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1. INTRODUCTION - CURRENT SITUATION ANALYSIS

According to research and epidemiological data, since the 1990s the number of drug addicts in the Republic of Croatia has been constantly on the rise in comparison to the pre-war years. Among the persons receiving treatment, **opiate addicts** are predominant (81.9%). According to the Registry of Persons Treated for Psychoactive Drug Abuse of the Croatian Institute of Public Health, there were **30,290** registered persons treated for psychoactive drug abuse by the end of 2010. However, in the observed period, another 1,000 to 4,000 persons were treated in therapeutic communities and about 2,000 persons a year were in prisons and penitentiaries due to drug-related offences.

In comparison to 2000, the number of persons treated for addiction and drug abuse in 2001 increased by 27%, and in 2002, in comparison to 2001, by 9.2%. In 2003, in comparison to 2002, the number of treated persons decreased by 2.3%, which means that the total increase in the number of persons in the treatment system from 2000 to 2003 amounted to approximately 34%, or, around 1,800 to 2,500 new addicts registered in the treatment system per year (the largest number of them in 2001, when there were 2,548 new addicts, 1,066 of them opiate ones). From 2004 to 2007, the number of new addicts within the system grew slower and varied between **1,619** in 2004 and **2,001** in 2006. During 2008 and 2009, the proportion of the newly-admitted drug addicts started to decline (2008: 22.6%; 2009:18.9%). During 2010, **7,550** persons were treated, of whom **6,175** were treated for opiate abuse and **1,375 consumed or were addicted to other substances**. In 2010, the number of newly-admitted addicts amounted to **1,180**. The number of new opiate addicts registered for treatment remained relatively stable, being approximately **800** per year over last few years. Then in 2009 and 2010, the number of addicts began to decline and in 2010, there were **430 new opiate addicts which is the lowest recorded number of new opiate addicts in last 10 years**. According to data on the number of drug-related deaths, between 2004 and 2009 the mortality attributed to drug abuse and addiction was the highest **in 2007 (165 in total)**, while in 2008 and 2009 that number started to decrease and in 2009 there were **89** persons who died due to drug abuse or addiction.

In 2010, the mortality among addicts was on the increase and in the same year **152** persons who had been treated for psychoactive drug abuse died, of whom 114 died of drug overdose. It was noticed that the number of persons who died of methadone overdose rose to 38 in 2010, which was the highest rate of methadone overdoses in last 5 years. The leading cause of death among addicts was **opiate overdose**, mostly on heroine or its metabolites (40% to 65% of all drug-related deaths), whereas overdoses on other types of drugs, and deaths related to other illnesses, suicides and accidents were less frequent.

The above data clearly show that the problem of drug addiction in Croatia is significant and the suppression of drug addiction and abuse is represented in several systems, including the health care, social and repressive system. It is therefore necessary to establish measures in each of these systems aimed at addressing the issue in a successful manner.

It should be emphasized that despite the fact that there is no epidemic of drug abuse and addiction in Croatia, the present situation is much more complicated than before. International crime connected with the production of and trafficking in drugs is a problem of global proportions. On the European and Croatian market, heroine is becoming increasingly present, and the online offer of synthetic drugs and various psychoactive substances has never been so widespread. It is observed that the number of new drug addicts has been relatively stable, whereas the number of users of other types of drugs, especially synthetic drugs, is constantly on the rise.

Therefore, even though a significant progress has been made in the implementation of

programmes and development of the system for drug abuse suppression, there is still room for new challenges and for development of new programmes intended for reducing drug demand and supply, as well as for cooperation in the field of drugs at national, regional and international levels.

2. AIMS AND OBJECTIVES OF THE ACTION PLAN

The main goal of this Action Plan is to ensure responsibility for the implementation of the national policy on combating addiction and to enable the establishment of a multidisciplinary, integrated and effective approach to combating drugs at the national and local level.

The Action Plan is based on the subject areas covered by the National Strategy on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse for the period 2012 – 2017 and its main goals and priorities, which are as follows:

- **Drug demand reduction**, including measurable reduction in drug use, drug addiction and related health and social risks by developing and improving an effective and integrated comprehensive, scientifically-based drug-demand system, including the measures for prevention, early intervention, treatment, harm reduction, rehabilitation and social reintegration of addicts.

In this document, addiction prevention implies and includes activities and programmes focused on

- (1) substance addiction (alcohol, cigarettes, drugs) and
- (2) addictions that are not connected to substances but to habits and behaviours such as gambling/betting, the Internet, computer games, social networking addictions etc.

- **Drug supply reduction**, including measurable reduction in drug supply and availability by improving a successful, effective and scientifically-based application of the law regarding the production and trafficking of drugs and precursors as well as the organized crime, street reduction and money laundering connected with the organized narco-crime.

Drug demand reduction measures have to cover both health and social problems caused by psychoactive substances and the polydrug use connected to consuming alcohol, medications and smoking cigarettes. On the other hand, drug supply reduction measures should be aimed at activities concerning the suppression of the organized crime with emphasis on regional or targeted interaction and preventive activities connected with narco-crime.

The Action Plan on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse for the Period 2012-2014¹ includes specific measures and activities, which shall ensure effective and efficient implementation of the National Strategy on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse at all levels, including measures aimed at finding an effective response of the society to new modalities and new trends in the consumption and abuse of drugs.

Starting from the basic principles of the National Strategy, especially the principle of decentralization, the purpose of the Action plan is to ensure equal accessibility of different programmes and contents across the Republic of Croatia which are in line with the specific

¹ The Action Plan on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse for the Period 2012-2014 is adopted for the period until 31 December 2014.

needs of local communities (counties).

Therefore, the objectives of the Action Plan are as follows:

- To improve coordination and cooperation by and between state administration bodies, by and between state administration bodies and local (regional) self-government, and by and between state institutions and civil society organizations.
- To enhance the responsibility of county committees for the implementation of measures at the local level and to improve the quality of the programme through supervision, efficient evaluation and good practice examples.
- To increase the availability of prevention-oriented programmes for children and young people and raise the quality and sustainability of prevention-oriented programmes for children and young people.
- To increase the availability and enhance prevention-oriented programmes for at-risk groups of children and young people.
- To improve measures concerning treatment, therapy and resocialization of addicts and accordingly to set up multidisciplinary teams for work with addicts and their families.
- To develop multidisciplinary work in the area of treatment and care for addicts and specific types of treatment for special groups of addicts (minors, persons with dual diagnosis, etc.)
- To enhance human resources in the field of treatment of addicts in prisons and community.
- To develop guidelines and quality standards in different fields and ensure those guidelines are implemented.
- To implement specific education and trainings according to the specific needs.
- To ensure regular financing of civil society organizations and establish criteria for evaluating the quality of their programs which would be applied for allocating financial resources to the projects.
- To strengthen the measures of repressive apparatus in the prevention of drug availability and the suppression of drug abuse
- To improve penal policy in the area of combating drug abuse and organized crime.
- To implement the analysis of penal policy and harmonize the legislation concerning drug abuse
- To develop health care programmes and social protection programmes for criminal offenders
- To encourage, implement and financially support scientific research on the problem of addiction
- To integrate and implement the evaluation and supervision of programmes/projects resulting from the National Strategy and the Action Plan.
- To allocate significant financial resources to the implementation of the programme at the state level and to set up professional teams in state institutions to work on the implementation of all measures referred to in the Action Plan.

County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse shall coordinate the implementation of the Action Plan at the local and regional level, while the **Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse** shall coordinate the implementation at the national level.

Implementing programmes concerning measures and activities, which are based on the Action Plan, are adopted by the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Government of the Republic of Croatia. The implementation thereof is monitored by the Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse through cooperation and coordination with state administration bodies, local and regional self-government units and non-governmental organizations.

