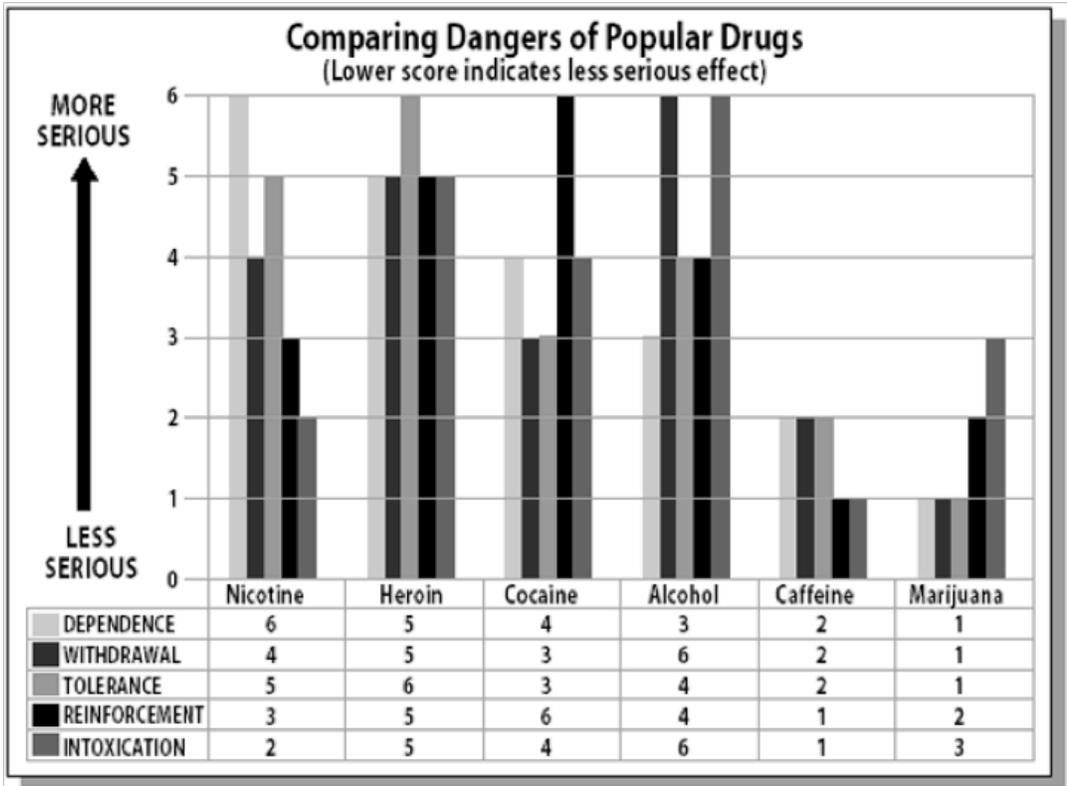


# Drugs & Addiction

Obj. 3.3: Identify commonly abused drugs by category, routes of administration, and effects.

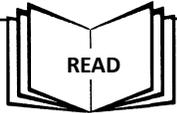


Use the following graph to answer questions 1-8 below:



- Which drug has the highest tolerance? \_\_\_\_\_ Lowest tolerance? \_\_\_\_\_
- Which drug is least intoxicating? \_\_\_\_\_ Most intoxicating? \_\_\_\_\_
- What are the dependence rankings for nicotine and cocaine, respectively? \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
- What are the intoxication rankings for marijuana and cigarettes, respectively? \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
- Which drug is most addictive? \_\_\_\_\_ How do you know?
- Which drug alters the users mind and body the most? \_\_\_\_\_ How do you know?
- Which drug appears to be the most dangerous? \_\_\_\_\_ How do you know?
- Which drug appears to be the least dangerous? \_\_\_\_\_ How do you know?





Review the **Commonly Abused Drugs** chart from National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) and answer the following questions:

1. List the 10 substance CATEGORIES used in this chart:
2. How many different street names are listed for the club drug MDMA?
3. What is the difference between the DEA classification of a Schedule I and Schedule II drug? (*Hint: Read the footnote under the chart on page 1*)
4. What are the possible routes of administration for heroin? (*Hint: Use the "How Administered" column*)
5. List 5 major acute effects/health risks of nicotine:
6. **Name the Drug:** Which drug is a Schedule I drug that can only be swallowed, has a street name of goop, and causes drowsiness, disorientation, loss of consciousness, and memory loss (among other symptoms)?



Using the same chart, write 3 "**Name the Drug**" questions (similar to #6 above). Write the answers on a separate sheet of paper. Then exchange your questions with a partner and find the answers to one another's clues.

**Name the Drug Question #1:**

**Name the Drug Question #2:**

**Name the Drug Question #3:**



Answer the following questions. You do not need to use complete sentences.

1. Name 3 of the 10 categories of drugs you read about:

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name 2 possible routes of administration (how drugs are brought into the body):

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_

3. What is a Schedule I drug?



Choose any one of the drugs on the **Commonly Abused Drugs** chart (NIDA). Use information from the chart (and any other credible sources you find) to make a billboard public service announcement (PSA) trying to persuade the public not to try that particular drug. Sketch your billboard in the box below. Then write a 3-5 sentence summary of the PSA, explaining why it will be effective.

**Explanation:**