

## 24.10 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES - USES AND EFFECTS

Drugs/CSA Schedules	Trade or Other Names	Medical Uses	Dependence		Tolerance	Duration (Hours)	Usual Methods of Administration	Possible Effects	Effects of Overdose	Withdrawal Syndrome
			Physical	Psychological						
<b>NARCOTICS</b> Opium/II, III, V	Dover's Powder, Paregoric, Parepectolin	Analgesic, antidiarrheal	High	High	Yes	3-6	Oral, smoked	Euphoria, drowsiness, respiratory depression, constricted pupils, nausea	Slow and shallow breathing, clammy skin, convulsions, coma, possible death	Watery eyes, runny nose, yawning, loss of appetite, irritability, tremors, panic, cramps, nausea, chills and sweating
Morphine/II, III	Morphine, MS-Contin, Roxanol, Roxanol-SR, Pectoral Syrup	Analgesic, antitussive	High	High	Yes	3-6	Oral, smoked, injected			
Codeine/II, III, V	Tylenol with codeine, Empirin with codeine, Robitussin A-C, Florinal with codeine	Analgesic, antitussive	Moderate	Moderate	Yes	3-6	Oral, injected			
Heroin/I	Diacetylmorphine, Horse, Smack	Under Investigation	High	High	Yes	3-6	Injected, sniffed, smoked			
Hydromorphone/II	Dilaudid	Analgesic	High	High	Yes	3-6	Oral, injected			
Meperidine (Pethidine)/II	Demerol, Mepergan, Pethadol	Analgesic	High	High	Yes	3-6	Oral, injected			
Methadone/II	Dolophine, Methadone, Methadose	Analgesic	High	High	Yes	12-24	Oral, injected			
Other Narcotics/ I, II, III, IV, V	Numorphan, Percodan, Percocet, Tylox, Tussionex, Fentanyl, Darvon, Lomotil, Talwin*, <b>LAAM</b> , <b>Leritine, Levo- Dromoran</b>	Analgesic, antidiarrheal, antitussive	High-Low	High-Low	Yes	Variable	Oral, injected			
<b>DEPRESSANTS</b> Chloral Hydrate/IV	Noctec, Somnos	Hypnotic	Moderate	Moderate	Possible	5-8	Oral	Slurred speech, disorientation, drunken behavior without odor of alcohol	Shallow respiration, clammy skin, dilated pupils, weak and rapid pulse, coma, possible death	Anxiety, insomnia, tremors, delirium, convulsions, possible death
Barbiturates/II, III, IV	Amytal, Butisol, Florinal, Lotusate, Nembutal, Seconal, Tuinal, Phenobarbital, Amobarbital, Phenoxbarbital, Fecodarbital	Anesthetic, anticonvulsant, sedative, hypnotic, veterinary euthanasia agent	High Mod.	High Mod.	Yes	1-16	Oral			
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<b>DEPRESSANTS</b> (Continuation) Benzodiazepines/IV	Ativan, Dalmane, Diazepam, Librium, Xanax, Serax, Valium, Tranxene, Verstran, Versed, Halcion, Paxipam, Restoril, Azene, Clonopin, Tranxene	Antianxiety, anticonvulsant, sedative, hypnotic	Low	Low	Yes	4-8	Oral	Slurred speech, disorientation, drunken behavior without odor of alcohol	Shallow respiration, clammy skin, dilated pupils, weak and rapid pulse, coma, possible death	Anxiety, insomnia, tremors, delirium, convulsions, possible death
Methaqualone/I	Quaalude, Optimil, Parest, Somnofac, Sopur	Sedative, hypnotic	High	High	Yes	4-8	Oral			
Glutethimide/III	Doriden	Sedative, hypnotic	High	High	Yes	4-8	Oral			
Other Depressants/ III, IV	Equanil, Miltown, Noludar, Placidyl, Valmid	Antianxiety, sedative, hypnotic	Moderate	Moderate	Yes	4-8	Oral			
<b>STIMULANTS</b> Cocaine/II**	Coke, Flake, Snow, Crack	Local anesthetic	Possible	High	Yes	1-2	Sniffed, smoked, injected	Increased alertness, excitation, euphoria, increased pulse rate and blood pressure, insomnia, loss of appetite	Agitation, increase in body temperature, hallucinations, convulsions, possible death	Apathy, long periods of sleep, irritability, depression, disorientation
Amphetamines/II	Biphetamine, Delcobese, Desoxyn, Dexedrine, Obetrol, Mediatric	Attention deficit disorders, narcolepsy, weight control, hyperkinesis	Possible	High	Yes	2-4	Oral, injected			
Phenmetrazine/II	Preludin	Weight control	Possible	High	Yes	2-4	Oral, injected			
Methylphenidate/II	Ritalin	Attention deficit disorders, narcolepsy	Possible	Moderate	Yes	2-4	Oral, injected			
Other Stimulants/ III, IV	Adipex, Cylert, Didrex, Ionamin, Melfiat, Plegine, Sanorex, Tenuate, Tepanil, Prelu- 2, Bacarate, Presate, Voranyl	Weight control	Possible	High	Yes	2-4	Oral, injected			

