

# PARENTAL ADVISORY

EXPLICIT WARNING  
FROM MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS

# HERE ARE THE REAL FACTS ABOUT CANNABIS:

**THE HIGHLY POTENT MARIJUANA OF TODAY IS DIFFERENT FROM THE 1990s.**  
Marijuana flower averages more than 20% THC in states that have commercialized it, and processed cannabis, dab/wax/shatter, up to 99.9% THC.

Usage by kids and young adults has increased with retail marijuana sales.  
Marijuana is the number one substance found in Colorado suicides, ages 10-19 years old.



## BIOHAZARD

Marijuana products have been found to be contaminated with fungus, heavy metals, pesticides and chemicals.



## WARNING

Marijuana can cause mental illness and is associated with onset of schizophrenia. Marijuana is implicated in psychosis, suicide and homicide.



## WARNING

Marijuana harms the unborn child, and concentrates in breast milk.



## WARNING

Marijuana can cause cyclic vomiting.



## WARNING

Marijuana can trigger violence in those with PTSD or make PTSD worse.



## WARNING

Marijuana is linked to increased driving fatalities.



## WARNING

Marijuana smoke is associated with lung disease and some cancers.



## CAUTION

Legal marijuana brought increased use by 8th, 10th graders in Washington, according to JAMA Pediatrics, Feb 2017.



## WARNING

Marijuana has been shown to decrease IQ in younger users.



## WARNING

Marijuana harms the developing adolescent and young adult brain.

**MARIJUANA DOES NOT CURE CANCER.**

**MARIJUANA DOES NOT HELP COMMON PAIN CONDITIONS.**

**MARIJUANA IS NOT CURBING THE OPIOID CRISIS; COLORADO HAD RECORD NUMBERS OF OVERDOSE DEATHS IN 2016 AND 2017.**



Dedicated to those who have lost loved ones due to marijuana. To join the pushback against cannabis, visit [PopPot.org](http://PopPot.org) & [MomsStrong.org](http://MomsStrong.org).

Learn more: [SAM-Lessons-Learned-From-Marijuana-Legalization-Digital](#)

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