3. CONTENT OF THE ACTION PLAN

The Action Plan includes measures based on the following areas covered by the National Strategy on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse for the Period 2012-2017:

1. Drug demand reduction, which includes:

1.1. Addiction prevention among children and youth at all levels (universal, selective and indicated), as well as addiction prevention at the local community level

1.2. Addiction prevention at work

1.3. Medical and psychosocial treatment including measures for treatment of addicts in the penal system

1.4. Harm reduction

1.5. Resocialization and social reintegration of addicts.

2. Drug supply reduction, which includes:

2.1. Suppression of drug supply and availability

2.2. Suppression of illegal production and trafficking in precursors

2.3. Penal policy in the field of drugs

3. Training

4. National information system

4.1. Monitoring

4.2. Research

4.3. Evaluation

5. Coordination

6. International cooperation

7. Financial resources for the implementation of the Action Plan.

The objectives, measures, implementation activities, implementation holders and assistants, deadlines, financial resources and implementation indicators have been defined for each of the above areas.

4. MEASURES AND ACTIVITIES

4.1. DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION

4.1.1. Prevention addiction among children and youth

Objective 1 Improve the implementation of prevention-oriented programmes by applying three levels of prevention: universal, selective and indicated, as well as the quality of prevention-oriented programmes that are implemented in educational institutions and social welfare institutions.

Measure 1 Consistent and continuous implementation of prevention-oriented programmes in the educational and social welfare systems, establishment of quality standards for prevention-oriented programmes and evaluation, plan and conduct of trainings on addiction prevention, provision of support to the work of civil society organizations and other organizations that carry out addiction prevention programmes.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Ensure continuous and consistent implementation of the addiction prevention programmes for all types of addictions including consumption of illicit drugs and inadequate consumption of licit drugs (inhalants) and prescribed medications and other addictions such as betting, Internet addiction etc. within all educational institutions according to the National Programme for Addiction Prevention among Children and Youth in the Social Welfare System for 2010-2014	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other holders according to the annual budget
2. Ensure continuous and systematic implementation of the compulsory Health education programme (Module: Addiction prevention) in primary and secondary schools	Continuously from 3 September 2012 to 31 December 2014 - up to three hours in a school year	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, primary and secondary schools (teachers, expert assistants, class teachers), school health services (adequate physicians), experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other holders according to the annual budget
3. Implement programmes, projects and activities aimed at reducing children and youth's interest in experimenting with drugs and other addiction substances.	Continuously until 31 December 2014	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, primary and secondary schools (teachers, expert assistants, class teachers), school health services	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other holders

			(adequate physicians), experts	according to the annual budget
4. Organize systematic training for teachers, expert assistants and other experts in educational institutions for work on addiction prevention and suppression of drug abuse and implementation of Health education curriculum (Module: addiction prevention) in primary and secondary schools.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, specialized and scientific institutions, independent experts, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other holders according to the annual budget
5. Include prevention-oriented programmes, projects and activities in an annual plan and curriculum of schools and other educational institutions.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, specialized and scientific institutions, independent experts, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Agency and other holders according to the annual budget
6. Include Information on drugs and addiction substances in prevention-oriented programmes, paying attention to the fact that information should be appropriate to children's age and placing emphasis on negative effects of drugs, which are based on scientific research.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth,, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, specialized and scientific institutions,	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Agency and other holders according to the annual budget

			independent experts, civil society organizations	
7. Strengthen the role of the health care system in relation to detection and treatment of at-risk groups of children and youth	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the holder according to the annual budget
8. According to new findings and scientific achievements, organize seminars and conferences on addiction prevention and evaluation prevention-oriented programmes for all experts involved in the implementation in the addiction prevention programmes, especially for the county coordinators of the addiction prevention programmes in the educational system and county coordinators of the addiction-prevention system for children and youth in the social welfare system.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014.	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, specialized institutions, Croatian and European experts and civil society institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other holders according to the annual budget, and European Union funds
9. Based on new findings and scientific achievements, integrate the lessons on addiction into the compulsory and optional school curriculum, extra assignments and extracurricular activities in line with National and school curriculum.	By 31 May 2013	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Croatian Institute of Public Health, educational institutions, specialized institutions, experts and civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other holders according to the annual budget
10. Establish the minimum programme standards of addiction prevention for children in the social welfare system or placed in foster care and/or educated in an educational institution, children's homes or specialized institutions for children and youth, and oblige all authorized social welfare institutions to implement those standards	By 31 May 2013	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Committee on monitoring and coordination of addiction prevention programme for children and youth in the social welfare system	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, social centres, services for mental health protection, addition prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services,	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other holders according to the annual budget

			educational institutions, children homes, specialized institutions for children and youth	
11. Organize meetings for members of Committee on monitoring and coordination of addiction prevention programme for children and youth in the social welfare system, county coordinators and bodies at the county level	Continuously from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2014 (meetings at least 4 times per year)	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	Members of the Committee on monitoring and coordination of addiction prevention programmes for children and youth in the social welfare system	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Committee according to the annual budget
12. Approve addiction prevention programmes for children and youth in the social welfare system at the county level and guidelines for the improvement of the above mentioned programmes	Continuously from 2012 to 2014	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	Members of the Committee on monitoring and coordination of addiction prevention programmes for children and youth in the social welfare system, family counselling institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Committee according to the annual budget
13. Establish the criteria for evaluating the quality of civil society organization programmes on addiction prevention that are being implemented in the educational and social welfare system.	By 30 April 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Committee on monitoring and coordination of addiction prevention programmes for children and youth in the social welfare system	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, experts and civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
14. Encourage the cooperation between the holders of measure implementation and addiction prevention programmes and county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse in order to carry out school addiction prevention programmes and addiction prevention programmes in the social welfare system with approval of the county committee and connect them to addiction	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, social welfare centres in counties, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment,	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies

prevention programmes in the local community			school health services, experts and civil society organizations	according to the annual budget and local and regional self-government unit budgets
15. Based on the public tender, financially support the best prevention projects and civil society organization programmes that contribute to the prevention of addiction and behavioural disorders, promotion and improvement of healthy lifestyles of children and youth. Financially support civil society organization projects focused on socially excluded categories and at-risk groups of children and youth and monitor and evaluate those programmes	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Civil society organizations, schools and other educational institutions, university colleges, local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and local and regional self-government unit budgets, funds generated by games of chance
16. Establish the Committee on coordination and monitoring of the addiction prevention programme among students at the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	By 30 June 2013	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	Universities and polytechnics, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services. student centres, local and regional self-government units, student associations, health care and social institutions, civil society organizations, specialized institutions, independent experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
17. Financially support	Continuously	Ministry of	Universities and	Funds from

<p>programmes of student associations and other organizations that promote and improve healthy lifestyles among students and contribute to combating all types of addictions.</p>	<p>from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Science, Education and Sports</p>	<p>polytechnics, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, student centres, local and regional self-government units, student associations, health care and social institutions, civil society organizations, specialized institutions, independent experts</p>	<p>the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>18. Encourage existing services, committees and counselling centres founded at universities and polytechnics aimed at improving health and psychosocial welfare of students to integrate addiction prevention programmes intended for students into their activities.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Universities and polytechnics</p>	<p>Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, student centres, local and regional self-government units, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, student associations, civil society organizations, specialized institutions, independent experts</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>19. Create a database with data on addiction prevention projects that would encompass all existing prevention programmes and activities in order to get a clear insight into all preventive activities and financial resources spent in those areas.</p>	<p>By 31 March 2013</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, pre-school and school educational institutions, local and regional self-government units, health care and social institutions,</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>

			civil society organizations, specialized institutions, independent experts	
20. Create a database of prevention programmes that are being implemented in educational institutions.	By 31 December 2013	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Institute of Public Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of ministries and the Agency according to the annual budget
21. Print and distribute area-specific literature (guides on working with children and parents covering the topic of the role of educational institution in addiction prevention in the school environment)	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, specialized and scientific institutions, experts, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and the Agency according to the annual budget
22. Set up a database of scientifically evaluated addiction prevention programmes that would meet criteria laid down on the Best practice portal of the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA)	By 31 December 2013	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Institute of Public Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of ministries and the Agency according to the annual budget
23. Once a year, organize trainings for all experts and implementers of addiction prevention programmes on the database concerning prevention projects which would aim at providing information on the possibility of entering new projects into the database, and encouraging the usage of the portal on prevention programmes and evaluation, exchange of expertise, and examples of good practice between holders	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, social welfare centres, civil society organizations,	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget

			specialized institutions and independent experts, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	
24. Improve the exchange of good practice programmes in the field of addiction prevention and encourage stable financing of those programmes from the state budget and the budget of local and regional self-government units.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, social welfare centres, civil society organizations, specialized institutions and independent experts, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ensured continuous implementation of prevention programmes in all educational institutions and social welfare institutions in Croatia. 2. Ensured continuous and systematic implementation of compulsory health education programme (Module: Addiction prevention) in primary and secondary schools. 3. Number of other programmes, projects and activities aimed at reducing the interest of children and youth in experimenting with drugs and other substances. 4. Number of professional meetings and trainings for teachers, expert assistants and other experts in the educational system. 5. Number of completed trainings in the field of addiction prevention and evaluation and the number of participating experts. 6. Established minimum programme standards for the educational system. 7. Established addiction a prevention programme for children in the social welfare system. 8. Number of meetings with county coordinators in the field of social welfare. 9. Number of implemented activities and beneficiaries. 10. Established criteria for financing civil society programmes and completed public tenders for financing the programmes. 11. Established mechanisms of cooperation between local communities and educational institutions on the implementation of school prevention programmes and addiction prevention programmes in the social welfare system. 12. Number of financed and evaluated civil society projects which contribute to addiction prevention, promotion and improvement of healthy lifestyle of children and youth and projects and programmes aimed at socially excluded categories and at-risk groups of children. 13. Established Committee on coordination and monitoring of addiction prevention programme for students 			

	<p>14. Number of financed prevention programmes aimed at student population.</p> <p>15. Number of addiction prevention programmes being implemented at counselling centres at universities.</p> <p>16. Established databases of prevention projects/programmes that are being implemented at the national and local level in educational institutions.</p> <p>17. Established and activated portal <i>preventivni.hr</i></p> <p>18. Number and type of printed and distributed materials in educational institutions.</p> <p>19. Established database of scientifically evaluated addiction prevention programmes.</p> <p>20. Number of trainings on databases and the number of involved experts.</p> <p>21. Established criteria for defining good practice programmes in the field of addiction prevention and enhanced exchange of those programmes in various environments.</p>
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Objective 2 Enhance the implementation of prevention programmes aimed at children, youth, families and community and raise the level of awareness of the whole society of the danger of drug abuse and other addictive substances.

Measure 2 Drawing-up and implementation of the National Campaign for Combating Drug Addiction which should have more prominent effect on children and young people and the public as a whole about the harmful influence of drugs, act to change their views on the consumption of drugs, raise the awareness of the extent and dimensions of the drug addiction problem and implement other programmes and projects aimed at families and community.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Appoint a professional team for drawing up a programme of activities of the National Campaign for Combating Drug Addiction.	By 31 March 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Interior, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, representatives of civil society organizations and other relevant institutions, independent experts and public media	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Draw up a programme of activities with special emphasis on creating messages aimed at young people, making and developing videos, posters, Internet portals, organizing trainings, public events, forums and other activities	By 30 April 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Appointed professional team	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office according to the annual budget
3. Draw up promotional and	Continuously	Office for	Ministry of Science,	Funds from

educational materials on the harmfulness of drugs aimed at children, young people and their parents based on recent scientific findings on addiction prevention, and publish informative and educational flyers, brochures and other materials for children, young people and parents.	from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health	Education and Sports, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, representatives of civil society organizations and other relevant institutions, independent experts	the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. In existing regional information centres and youth clubs provide information on addiction prevention and drug and other substance abuse and promote healthy lifestyle.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, representatives of civil society organizations and other relevant institutions, independent experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
5. Broadcast educational and informative shows with a view to teaching children, young people, parents and other citizens about the effect and harmfulness of drugs and other addictive substances and impacts on normative beliefs and critical evaluation of social impacts.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Interior, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, representatives of civil society organizations and other relevant institutions, independent experts and public media	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Draw up a programme of activities marking the International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking and the Month of the Fight Against Addiction at the national level	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Interior, Croatian	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office

			Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, representatives of civil society organizations and other relevant institutions, independent experts and public media	and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Develop and conduct special activities for combating drug abuse (especially during summer holidays) at places where young people meet, such as disco clubs, rave parties, concerts, summer resorts, camps, graduation trips and other places where young people meet.	By 31 May 2013 and continuously until 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Interior, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, representatives of civil society organizations, county institutes of public health, independent experts and public media	Funds from the State Budget of Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
8. With a view to evaluating the national campaign, conduct research of the public opinion, especially among children and youth, in terms of their views on addiction and drug consumption, and the possibilities for public action against the problem, and publish results of the evaluation in a special brochure.	By 31 May 2013 and continuously until 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Independent agencies and experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office according to the annual budget
9. In a special brochure, publish the results and effects of the National campaign on the public views on the problem of addiction.	By 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Independent agencies and experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	1. Appointment of the professional team for media campaigns 2. Drawing-up of the activity programme of the media campaign on an			

	<p>annual basis</p> <p>3. Number and type of distributed educational and promotional materials</p> <p>4. Number and type of information activities carried out in the regional information centres for young people and youth clubs</p> <p>5. Number and type of prevention programmes aimed at parents</p> <p>6. Number and type of broadcasted educational TV shows, radio and TV videos and other activities in the media</p> <p>7. Activities carried out to mark the International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking and the Month of the Fight Against Addiction at the national and local level</p> <p>8. Special prevention activities developed and carried out at places where many young people meet especially during summer holidays.</p> <p>9. Evaluation of the national media campaign</p> <p>10. Results of the national media campaign evaluation published in a special brochure</p>
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Measure 3 Counselling of children, young people and parents in family-counselling institutions, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment and school health services of Croatian Institute of Public Health.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. At county public health institutes and family-counselling institutions, carry out existing education and information activities relating to drug abuse with children, young people and parents	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Health	Services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, family-counselling institutions, local and regional self-government units, institutes of public health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries according to the annual budget
2. Conduct educational and informative activities concerning the promotion of healthy lifestyles among children, young people and parents.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health	Services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, institutions carrying out family counselling, local and regional self-government units, institutes of public health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry according to the annual budget
3. Conduct prevention programmes aimed at affirmation of positive parenthood, which are developed to improve family closeness and relationship with the view of increasing the role of a family in addiction prevention and contribute to the acquisition	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Health	Services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, institutions carrying out family-	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries according to the annual

of knowledge of responsible parenthood.			counselling, local and regional self-government units, institutes of public health	budget
4. Conduct prevention-oriented programmes concerning behavioural problems in children and young people.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health	Services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, social welfare centres, local and regional self-government units, institutes of public health	Funds from the State Budget of Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry according to the annual budget
5. Conduct counselling programmes and behaviour modification programmes of at-risk groups of children and young people.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, social welfare centres, family-counselling institutions, educational institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number and type of provided information and trainings to children, young people and parents 2. Number and type of provided information in relation to prevention of drug abuse and promotion of healthy lifestyles. 3. Number of conducted programmes on responsible parenthood and number of beneficiaries. 4. Number and type of conducted prevention-oriented programmes concerning behavioural disorders and number of beneficiaries 5. Number and type of counselling programmes and behaviour modification programmes and number of beneficiaries involved. 			

