

### Clinical Audit Of Mephedrone Injecting

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Please only full in this questionnaire if you have ever taken mephedrone by any route

1.	How old are you?	
2.	Are you male or female?	
3.	Are you currently on a prescription of methadone or buprenorphine?	

4. Which of the following drugs have you ever injected and how old were you when you first injected them? ( pls tick)

	Age first used	Age first injected	Injected in the last years insert yes /no	Days used in the last month (insert 0-30)
Heroin				
Crack				
Cocaine				
Crack cocaine				
Ketamine				
Mephedrone				
Other (pls specify)				

**If you have ever injected mephedrone (MCAT) please answer the following (please circle answer)**

5. Was mephedrone the first drug you injected ?    yes    no					
6. Which of the following way had you used mephedrone before you first injected?					
<u>Swallowed it</u>		<u>Snorted it</u>		<u>Other</u> <u>First use was injection</u>	
7. Over the last 12 months on average how many hits do you get out of a gram ?					
8. Over the last 12 months have you needed to inject more to get the same effect?    Yes    No					
9. How much water do you add to a hit ?					mls
10. How many hits would usually have in a 24 hour period?					
11. How much mephedrone do you usually use on a day?					gm
12. What is the most of number of hits you have had in a day?					
13. What is the most number of days on the trot you have injected gm?					
14. Do you usually heat your mix?				Yes    No    Sometimes	
15. Do you add citric?				Yes    No    Sometimes	
16. Have you ever mixed mephedrone with heroin and injected the mix    yes    no					
If yes what was it like .....					
17. How long before you get a peak buzz					
1-2min	3-5min	6-10min	11-15min	>15min	
18. How long does a single hit last for					
30min	1hr	90min	2hr	3hr	4hr
19. How long do you usually leave between hits					
Less than 60mins	1-2 hours	2-4 hours	4-6hrs	6-8hrs	>8hrs
20. Do you usually inject				Alone	With others
21. Have you ever shared needs/mix/filters/works etc when you have injected mephedrone					
never	Once/twice	sometimes	often	always	Nearly always

22. Are you having injected issues related to your use of mephedrone

	Yes	No
Tissue damage		
Pain around injecting site		
Abscesses		
Swelling in any part of the body		
burning sensation in the veins when injecting		
Other (Pls specify)		

23. On a scale of 1-10 (with 10 = most) how would you compare the hit you get off injecting the following drugs, the pain on injection, the damage to your veins ?  
(leave blank if not injected that drug)

	How good is the hit out of 10 (10 being the best buzz)	How much pain do you feel when you inject the drug out of 10 (10 being the worst pain)	How would rate the damage done to your vein after injecting out of 10 (10 being the worst)
Heroin			
Crack			
Cocaine			
Crack cocaine			
Ketamine			
Mephedrone			
Other (pls specify)			

24. What drugs do you usually use when you take mephedrone? (pls circle)

A bit of alcohol	Lot of alcohol	Benzo's	heroin	None	Other
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25. Please tell us how often you experience any of the following after you use mephedrone / meow

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Always/nearly always
Aggression/violent					
Overheating					
Cold/blue fingers/toes					
Hear voices					
See things					
Paranoid					
Anxious/panicky					
Fits/seizures					
Headaches					
Agitated/restless					
Confused					

