

# Substance Abuse Articles Reference List

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- [\*Effective Outcome Judging\*](#)  
National Judicial College  
  
Four detailed steps to help judges focus judging on outcomes for defendants/participants.
- [\*Drugs, Brains, and Behavior: The Science of Addiction\*](#) (30 pages)  
National Institute on Drug Abuse  
  
An overview of science and addiction, including drugs of abuse, preventing abuse, drugs and the brain, addiction and health, treatment and recovery and practical solutions to addiction.
- [\*Principles of Drug Abuse Treatment for Criminal Justice Populations\*](#) (25 pages)  
National Institute on Drug Abuse  
  
Fifteen principles of drug abuse treatment for criminal justice population. Includes links to internet resources and reference list.
- [\*Principles of Drug Addiction Treatment: A Research-Based Guide\*](#) (47 pages)  
National Institute on Drug Abuse  
  
A supplemental guide that outlines the research that supports the fifteen principles of drug abuse treatment for criminal justice populations, provided above.
- [\*NIDA Notes: Volume 20, Number 6\*](#) (17 pages)  
National Institute on Drug Abuse  
  
A periodical provided by the NIDA that includes brief articles focusing on substance abuse, treatment and recovery.
- [\*Drug Treatment: The Case for Coercion\*](#) (18 pages)  
National Drug Court Institute Review, Volume III, 1  
  
An article authored by Dr. Sally Suel, Yale University School of Medicine, which discusses the efficacy of coercive treatment.
- [\*Alcohol and Highway Safety 2001: A Review of the State of Knowledge\*](#) (10 pages)  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

A comprehensive review of the state of knowledge of alcohol-impaired driving.

- [\*Strategies for Addressing The DWI Offender: 10 Promising Sentencing Practices\*](#) (62 pages)  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
  
A compendium of 10 sentencing practices based on the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's National Driving While Impaired sentencing seminar that includes case examples and resources.
- [\*Safe & Sound: Models for Collaboration Between the Child Welfare & Addiction Treatment Systems\*](#) (30 pages)  
Legal Action Center  
  
Methodology and models for addressing the needs of addicted parents involved in the child welfare system. Includes two case studies and references.
- *Drug Courts: An Effective Strategy for Communities Facing Methamphetamine* (14 pages)  
Bureau of Justice Assistance Bulletin  
  
A periodical article that addresses the role of drug courts in dealing with methamphetamines in the community, including the role of law enforcement, treatment and child protective cases. The article includes two case studies and recommendations for policy makers.
- *Methadone Maintenance and Other Pharmacotherapeutic Interventions in the Treatment of Opioid Dependence* (6 pages)  
National Drug Court Institute, April 2002, Volume III, Number 1  
  
A basic fact sheet that addresses methadone maintenance as well as other pharmacological interventions for dependence on opioids, such as oxycontin and herione.
- *Urine Drug Concentrations: The Scientific Rationale for Eliminating the Use of Drug Test Levels in Drug Court Proceedings* ( 7 pages)  
National Drug Court Institute, January 2004, Volume IV, Number 1  
  
A fact sheet that provides drug court professionals with a scientifically based justification for discontinuing the interpretation of urine drug levels in an effort to define client drug use behavior.
- *The Marijuana Detection Window: Determining the Length of Time Cannabinoids Will Remains Detectable in Urine Following Smoking* (13 pages)  
National Drug Court Institute, April 2006, Volume IV, Number 2  
  
A fact sheet that attempts to clarify the complex issues associated with the elimination of marijuana from the human body.