4.1.2. Addiction prevention at work

Objective 1 Develop prevention programmes against the abuse of legal and illegal drugs at work, especially at workplaces with special working conditions and the places with increased drug abuse risk and develop cooperation protocols between employers and the health system with the view of involving employees in the counselling programmes and treatment

Measure 1 Plan, carry out and monitor the implementation of measures and activities in the field of prevention and suppression of drug abuse at work, especially at workplaces with special working conditions.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Ensure the implementation of the Occupational Safety and Health Act and necessary legislative and other activities that regulate the obligations of employers required by law to implement adequate measures and programmes of addiction prevention at workplace.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Labour and Pension System	Ministry of Health, State Inspector's Office, Croatian Institute for Health Protection and Safety at Work, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. As part of the programme on specific health care measures, implement risk analysis with the aim of detecting risky behaviours of employees.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Croatian Institute for Health Protection and Safety at Work	Ministry of Health, State Inspector's Office, Ministry of Labour and Pension System	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Draw up a protocol on cooperation between authorized occupational medicine services and employer services with the aim of including employees with addiction problems in counselling programmes and medical treatment.	By 1 July 2013	Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Health	Croatian Institute for Health Protection and Safety at Work, Croatian Employers' Association, trade unions, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment	Funds from the State Budget of Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. Draw up activities protocols for employers, experts for safety at work, occupational medicine staff, commissioner of employees	By 1 July 2013	Croatian Institute for Health Protection and Safety	Croatian Employers' Association, trade unions, Ministry of Labour and	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia

for safety at work in the implementation of measures of drug abuse prevention, including the rules of procedure on the implementation of measures for drug and other addictive substance testing.		at Work	Pension System, Ministry of Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment	for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
5. Organize trainings on addiction prevention and prevention of drug abuse within the framework of the working process.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute for Health Protection and Safety at Work, Ministry of Health, State Inspector's Office, Ministry of Labour and Pension System, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Draw up and carry out the plan on searching employees in the prison system by random selection.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Croatian Institute for Health Protection and Safety at Work, Ministry of Interior	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number and type of conducted controls of the implementation of the Occupational Safety and Health Act provisions 2. Number of conducted analyses 3. Adoption of the cooperation protocol on referring employees to treatment programmes 4. Adoption of cooperation protocols for the purpose of addiction prevention at work and rules of procedure on the implementation drug testing measures 5. Number and type of conducted trainings 6. Development of the testing schedule, number of conducted tests and number of tested employees in the prison system 			

Measure 2 Plan, monitor the implementation and introduce new measures and activities in the area of prevention and suppression of drug abuse at work within the Ministry of Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Conduct control over the implementation of the regulations on the addiction prevention at work at the level of the Ministry of	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Croatia	Organizational units of the Ministry of Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for

Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces.				the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
2. Coordinate the work of all organizational units of the Ministry of Defence and the General Staff of the Croatian Armed Forces that perform activities related to the prevention and suppression of drug abuse and other addictive substances.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence and Croatian Armed Forces	Organizational units of the Ministry of Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State Budget of Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
3. Plan and elaborate activities in the area of prevention and suppression of drug abuse and other addictive substances at the level of the Ministry of Defence and the General Staff of the Croatian Armed Forces.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence and Croatian Armed Forces	Specialized services that deal with addiction issues within the Ministry of Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
4. Draw up and amend by-laws binding the Ministry of Defence and the Armed Forces to undertake prevention programmes at workplaces, and evaluation and amendments to existing activities and cooperation protocols during the implementation of measures for preventing narcotic drug abuse and procedures of verifying whether a CAF member is under influence of drugs or other addictive substances.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence and Armed Forces of the Republic of Croatia	Specialized services that deal with addiction issues within the Ministry of Defence and the Armed Forces of the Republic of Croatia	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
5. Conduct internal evaluation of existing programs, measures and activities in the area of prevention and suppression of narcotic drug abuse as well as other addictive substances within the Ministry of Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces, and conduct the analysis of risks that might result in at-risk behaviours.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence and Croatian Armed Forces	Organizational units of the Ministry of Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
6. Monitor the extent of abuse of drugs and other addictive substances at the Ministry of Defence and the	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence of the Republic	Military psychologists in the Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of

Croatian Armed Forces.		of Croatia		Croatia for the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
7. Conduct health protection measures and other proscribed procedures for members of the Ministry of Defence and the Croatian Armed Forces diagnosed as addicts, and set up a system of referral to counselling and treatment for persons with addiction issues	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Croatia	Military doctors, competent organizational units of the Ministry of Defence and Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
8. Implement the "Programme of Psychological Prevention of Addiction in the Croatian Armed Forces".	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Croatia	Military psychologists in the Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
9. Conduct preventive activities of drug control and detection.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Military Police Regiment	Organizational units of the Ministry of Justice and Croatian Armed Forces	Funds from the State the Budget of Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry of Defence according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number and type of conducted controls 2. Established successful coordination structure of all organizational units of the Ministry of Defence and the Armed Forces that conduct addiction prevention programmes. 3. Number and type of conducted activities foreseen by the programme. 4. Harmonized legislation and drafted protocols 5. Conducted evaluations of existing programmes and measures. 6. Reports with results on examining the extent of addiction 7. Number of the CAF members diagnosed as addicts according to valid regulations. 8. Reports on the implementation of the programme of psychological addiction prevention 9. Number and type of disciplinary procedures and number and type of detected drugs 			

4.1.3. Medical and psychosocial treatment

Objective 1 Improve the system and programmes for treatment of drug addicts.

Measure 1 Improve the quality of medical treatment of addiction, work with consumers and addicts including the monitoring of specific pharmacotherapy and advisory work with families of addicts and consumers and apply evidence-based clinical practices in the treatment of addicts.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Strengthen and appoint expert teams at the services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, and where necessary, modify the public health care network in order to improve the quality of care for addicts, consumers, people who experiment with drugs, children suffering from behavioural disorders and other at-risk children and their parents.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health	Croatian Institute of Public Health, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, general practitioners (GPs)	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Improve diagnostics, treatment and care for minors, and plan and carry out specific programmes of medical and psychosocial treatment.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health	County institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, social welfare centres, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Ensure additional capacities for inpatient treatment of addicts, especially for children and adolescents with problems of addictive substance abuse and departments for treatment of addicts with dual diagnosis.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Inpatient health care institutions	Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute for Health Insurance, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, specialized counselling institutions and offices, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. Enhance the measures for early detection and treatment of infectious diseases among	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health, Croatian	County institutes of public health - services for mental	Funds from the State Budget of

treated drug addicts.		Institute of Public Health	health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, specialized counselling institutions and offices, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health	the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
5. Align and amend Guidelines for the pharmacotherapy of addicts with methadone and buprenorphine.	By 30 June 2013	Ministry of Health, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Justice – Prison Administration	County institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, selected family medicine physicians, Inpatient health care institutions, pharmacies, specialized counselling health care institutions, Croatian Institute for Health Insurance	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Amend the existing and/or adopt special regulations to determine health and work ability of addicts, who are in substitution therapy, especially regulations for estimation of motor vehicle driving capability.	30 June 2013	Ministry of Health, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Institute for Health Protection and Safety at Work	County institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, occupational medicine	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Draw up activities protocols for authorized physicians in case of initiating re-assessment procedures of health and motor vehicle driving capability.	30 June 2013	Ministry of Health, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health,	County institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, occupational medicine	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
8. Draw up Guidelines for	31 March 2013	Ministry of	Ministry of Social	Funds from

psychosocial treatment of addicts using opiates and other substances and ensure implementation thereof.	and continuously until 31 December 2014	Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Justice – Prison Administration	Policy and Youth, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, social welfare centres, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health, therapeutic communities and homes for addicts, civil society organizations	the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
9. Strengthen cooperation with the prison system regarding the implementation of special measures of obligatory addiction treatment, probation and care during the prison sentence, conditional release and post-penal treatment.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health	County institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, social welfare centres, therapeutic communities and homes for addicts, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Appointed professional teams, ensured implementation of good clinical practice in the treatment of addicts and the number of treated persons and evaluation of the implemented treatment 2. Improved diagnostics, established programmes for treatment of minors and the number and type of those programmes. 3. Number of new hospital capacities for the inpatient treatment of drug addicts and number of new hospital capacities for minors and dual diagnosis drug addicts. 4. Improved measures of early detection of infectious diseases among treated addicts and the number of performed tests and result analyses. 5. Amended and improved guidelines for pharmacotherapy of opiate addicts and established monitoring of pharmacotherapy implementation. 6. Drawn up and/or amended regulations for determining health capability of addicts who are in substitution therapy, especially regulations for estimation of motor vehicle driving capability. 7. Drawn up protocol for authorized physicians in case of initiating re-assessment procedures of health capability 8. Drawn up guidelines for psychosocial treatment and ensured monitoring of its implementation and evaluation of its efficiency. 9. Established efficient mechanisms of cooperation with the prison system and the number of addicts in the prison system involved in certain types of treatment and care. 			

