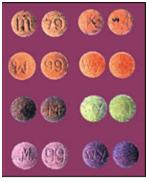
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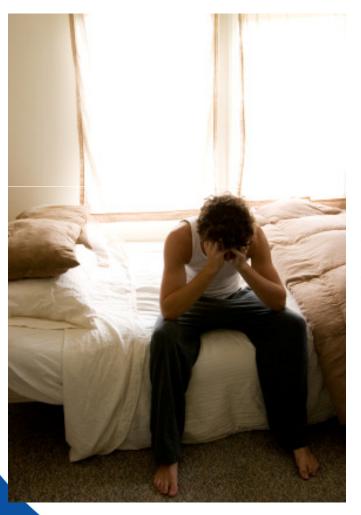


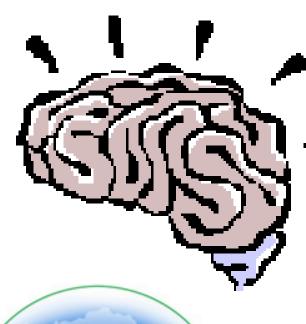
- Drug abuse is a major health and social problem throughout the world
- Although drug trends may differ from region to region.
- It causes crime, illness, violence and death.
- Regarding crime, 50-60% are drug-related.



Yaba tablets







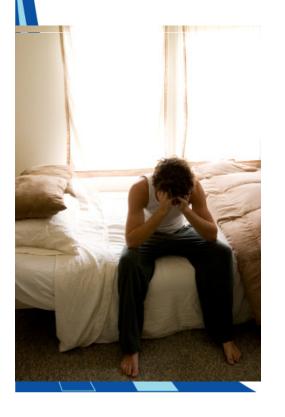




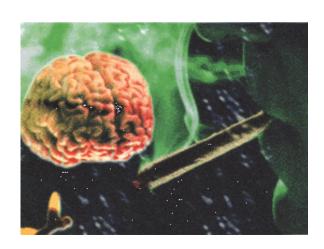




 Although some treatment program can be helpful for those problems, but there is no single treatment for everyone.









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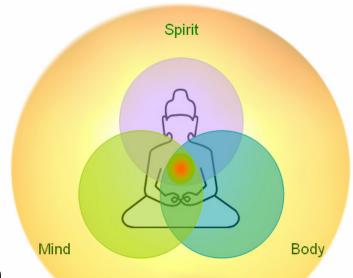
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- Recently show an alternative medicine is one of choice.
- There are interesting interventions which success in rehabilitation. e.g. herb, acupuncture, massage therapy, Yoga and meditation





- Alternative treatment is a revolutionary treatment in addiction
- All of alternative were concerned and connected between body, mind, and spirit



- The aspect of alternative treatment based on natural way
- Additional, Nutritional Therapy was used in rehabilitation program. Because of the addiction clients become malnourished e.g. vitamin B deficiency in alcoholics





• We designed an appropriate meal base on cultural style in individual case.







- Whereas Exercise and Meditation, we designed an appropriate exercise
- Including intension and duration for individual client





• After finish program found that the clients have physical healthy including heart rate. They can relax, balance and remove their negative thoughts.





• Furthermore, the result of satisfaction on program treatment showed >85%, respectively. All of clients were complete program treatment. Unexpected, we found strength and self-esteem in the clients.





Recommendation from studies

- Ratio of practitioner/Client
- Technique & Process
- M&E
- Certified therapist

















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