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			Physical	Psychological						
<b>HALLUCINOGENS</b> LSD/I	Acid, Microdot, Green/Red Dragon	None	None	Unknown	Yes	8-12	Oral	Illusions and hallucinations, poor perception of time and distance, depression, violent behavior, anxiety; Large doses could result in convulsions, heart and lung failure	Longer and more intense "trip" episodes, psychosis, possible death	Withdrawal syndrome not reported
Mescaline & Peyote/I	Mesc, Buttons, Cactus, Mesc, Mex, Mexo	None	None	Unknown	Yes	8-12	Oral			
Amphetamine Variants/I	2.5-DMA, PMA, STP, MDA, MDMA, TMA, DOM, DOB	None	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	Variable	Oral, injected			
Phencyclidine/II	PCP, Angel Dust, Hog, Love Boat	Vet Anesthetic	Unknown	High	Yes	Days	Smoked, oral, injected			
Phencyclidine Analogues/I	PCE, PCPy, TCP	None	Unknown	High	Yes	Days	Smoked, oral, injected			
Other Hallucinogens/I	Bufotenine, Ibogaine, DMT, DET, Psilocybin, Psilocyn	None	None	Unknown	Possible	Variable	Smoked, oral, injected, sniffed			
<b>CANNABIS</b> Marijuana/I	Pot, Acapulco Gold, Grass, Reefer, Sinsemilla, Thai Sticks	Under Investigation	Unknown	Moderate	Yes	2-4	Smoked, oral	Euphoria, relaxed inhibitions, increased appetite, disoriented behavior	Fatigue, paranoia, possible psychosis	Insomnia, hyperactivity, and decreased appetite occasionally reported
Tetrahydrocannabinol/I, II	THC, Marinol	Cancer chemotherapy, antinauseant, anesthetic	Unknown	Moderate	Yes	2-4	Smoked, oral			
Hashish/I	Hash	None	Unknown	Moderate	Yes	2-4	Smoked, oral			
Hashish Oil/I	Hash Oil	None	Unknown	Moderate	Yes	2-4	Smoked, oral			
<b>ALCOHOL</b> Ethyl, Alcohol, Ethanol		None	Possible	Possible		1-4	Oral	Intoxication, sensory alteration, Anxiety reduction	Staggering, odor of alcohol on breath, loss of coordination, slurred speech, dilated pupils, nerve and liver damage	Sweating, tremors, altered perception, psychosis, fear, auditory hallucinations