Objective 2 Develop social welfare services in line with the social plan and public social welfare network

Measure 2 Monitor and evaluate the programmes of providers of services to addicts, improve regulations on social welfare for addicts, encourage the setting-up of new

therapeutic communities, develop programmes of psychosocial rehabilitation in homes for addicts and therapeutic communities and set up the network of institutions for providing assistance to drug addicts.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Draw up and adopt a psychosocial rehabilitation programme for therapeutic communities and homes for addicts.	30 June 2013	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, therapeutic communities homes for addicts, independent experts dealing with medical and psychosocial treatment of addicts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
1. Set up a network of social welfare centres on the territory of the Republic of Croatia which would define necessary capacities for providing help to persons addicted to drugs and other addictive substances and ensure the financial resources for the network.	30 June 2013	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	County social welfare centres, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, regional self-government units	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Encourage the increase of capacities in therapeutic communities and homes for minor addicts, women addicts and dual diagnosis addicts.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Health, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, civil society organizations, therapeutic communities	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. Ensure adequate assistance and support to children and youth with addiction problems, in particular those experimenting with drugs, in the form of psychosocial rehabilitation in social welfare homes for children and youth.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare homes for children and youth, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual

				budget
5. Improve drug addiction detoxification programmes and treatments for addicts in social welfare homes for children and youth.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare homes for children and youth, county social welfare centres, institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, therapeutic communities and homes for addicts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Monitor the operation of homes for addicts and therapeutic communities and evaluate the effectiveness of implemented programmes of rehabilitation and resocialization.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	County social welfare centres	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Develop and implement special trainings for all experts and volunteers in therapeutic communities on medical and psychosocial treatment of addiction and enable the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports to verify those trainings.	By 30 June 2013 and continuously until 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction, Croatian Institute of Public Health, county institutes of public health, polytechnics, specialized institutions and experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Developed and adopted psychosocial rehabilitation programme in therapeutic communities and social welfare homes for addicts. 2. Established network of social welfare centres and necessary capacities for providing help to addicts 3. Number of accommodation capacities in therapeutic communities and homes for minor addicts, women addicts and dual diagnosis addicts. 4. Number of psychosocial rehabilitation programmes in social welfare homes for children and youth and number of beneficiaries. 5. Number of home beneficiaries included in adequate types of detoxification and treatment 6. Number of conducted monitoring activities and evaluated rehabilitation and resocialization programmes in therapeutic communities and homes for addicts. 7. Number and type of completed trainings and number of involved experts and volunteers. 			

4.1.3.1. Programmes aimed at solving social issues

Objective 1 Ensure efficient and timely interventions in families and take protection measures for at-risk groups of children and youth.

Measure 1 Take adequate measures of legal and social protection with the aim of improving family relationships and strengthening parental skills.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Involve children and parents at risk in counselling, schools for parents and other programmes to improve parental skills.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare centres, family-counselling institutions, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, specialized services and civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Carry out prevention group programmes for children, youth and parents (Behaviour modification through game (MPPI), small creative groups, half-day specialized treatments, etc.)	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare centres, schools, homes for children and youth with behavioural disorders, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Impose and implement cautionary measures pointing out to the failures in upbringing and parental care supervision measures.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare centres	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. Involve young people with different problems of growing up in youth counselling and existing programmes of detoxification, especially those who have been experimenting with drugs.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare centres, family-counselling institutions, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies

			society organizations	according to the annual budget
5. Cooperate with civil society organizations and develop programmes for working with young people at risk in the local community.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare centres, local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Ensure support to, and encourage and include young people who have dropped out of school to continue their education or receive occupational training.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Employment Service	Social welfare centres, Croatian Employment Service - regional offices, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, educational institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Provide temporary accommodation to children whose parents are drug addicts and who are in treatment and/or are unable to take care of their children.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare centres, foster families, children's homes	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
8. Improve the cooperation between social welfare centres and services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health	Social welfare centres, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number of at-risk children and parents involved in counselling and other programmes. 2. Number and type of organized group activities and the number of children, youth and their parents involved in group programmes. 3. Number of cautionary measures and measures of supervision for parents. 4. Number of young people involved in counselling and addiction detoxification programmes. 			

	<p>5. Number and type of programmes for young people at risk developed in cooperation with civil society organizations and the local community.</p> <p>6. Number of young people who have dropped out of school and number of young people in alternative educational programmes.</p> <p>7. Number of children with temporary accommodation whose parents are drug addicts.</p> <p>8. Established cooperation models and improved cooperation between social welfare centres and services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment.</p>
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4.1.3.2 Treatment of addicts in the prison system

Objective 1 Reduce drug availability and abuse in prisons and penitentiaries.

Measure 1 Implement activities concerning the prevention of further drug abuse, and adequate health, treatment and safety measures in relation to prisoners and employees in penal institutions.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Carry out permanent controls concerning the entry of addictive substances into penal institutions.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Ministry of Interior	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Develop and carry out regular drug testing of prisoners in line with the Testing Protocol for the Presence of Addictive Substances in Prisons and Penitentiaries.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice – Prison Administration	Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Organize educational and informative lectures for prisoners – occasional users of psychoactive substances.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget

4. Implement special prison sentence programmes for imprisoned addicts and minors.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	1. Number of conducted controls, types and amounts of seized substances and data obtained as part of the regular activities of employees involved in the treatment and the judicial police. 2. Drafted prisoner testing plan, number of conducted tests and the number of tested prisoners and minors. 3. Number and type of educational lectures and the number of involved prisoners and minors. 4. Number and type of special programmes for addicted prisoners and minors.			

Measure 2 Enhance special treatment programmes for prisoners and minors in the area of post-penal admission and continued treatment of prisoners and minors after they leave prison, and cooperation with state bodies, health-care and other public institutions, as well as NGOs for the purpose of ensuring post-penal admission and continued rehabilitation of prisoners after their release.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Involve services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment and civil society organizations in the treatment of addicted prisoners during their prison sentence and conditional release.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Ministry of Justice – Directorate for Probation and Support to Victims and Witnesses	Services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Enhance cooperation modalities with respect to addicted released from prison and addicted prisoners through meetings with the representatives of the Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health and services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014.	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Ministry of Justice – Directorate for Probation and Support to Victims and Witnesses	Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Develop guidelines for the treatment of addicts in the prison system and ensure	By 30 June 2013 and continuously from 1 July 2013	Ministry of Justice – Prison	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse,	Funds from the State Budget of the

implementation thereof.	to 31 December 2014	Administration	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	1. Number of services and civil society organizations involved in the treatment of prisoners, number of penal institutions with incorporated services and number of engaged services and civil society organizations 2. Improved cooperation and the number of meetings held. 3. Development of guidelines and ensured implementation thereof.			

Measure 3 Evaluate the serological status of hepatitis and conduct HIV tests on prisoners on a voluntary basis as part of the activities conducted by the Counselling Centre for Viral Hepatitis, where prison officials are also tested, and conduct educational activities, vaccination and treatment of the target population

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Conduct voluntary HIV testing of addicted prisoners.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014.	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Referential Centre of the University Hospital for Infectious Diseases "Dr. Fran Mihaljević", Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Conduct educational activities for prisoners either in small groups or individually within the Counselling Centre for Viral Hepatitis.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Referential Centre of the University Hospital for Infectious Diseases "Dr. Fran Mihaljević", Ministry of Health, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Conduct diagnostics, vaccination and treatment of prisoners for viral hepatitis markers within the Counselling Centre for Viral Hepatitis in penitentiaries and prisons on a voluntary basis.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014.	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Referential Centre of the University Hospital for Infectious Diseases "Dr. Fran Mihaljević", Ministry of Health, civil society	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and

			organizations	other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. Keep the registry of viral hepatitis types and HIV patients within the framework of the Counselling Centre for Viral Hepatitis	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014.	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Referential Centre of the University Hospital for Infectious Diseases "Dr. Fran Mihaljević", Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	1. Number of conducted HIV tests and the number of prisoners tested 2. Number and type of educational activities conducted. 3. Number of prisoners tested and vaccinated against viral hepatitis and the number of prisoners treated within the Counselling Centre. 4. Number of prisoners listed in the Registry.			

