

# CLEARING THE SMOKE ABOUT MARIJUANA

**Parents! Since passage of the “Medical” Marijuana Law in the state, many youth - and some adults - think Marijuana use is safe and legal for all. **Not So!****

***Share this Information with your Child/Teen Today!!***

## **Marijuana IS an ADDICTIVE DRUG.**

*More kids enter treatment for marijuana use than any other drug.*

## **Marijuana has NEGATIVE EFFECTS:**

- *On the Developing Brain and Social/Emotional Growth.*
  - The brain continues to develop through the mid-20s.*
- *On Physical Health.*
  - Marijuana has more cancer-producing elements than tobacco.*
- *On School and Athletic Performance.*
  - Teens who use are MUCH more likely to under perform.*



# **Marijuana is a Dangerous Drug!**

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**Prevent Youth Marijuana Use.**