**24.11 Legal Implication of Alcohol and Drug Use.** This section summarizes laws concerning alcohol and drug use.

### Texas Law

Offense	Minimum Punishment	Maximum Punishment
Manufacture of delivery of controlled substances (drugs)	Confinement in a state jail for a term of not more than 2 years, or less than 180 days, and not to exceed fine of \$10,000.	Confinement in TDC for life or for a term of not more than 99 years or less than 15 years, and a fine not to exceed \$250,000.
Possession of controlled substances (drugs)	Confinement in jail for a term of not more than 1 year, and a fine not to exceed \$4,000.	Confinement in TDC for life or for a term of not more than 99 years or less than 15 years, and a fine not to exceed \$250,000.
Delivery of Marijuana	Confinement in jail for a term not to exceed 180 days, and a fine not to exceed \$2,000.	Confinement in TDC jail for life or for a term of not more than 99 years or less than 10 years, and a fine not to exceed \$100,000.
Possession of Marijuana	Confinement in jail for a term of not more than 180 days, and a fine not to exceed \$2,000.	Confinement in TDC for life or for a term of not more than 99 years or less than 10 years, and a fine not to exceed \$50,000.
Driving While Intoxicated (Includes intoxication from alcohol, drugs, or both)	Confinement in jail for a term of not less than 72 hours.	Confinement in county jail for a term of not more than 1 year, and a fine not to exceed \$4,000.
Public Intoxication		A fine not to exceed \$500.
Purchase of alcohol by a minor; Consumption of alcohol by a minor; Possession of alcohol by a minor	A fine not to exceed \$500, plus community service, and suspension of Texas Driver's License.	Confinement in jail for a term of not more than 180 days, and/or a fine not less than \$250 and not more than \$2,000, plus community service, and suspension of Texas Driver's License.
Sale of Alcohol to a Minor		Confinement in a county jail for a term of not more than 1 year and/or a fine not to exceed \$4,000.

## Federal Law

### [Federal Penalties for Possession of Controlled Substances \(21 U.S.C. § 844\)](#)

First Offense	Second Offense	Additional Offenses	Convictions Relating to Possession of Mixture/Substance Containing Cocaine Base	Convictions for Possession of Flunitrazepam
May be sentenced for up to 1 yr. in prison; shall be fined \$1,000, or both.	Prison sentence between 15 days and 2 yrs. and a minimum fine of \$2,500	Prison sentence between 90 days and 3 yrs. and a minimum fine of \$5,000	Prison sentence between 5-20 yrs. and a minimum fine of \$1,000 (depending on amount and/or prior convictions)	Prison sentence of not more than 3 yrs. and fines as provided generally in the statute for first or additional offenses, or both.

### [Criminal Forfeitures \(21 U.S.C. § 853\)](#)

Any person convicted of a federal drug crime punishable by imprisonment for more than 1 year shall forfeit to the United States any personal or real property that is related to the violation. This includes real property, personal property, money, and intangible personal property, including rights, privileges, interests, and claims.

### [Denial of Federal Benefits, Including Student Loans, Grants, Contracts, and Commercial and Professional Licenses \(21 U.S.C. §862\)](#)

Convictions for federal or state offenses consisting of the distribution of controlled substances: Ineligible for any and all federal benefits for up to 5 years after a first conviction, up to 10 years after a second conviction, and permanent ineligibility for all federal benefits after a third or subsequent conviction.

Convictions for federal or state offenses related to possession of controlled substances: Ineligible for any and all federal benefits for up to 1 year, and/or drug treatment program and/or community service (first conviction); up to 5 years (second or subsequent conviction(s)), and or drug treatment program and/or community service.

[Federal Trafficking Penalties Schedule](#) (See also [21 U.S.C. § 841](#))

<b>DRUG/SCHEDULE</b>	<b>QUANTITY</b>	<b>PENALTIES</b>	<b>QUANTITY</b>	<b>PENALTIES</b>
Cocaine (Schedule II)	500 - 4999 gms mixture	<b>First Offense :</b>	5 kgs or more mixture	<b>First Offense :</b>
Cocaine Base (Schedule II)	28-279 gms mixture	Not less than 5 yrs, and not more than 40 yrs. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 or more than life. Fine of not more than \$5 million if an individual, \$25 million if not an individual	280 gms or more mixture	Not less than 10 yrs, and not more than life. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 or more than life. Fine of not more than \$10 million if an individual, \$50 million if not an individual.
Fentanyl (Schedule II)	40 - 399 gms mixture		400 gms or more mixture	
Fentanyl Analogue (Schedule I)	10 - 99 gms mixture	<b>Second Offense :</b> Not less than 10 yrs, and not more than life. If death or serious injury, life imprisonment. Fine of not more than \$8 million if an individual, \$50 million if not an individual	100 gms or more mixture	<b>Second Offense :</b> Not less than 20 yrs, and not more than life. If death or serious injury, life imprisonment. Fine of not more than \$20 million if an individual, \$75 million if not an individual.
Heroin (Schedule I)	100 - 999 gms mixture		1 kg or more mixture	
LSD (Schedule I)	1 - 9 gms mixture		10 gms or more mixture	<b>2 or More Prior Offenses:</b> Life imprisonment
Methamphetamine (Schedule II)	5 - 49 gms pure or 50 - 499 gms mixture		50 gms or more pure or 500 gms or more mixture	