4.1.3.3. Working with addicts in the probation system

Objective 1 Increase the number of measures and sanctions imposed in the community on adult addicts who have committed criminal offences and improve their implementation.

Measure 1 Conduct activities in order to ensure prerequisites for quality work with addicts in the community within the probation system.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Deliver training for probation officials.	By 31 December 2013	Ministry of Justice – Directorate for Probation and Support to Victims and Witnesses	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Establish and develop various forms of cooperation with representatives of state bodies, health care and other public institutions and NGOs.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice – Directorate for Probation and Support to Victims and Witnesses	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies

			treatment, civil society organizations	according to the annual budget
3. Involve addicts in probation activities and collect data on addicts within the probation system.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice – Directorate for Probation and Support to Victims and Witnesses	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	1. Number of delivered trainings and the number of attendants 2. Number of meetings on cooperation establishment and development 3. Number of addicts involved in probation activities.			

Objective 2 Improve the implementation of treatment, rehabilitation and social reintegration of addicts who have committed criminal offences into community.

Measure 2 Enforce measures/sanctions imposed on addicts, adult criminal offenders, whose implementation lies within the scope of the probation system.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Organize and monitor addiction treatment measures/obligations imposed by state attorneys/judges	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice – Directorate for Probation and Support to Victims and Witnesses	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Monitor drug addiction treatment during the conditional release.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice – Directorate for Probation and Support to Victims and Witnesses	Ministry of Justice-Prison Administration, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	1. Number of monitored treatment measures/obligations of convicted persons in the community. 2. Number of addicts under the probation system supervision undergoing treatment during their conditional release and annual evaluation of the implemented activities with emphasis on the necessary improvement.			

4.1.4. Programmes aimed at reducing harm resulting from drug abuse

Objective 1 Improve harm-reduction programmes and continuously implement the existing ones.

Measure 1 Develop new approaches and harm-reduction programmes, foster an integrative approach and encourage cooperation of all relevant partners in the implementation of the programmes

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Analyze the implementation of harm-reduction programmes in order to determine the reasons for insufficient coverage of certain areas by those programmes and expand the implementation to areas that have not been represented.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2104	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Croatian Red Cross	Ministry of Health, civil society organizations dealing with harm-reduction programmes	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Encourage the development and implementation of programmes intended for drug consumers who visit night clubs/ big music festivals	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2104	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Croatian Red Cross	Ministry of Health, civil society organizations dealing with harm-reduction programmes	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Encourage the development of an integrative approach to the implementation of harm-reduction programmes (socio-economic interventions (food, clothes, and hygiene), counselling interventions and psychosocial treatment) and opening of shelters for homeless addicts.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2104	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Croatian Red Cross	civil society organizations dealing with harm-reduction programmes	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. Financially support the implementation of harm-reduction programmes and enhance the cooperation between state institutions and NGOs dealing with harm-reduction programmes	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2104	Ministry of Health, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Croatian Red Cross	Civil society organizations dealing with harm-reduction programmes	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual

				budget
5. Continuously implement harm-reduction programmes such as the distribution of sterile equipment to intravenous addicts, outpatient treatment and counselling and encourage the opening of drop-in centres.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2104	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Red Cross	Civil society organizations dealing with harm-reduction programmes	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, lottery funds
6. Advance the work and encourage the opening of counselling centres for voluntary and anonymous testing for HIV, Hepatitis B and C.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2104	Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Croatian Red Cross	County institutes of public health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, lottery funds
7. Conduct quick tests for HIV and Hepatitis.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2104	Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Croatian Red Cross	Civil society organizations dealing with harm-reduction programmes	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, lottery funds
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Conducted analysis of coverage of harm-reduction programmes and expanded implementation of those programmes. 2. Developed new harm-reduction programmes intended for drug consumers who visit night clubs. 3. Number of new integrative harm-reduction programmes and number of shelters for homeless addicts. 4. Enhanced cooperation with civil society organizations that implement harm-reduction programmes, number and type of financed programmes and the amount of financial resources spent on those programmes. 5. Number of distributed clean kits to addicts, number of involved addicts in the programmes and number of new drop-in centres. 6. Number of counselling activities and anonymous tests conducted 7. Number of conducted HIV and Hepatitis tests. 			

4.1.5. Resocialization and social reintegration of addicts

Objective 1 Enhance the reintegration of former addicts into society in all areas, and in

particular with the aim of developing their working and social skills, encouraging their education and employment and involvement in various cultural, sports and educational activities.

Measure 1 Implement the Project on Social Reintegration of Drug Addicts Who Have Completed One of the Rehabilitation and Withdrawal Programmes in a Therapeutic Community or in Prison Settings, as well as Drug Addicts in Outpatient Treatment Who Have Maintained Abstinence for a Longer Period of Time and Adhered to Their Treatment Programme in all counties in the Republic of Croatia and develop and conduct new programmes of resocialization of drug addicts and consumers.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
<p>1. Coordinate and monitor the implementation of the Project on Social Reintegration of Drug Addicts in accordance with the Activities and Cooperation Protocol for Competent State Bodies, Institutions and Civil Society Organization in the Implementation of the Project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organize working meetings with representatives of authorized state bodies and other subjects engaged in the implementation of the Project - twice a year gather information and draft reports on the implementation of the Project - in accordance with report analysis and where necessary, submit proposals to the Government of the Republic of Croatia for harmonizing and supplementing the Project and the Protocol. 	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Croatian Employment Service, Croatian Institute of Public Health, local and regional self-government units, social welfare centres, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, employers' associations and civil society organizations</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units</p>
<p>2. Conduct campaigns and present the Project to county committees, entrepreneurs, public media and all other relevant institutions with the aim of raising public awareness of the implementation thereof</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Croatian Employment Service, Croatian Institute of Public Health, local and</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government</p>

			regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, social welfare centres, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, Croatian Chamber of Economy, Croatian Chamber of Trades and Crafts, Croatian Employers' Association, representatives of associations, trade unions and employers, civil society organizations and media	units
3. Organize meetings with the representatives of the local and regional self-government units and based on the analysis of the number of rehabilitated addicts, their motivation for education and employment and labour market needs in certain counties, propose measures for the implementation of the Project on Social Reintegration at the level of local communities.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Croatian Employment Service, Croatian Institute of Public Health, social welfare centres, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units
4. Develop and implement additional training and retraining of drug addicts based on the relevant	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse,	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Justice -	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of

<p>statistical indicators of professional qualifications of addicts and their motivation for further education in accordance with the labour market needs.</p>		<p>Ministry of Science, Education and Sports</p>	<p>Prison Administration, Croatian Employment Service, Croatian Institute of Public Health, local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, social welfare centres, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, civil society organizations</p>	<p>Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units</p>
<p>5. Based on the Collection of Project Beneficiaries' Personal Data kept by the Office, monitor the implementation of individual programmes of resocialization, conduct evaluation and draft reports on the implementation of individual programmes.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Homes for addicts, therapeutic communities, penal institutions, social welfare centres, Croatian Employment Service, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and local and budgets of regional self-government units</p>
<p>6. Draw up a proposal for measures encouraging education and employment of treated addicts through the National Employment incentive Plans for the period 2013-2014 and implement measures aimed at treated addicts and laid down in the 2012 National Plan with particular emphasis on measures aimed at involving persons in public works.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Croatian Employment Service, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Health, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, local and regional self-government units, social welfare</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of</p>

			centres, employers' associations, and civil society organizations	local and regional self-government units
7. Implement projects on social cooperative entrepreneurship of treated addicts with the aim of encouraging their self-employment, and encourage the establishment of cooperatives for social cooperative entrepreneurship of treated addicts through meetings and education.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Employment Service, local and regional self-government units, social welfare centres, Croatian Association of Cooperatives, employers' associations and civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units
8. Provide psycho-social support to minors and other persons upon release from treatment or homes for addicts and prisons by developing social skills and encouraging education and employment, occupational retraining, involvement in various cultural, sports and educational activities	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Social welfare centres, Croatian Employment Service, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, and civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
9. Finance projects and programmes of civil society organizations that implement programmes of resocialization of drug addicts and evaluate those programmes.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Croatian Employment Service, Croatian Institute of Public Health, local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units

<p>10. Implement employment incentive measures intended for treated addicts: professional guidance, information and counselling; assessment of the psychophysical capabilities for the purpose of employment, financing or co-financing of employment.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Croatian Employment Service, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, Ministry of Labour and Pension System</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, local and regional self-government units, social welfare centres, employers' associations and civil society organizations</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units</p>
<p>11. Implement education promotion measures: professional guidance (information and counselling); assessment of psychophysical capabilities for the purpose of education, establishment of educational needs, financing or co-financing of education.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Croatian Employment Service, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Labour and Pension System</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, local and regional self-government units, social welfare institutes and centres, employers' associations and civil society organizations</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units</p>
<p>12. Enable addicts in a treatment or those who have successfully completed a treatment to complete occupational retraining or secondary education</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Ministry of Science, Education and Sports</p>	<p>Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration, Croatian Employment Service, Croatian Institute of Public Health, local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, social welfare centres, county institutes of public health - services for</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units</p>

			mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, civil society organizations	
<p>13. Ensure consistent and continuous implementation of the Project on Social Reintegration of Addicts in Prison Settings.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conducting surveys in prisons and penitentiaries and drawing up lists of addicted prisoners interested in the programmes of further education, retraining and employment - Conducting psychological testing and examination by occupational physicians with a view of establishing work and health abilities. - Organizing training programmes in penitentiaries and prisons. - Monitoring individual resocialization programmes, drawing up reports and submitting monitoring forms for the Collection of Personal Data kept by the Office - Establishing a model of cooperation with social welfare centres and regional offices of Croatian Employment Service upon an addict's release from prison and continuation of education. - Organizing promotion activities with the aim of presenting the Project and encouraging employment of addicted prisoners. 	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Labour and Pension System, Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Croatian Employment Service, Croatian Institute of Public Health, local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, social welfare centres, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, educational institutions, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units
<p>14. Encourage the establishment of residential communities for addicts with housing problems and for those who are unable to return to their families after they have successfully completed a programme of resocialization and rehabilitation.</p>	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Local and regional self-government units, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to

				the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units
15. Implement the project of resocialization for minors and young adults - criminal and misdemeanour offenders who have committed drug-related offences during the implementation of alternative measures.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, social welfare centres, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number of meetings, established successful models of coordination and monitoring of the Project implementation, harmonization of the Project and Protocol with the needs and evaluation of the Project implementation. 2. Number and type of organized promotion activities. 3. Number and type of programmes of resocialization established at the level of local and regional self-government units. 4. Number and type of further education and occupational retraining programmes and the number of addicts involved 5. Reports concerning the Collection of Project Beneficiaries' Personal Data and the results of the evaluation 6. Drawn-up proposal for employment and education incentive measures for treated addicts set out by the National Employment Incentive Plan for the period 2013-2014 7. Number of organized meetings and trainings with the aim of encouraging the establishment of cooperatives, number of founded cooperatives of treated addicts, amount of financial resources allocated to cooperatives and the number of addicts employed in cooperatives 8. Number of minors and other persons involved in the programmes of psycho-social support and resocialization after their release from homes and prisons and the type of provided services. 9. Number and type of financed projects/programmes of civil society organizations, amount of financial resources allocated and number of involved addicts. 10. Number of addicts involved in employment incentive measures, type of provided services and total number of employed addicts. 11. Number of addicts involved in education incentive measures, type of provided services, total number of addicts involved in education activities. 12. Number of addicts provided with an opportunity to complete their primary and secondary education 13. Established continuous implementation of the Project in the prison system, the number of addicts involved in the Project in prisons and penitentiaries and type of provided service. 14. Number of established residential communities, types of programmes and number of involved addicts; number of minors and young adults subject to alternative measures 			

4.2. DRUG SUPPLY REDUCTION

4.2.1. Suppression of drug supply and availability

Objective 1 Suppress the production, trafficking and smuggling of drugs, precursors and doping substances and improve the efficiency of procedures and methods aimed at suppressing the production, smuggling, trafficking and abuse of drugs, as well as the suppression of related money laundering.

Measure 1 Undertake prescribed measures and activities within the scope of work of the Ministry of Interior and the Ministry of Finance, Customs Administration in accordance with the National Strategy for the purpose of reducing drug supply on the Croatian illegal drug market, preventing international smuggling of drugs and doping substances, detecting smuggling and attempts of illegal use of precursors, and cooperate with other authorized national and international authorities and agencies.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
<p>1. Prevent the smuggling of drugs into/out of the Republic of Croatia and through Croatia across the state border</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conduct threat assessments, assessment of risks posed by crime related to abuse and smuggling of drugs as a form of organized crime (Organised Crime Threat Assessment - OCTA) - Control the border and the entire territory of the R of Croatia with a view to suppressing drug smuggling and all types of drug-related crime - Monitor and timely detect new phenomena (modalities, trends) of drug smuggling and abuse for the purpose of timely implementation of measures and actions for suppressing this phenomenon in order to prevent its spreading and detrimental consequences. - Implement measures aimed at enhancing control of passengers and traffic at border crossings (road, railway, fluvial), and airports and maritime ports - Enhance administrative and operating capacities of the Ministry of Interior aimed at suppressing the abuse and smuggling of drugs - Improve work efficiency within the National Police Office for Suppression of Corruption and Organized 	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Finance – Customs Administration	State Attorney's Office and USKOK (Office for Suppression of Corruption and Organized Crime)	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget

<p>Crime set up on the basis of a pro-active approach and the adopted model of police work based on intelligence-led policing (ILP)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Coordinate activities and improve cooperation with the customs service, create joint operational teams and implement joint actions aimed at suppressing drug abuse in accordance with the Instruction on Cooperation of the General Police Directorate and the Customs Administration - Conduct trainings for dog handlers and official drug detection dogs 				
<p>2. Coordinate activities with relevant factors in the area of suppression of drug abuse</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue with further enhancement of cooperation between authorities in charge of reducing drug supply in the Republic of Croatia (not only at the state but also the local level) and set up, where necessary, joint investigation teams for the purpose of ensuring efficient criminal prosecution of persons who have committed serious criminal offences related to drug smuggling - Set up permanent focal points responsible for information exchange concerning the suppression of international drug smuggling on behalf of the Ministry of Finance - Customs Administration and the Ministry of Interior. 	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Ministry of Finance, Customs Administration, Ministry of Interior</p>	<p>Other competent state bodies</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>3. Reduction of drug supply (availability) on the illegal drug market</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Suppress organized resale and distribution of drugs on the territory of the Republic of Croatia by criminal organizations and groups, exerting continuous pressure on persons (individuals, groups, organizations) in charge of such criminal activities, to the extent permitted by law - Apply pro-active approach and criminal investigations based on collected and analytically processed data 	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Ministry of Interior</p>	<p>Ministries and other competent state administration bodies and units of local and regional self-government, as well as civil society organizations</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Within the framework of the National Police Office for Suppression of Corruption and Organized Crime, strengthen teams consisting of police officers specialized for different forms of organized crime and corruption and direct them to suppress activities conducted by organized criminal groups and organizations dealing with organizing, smuggling and reselling drugs - Prepare and conduct criminal investigations on the basis of intelligence, especially data gathered from “informants” (encouraging work with „informants“ by police officers and coordination of activities with the Criminal-Intelligence Department within the Police National Office for Suppression of Corruption and Organized Crime) - Use OCTA related to drug abuse (organized reselling) and analytical methods and techniques to detect possible focal points and target them with direct preventive and repressive measures and procedures in coordination with relevant subjects dealing with drug abuse issues - Prevent open drug scenes, suppress open resale of small quantities in the streets (so-called street reduction) - Prevent all forms of drug consumption in public places and in cooperation with other authorities actively participate and suppress any form of drug abuse promotion - Actively participate in various preventive activities at the national or local level in order to reduce drug demand through an interdisciplinary approach in cooperation with other authorized bodies and institutions, - Conduct activities aimed at the prevention of online trafficking of drugs, psychotropic substances and precursors, and doping substances - Ensure that in the course of the detection and clarification of criminal 				
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<p>offences of drug abuse as a type of organized crime the quality remains at the level of EU countries.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue with the harmonization of the legislation and the quality of police work, in particular, with the Acquis Communautaire in the area of drugs - Develop standardized methods for collection and analytical processing of data (in accordance with the EU Acquis Communautaire– EMCDDA and EUROPOL (European Police Office)) and make reports on the status and trends in drug-related crime - Implement measures and activities provided for in the Protocol on the early warning system in case of new psychotropic substances under the competence of the Ministry of Interior. 				
<p>4. Prevent and suppress laundering of money generated by drug trafficking (control over suspicious financial transactions)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conduct measures (police inquiries and special evidentiary actions) in accordance with applicable legal regulations related to the prevention of money laundering - Improve techniques aimed at detecting financial transactions of money – following the flows of money obtained by drug trafficking, i.e. improve techniques for conducting financial investigations - Enhance measures and authorities of competent bodies over the identification and confiscation of pecuniary gain originating from the perpetration of criminal offences of drug abuse and improve cooperation and exchange of data between the police, Tax Administration, Anti-Money Laundering Office, Customs Administration and other organizational units of 	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Ministry of Interior</p>	<p>Ministry of Finance, Anti-Money Laundering Office, Financial Police and State Property Management Office</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>

