

New Book Provides Comprehensive Overview of Substance Abuse Prevention

A newly published book, *Preventing Harmful Substance Use: The Evidence Base for Policy and Practice*, is a comprehensive compendium of the most current information on the problem of drug and alcohol abuse and the range of effective strategies available to prevent it. The volume is edited by Tim Stockwell (University of Victoria, Canada), Paul Gruenewald (Prevention Research Center of the Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Berkeley, California), John Toumbourou (University of Melbourne and Murdoch Children's Research Institute, Australia), and Wendy Loxley (National Drug Research Institute, Perth, Australia). It includes articles authored by leading researchers around the world. Topics covered include: The patterns of risk and related harms, interventions for children and adolescents, interventions in the community, legislative and regulatory perspectives on prevention, the evidence base for prevention in broad perspective, and future directions for prevention policy and research.

This volume can serve as a valuable resource to policy makers, practitioners, advocates, and researchers in the substance abuse field. It is published by John Wiley and Sons, Ltd. [www.wileyurope.com or www.wiley.com]. For orders or inquiries, contact cs-books@wiley.co.uk.

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