PCP (Schedule II)	10 - 99 gms pure or 100 - 999 gms mixture		100 gm or more pure or 1 kg or more mixture	
<b>PENALTIES</b>				
Other Schedule I & II drugs (and any drug product containing Gamma Hydroxybutyric Acid)	Any amount	<b>First Offense</b> : Not more than 20 yrs. If death or serious injury, not less than 20 yrs, or more than Life. Fine \$1 million if an individual, \$5 million if not an individual.		
		<b>Second Offense</b> : Not more than 30 yrs. If death or serious injury, not more than 15 yrs. Fine \$2 million if an individual, \$10 million if not an individual		
Other Schedule III drugs	Any amount	<b>First Offense</b> : Not more than 10 years. If death or serious injury, not more than 15 yrs. Fine not more than \$500,000 if an individual, \$2.5 million if not an individual.		
		<b>Second Offense</b> : Not more than 20 yrs. If death or serious injury, not more than 30 yrs. Fine not more than \$1.5 million if an individual, \$5 million if not an individual		
All other Schedule IV drugs	Any amount	<b>First Offense</b> : Not more than 5 years. Fine not more than \$250,000 if an individual, \$1 million if not an individual.		
Flunitrazepam (Schedule IV)	Less than 1 gm	<b>Second Offense</b> : Not more than 10 yrs. Fine not more than \$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if not an individual.		
All Schedule V drugs	Any amount	<b>First Offense:</b> Not more than 1 yr. Fine not more than \$100,000 if an individual, \$250,000 if not an individual.		
		<b>Second Offense</b> : Not more than 4 yrs. Fine not more than \$200,000 if an individual, \$500,000 if not an individual.		

### Federal Trafficking Penalties - Marijuana

<b>DRUG</b>	<b>QUANTITY</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> OFFENSE</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> OFFENSE*</b>
Marijuana (Schedule I)	1,000 kg or more mixture; or 1,000 or more plants	Not less than 10 years, not more than life	Not less than 20 years, not more than life
		If death or serious injury, not less than 20 years, not more than life	If death or serious injury, mandatory life
		Fine not more than \$4 million if an individual, \$10 million if other than an individual	Fine not more than \$8 million if an individual, \$20 million if other than an individual
		If death or serious injury, not less than 20 years, not more than life	If death or serious injury, mandatory life
		Fine not more than \$2 million if an individual, \$5 million if other than an individual	Fine not more than \$4 million if an individual, \$10 million if other than an individual
Marijuana (Schedule I)	more than 10 kgs hashish; 50 to 99 kg mixture	Not more than 20 years	Not more than 30 years
		If death or serious injury, not less than 20 years, not more than life	If death or serious injury, mandatory life
	more than 1 kg of hashish oil; 50 to 99 plants	Fine \$1 million if an individual, \$5 million if other than an individual	Fine \$2 million if an individual, \$10 million if other than individual
Marijuana (Schedule I)	1 to 49 plants; less than 50 kg	Not more than 5 years	Not more than 10 years
		Fine not more than \$250,000, \$1 million other than individual	Fine \$500,000 if an individual, \$2 million if other than individual
Hashish (Schedule I)	10 kg or less		
Hashish Oil (Schedule I)	1 kg or less		



\*The minimum sentence for a violation after two or more prior convictions for a felony drug offense have become final is a mandatory term of life imprisonment without release and a fine up to \$8 million if an individual and \$20 million if other than an individual.

[Distribution or Manufacturing in or Near Schools: \(21 U.S.C. § 860\)](#)

Any person convicted of distributing, possessing with intent to distribute, or manufacturing a controlled substance in or on, or within one thousand feet of, the real property comprising a private college is subject to twice the maximum punishment (including imprisonment and fines) and at least twice any term of supervised release as the standard penalties for the same offense, with a mandatory term of imprisonment of not less than one year. These mandatory minimum sentencing provisions shall not apply to offenses involving 5 grams or less of marijuana. There are additional penalties for two or more offenses.

[Full text of Controlled Substances Act](#)

[Section 812. Schedules of Controlled Substances](#)

[List of Controlled Substances](#)