<p>the Ministry of Finance in the course of financial investigations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Undertake all other necessary measures aimed at confiscation of pecuniary gain, i.e. confiscation of pecuniary gain obtained by perpetration of a criminal offence relating to drug abuse, especially its more complex (organized) forms. 				
<p>5. Implement all necessary measures and actions in order to minimize the possibility of illegal production and growing of drugs on the territory of the Republic of Croatia</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prevent the production of drugs of synthetic origin by conducting continuous control over precursor traffic and by undertaking all other preventive and repressive measures and activities - Implement preventive and repressive activities aimed at suppressing any form of production of marijuana in order to reduce the growing of marijuana as much as possible and to prevent and disable organized forms thereof. 	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Interior	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Finance – Customs Administration; Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Sea, Traffic and Infrastructure, Ministry of Economy	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
<p>6. Prevent illegal activities relating to import, export and transit of precursors and strengthen networks for information exchange between bodies in charge of control over precursor traffic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conduct proactive measures and reduce the possibility for illegal production of precursors and their re-direction from the domestic chemical industry as much as possible - Strengthen the Croatian system of precursor control, i.e. take active role with other authorized bodies in setting up the model of control over precursors in the Republic of Croatia in accordance with EU standards (single control over precursor traffic) - Set up permanent contact points at the Ministry of 	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Finance-Customs Administration	Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget

Finance – Customs Administration in order to exchange information with competent bodies related to cross-border traffic in precursors and exert maximum control over precursor traffic.				
7. Define legal basis for suppressing trafficking of substances that are not on the list of drugs, but which have drug characteristics, confiscation and destruction thereof until the moment they are included in the list of drugs (new drugs).	By 31 December 2012	Ministry of Health	Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Finance - Customs Administration, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
8. Adopt a separate list of substances banned in sports in accordance with the provisions of the Penal Code, the use and trafficking of which is prohibited outside sports and professional competitions.	By 30 June 2013	Ministry of Health, Croatian National Institute of Toxicology and Antidoping	Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Finance - Customs Administration, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
9. Conduct control over illegal trade in “new” drugs and doping substances - Prevent smuggling by postal traffic of substances (new drugs) that are not included in the drugs list but have drug characteristics - Prevent smuggling of doping substances across the state border; create legal possibilities allowing efficient reduction of supply of doping substances.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Finance, Customs Administration, Ministry of Interior	Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
10. Participate in regional projects (financed by the EU) on the enhancement of joint operating capacities of the Mol of the Republic of Croatia and the Customs aimed at suppressing organized forms of drug-related crime, i.e., use projects to strengthen	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Finance, Customs Administration		Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent

administrative capacities (equipment and training) of the bodies specialized for organized crime and drug-related crime with mutual exchange of knowledge and experience.				state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	1. Number and type of conducted activities. 2. Numerical indicators of the situation of drug-related crime and drug abuse. 3. Adoption of legal regulations governing confiscation and destruction of substances that are not on the list of drugs, but have drug characteristics; appointment of an authority competent for such a procedure. 4. Adoption of a separate list of substances banned in sports, the use and trafficking of which is prohibited outside sports and professional competitions.			

4.2.2. Penal policy

Objective 1 Strengthen the integrative approach in the implementation of the penal policy in the area of suppression of drug abuse and develop adequate programmes and interventions for dealing with perpetrators of drug-related criminal and misdemeanour offences

Measure 1 Conduct a penal policy efficiency analysis and develop guidelines for activities and cooperation between the repressive and health care system in the implementation of programmes for perpetrators of drug-related criminal and misdemeanour offences.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Initiate and organize meetings with representatives of the repressive system and the medical and psycho-social treatment system with the aim of developing cooperation and coordination of assistance provided to addicted perpetrators of criminal and misdemeanour offences.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Interior	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Analyze the implementation of penal and misdemeanour policy in the area of drug abuse and initiate the harmonization of legislation.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Interior, State Attorney's Office	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to

				the annual budget
3. Develop models, measures and programmes of adequate prevention activities and treatment interventions for addicts and/or minors and young adults who have committed drug-related criminal and misdemeanour offences.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Justice	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. Conduct trainings for judges and state attorney on new legislative solutions in the area of penal policy on suppression of drug abuse	At least once a year, continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Judicial Academy, Ministry of Justice	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Improved coordination and cooperation and the number of meetings. 2. Drafted reports on the analysis of the implementation of penal and misdemeanour policy in the area of drug abuse and harmonized legislation. 3. Number and type of developed and implemented prevention and treatment measures. 4. Number and type of trainings and the number of judges and state attorneys involved. 			

4.3. TRAINING

Objective 1 Advance expertise and skills of all experts involved in the planning and implementation of measures laid down in the National Strategy and Action Plan at the national and local level, and thus simultaneously advance the implementation of the overall national policy in this area.

Measure 1 Organize conferences on prevention, medical treatment, social treatment and other areas pertaining to the National Strategy and the Action Plan, as well as interdisciplinary trainings, seminars, training of trainers and undergraduate and/or postgraduate studies in the area of drug addiction.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Organize conferences on combating drug abuse for all experts involved in the implementation of prevention programmes and other programmes in the area of drug demand reduction.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, county institutes of public health, polytechnics, specialized and scientific institutions, experts and representatives of the youth (pupils and students), civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Provide education concerning professional training of human resources in the field of combating drug abuse - Organize, carry out and coordinate training of experts from school health services, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, social welfare centres, homes for children and youth, regional offices of the Croatian Employment Service, educational institutions and civil society organizations dealing with young people with behavioural disorders. - Organize trainings for experts from social welfare institutions (institutes and homes for children and youth) in the area of	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, county institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, school health services, primary and secondary schools (teachers, expert associates), Croatian Medical	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and EU funds

<p>combating drug abuse and other addictions (alcohol, gambling, betting, internet games, etc.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organize targeted and interdisciplinary training for all experts and therapists in homes for addicts and therapeutic communities. - Organize trainings, seminars and workshops for associations engaged in combating drug abuse in the area of drawing-up and implementing the programme of combating drug abuse. - Organize regional trainings for all experts and volunteers involved in the implementation of the National Programme of Addiction Prevention and the Project on Social Reintegration of Drug Addicts at the local level. - Organize permanent training for all holders in charge of the implementation of the health education programme (Module: addiction prevention) in the educational system. 			<p>Association, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health, Croatian Employment Service, county committees on combating drug abuse, specialized and scientific institutions, agencies and civil society organizations, relevant international institutions, Croatian and European experts in the area of addiction prevention</p>	
<p>3. Organize training for treatment officials and judicial police in the area of prevention of drug abuse and treatment of addicts in the prison system.</p>	<p>At least once a year, continuously from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Ministry of Justice - Prison Administration</p>	<p>Services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, referential health care institutions and other institutions that deal with the treatment of addicts, scientific institutions</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>4. Organize targeted trainings for representatives of the repressive and judicial system dealing with young people faced with addiction problems.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Interior, State Attorney's Office, Judicial Academy</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>5. