

## Inquiry into the use of Cannabis in Victoria

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**Organisation Name:**  
**Your position or role:**

### SURVEY QUESTIONS

**Drag the statements below to reorder them. In order of priority, please rank the themes you believe are most important for this Inquiry into the use of Cannabis in Victoria to consider::**

Mental health, Accessing and using cannabis, Public health, Education, Social impacts, Young people and children, Public safety, Criminal activity

**What best describes your interest in our Inquiry? (select all that apply) :**  
Individual

**Are there any additional themes we should consider?**

**Select all that apply. Do you think there should be restrictions on the use of cannabis? :**

Personal use of cannabis should be decriminalised.

(Decriminalised: there are no criminal or civil penalties instead a person is referred to a drug diversion program or other health/ treatment service), Personal use of cannabis should be legal. , Sale of cannabis should be legal and regulated. , Cultivation of cannabis for personal use should be legal. , There should be no restrictions.

### YOUR SUBMISSION

#### Submission:

I am not a "user" as such of cannabis but I do however have the occasional joint of marijuana very occasionally. I am a sufferer of depression and anxiety, those very rare occasions that I'm offered a joint I take it and I do feel better and it complements my medication well. It's also long lasting of easing my mental health issues for more then one day which is unbelievable but it works. I also have many friends who are constant smokers of cannabis and they all work full time look after their families and a good people, they say the cannabis just helps them unwind after a day of work. I really think arresting good citizens and criminalising people for smoking a plant, is just so so wrong. Our government allows people to smoke tobacco which we know kills us and costs our health system greatly, but we allow it? I would like to see this drug legal and free for people to use. It helps and will stop people unnessecarily be imprisoned.

**Do you have any additional comments or suggestions?:**

### FILE ATTACHMENTS

**File1:**

**File2:**

**File3:**

**Signature:**  
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