

List of Acronyms

3-MMC	3-Methylmethcathinone
4-CMC	4-Chloromethcathinone
α -PBP	α (alpha)-Pyrrolidinobutiophenone
alpha-PVP	α (alpha)-pyrrolidinopentiophenone
ART	Antiretroviral therapy
bk-MMBDB	Dibutylone Hydrochloride
BS	Behavioural sensitisation
BtMG	German Narcotics Act
CAAP	Central Asian Association of People Living with HIV
CADAP	Central Asian Drug Action Programme
CADCA	Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America
CARICC	Central Asian Regional Information Coordination Centre for Combating Illicit Trafficking of Narcotic Drugs, Psychotropic Substances and their Precursors
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States
CND	UN Commission on Narcotic Drugs
CNS	Central nervous system
Covid-19	Coronavirus disease 2019
CPP	Conditioned place preference
CT	Computed tomography
DCA	Drug Control Agency under the President of the Republic of Tajikistan
DD	drug discrimination
DRD	Drug-related deaths
DSA	Drug self-administration
ECHOCG	Echocardiography
EECA	Eastern Europe and Central Asia
EHRA	Eurasian Harm Reduction Association
EMCDDA	European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction
EU	European Union

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EUR	Euro
EWNA	Eurasian Women's Network on AIDS
FAST	Families and Schools Together
GBL	Gamma butyrolactone
GBMSM	Gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men
GHB	Gamma hydroxybutyrate
GHRCCA	Global Health Research Center of Central Asia
GIZ	German Society for International Cooperation
Global Fund	Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria
GLORI	Global Research Institute
CSTO	Collective Security Treaty Organization
HCV	Hepatitis C virus
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency virus
HPLC	High-performance liquid chromatography
ICD-10	International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision
IDEC	International Drug Enforcement Conference
IMTs	Interdepartmental mobile teams
INCБ	International Narcotics Control Board
INTERPOL	International Criminal Police Organization
IT	Information Technology
KR	Kyrgyz Republic
LGBTQ+	Lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer or questioning, or another diverse gender identity
MDMA	3,4-Methylenedioxymethamphetamine
MDPBP	3',4'-Methylenedioxy- α -pyrrolidinobutyrophenone
MDPV	Methylenedioxypyrovalerone
MSM	Men who have sex with men
MTS	Minority stress theory
NGOs	Non-Governmental Organizations
NHS	National Health Service
NIACDC	National Information and Analytical Center for Drug Control under the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan
NIH	National Institute of Health

NNCC	National Narcotics Control Commission
NNCO	National Narcotics Control Office in China
NPS	New psychoactive substances
OAMT	Opioid agonist maintenance therapy
OCFOCDC	Office for Coordination of the Fight against Organized Crime and Dangerous Crimes
OCG	Operations Coordination Group
PHE	Public Health England
PLIP	People living in prison
PrEP	Pre-exposure prophylaxis
PWID	People Who Inject Drugs
PWUD	People Who Use Drugs
RCCN	Republican Clinical Center for Narcology
RCPN	Republican Center for Psychiatry and Narcology
SCO	Shanghai Cooperation Organisation
SCBs	Synthetic cannabinoids
SCs	Synthetic cathinones
SFP 10–14	Strengthening Families Program for Children 10–14
STIs	Sexually Transmitted Infections
SUDs	Substance Use Disorders
TB	Tuberculosis
UAVs	Unmanned aerial vehicles
UNAIDS	United Nations Program on HIV/AIDS
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNHCR	United Nations Refugee Agency
UNODC	Office on Drugs and Crime
USD	United States dollar
USSR	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
WHO	World Health Organization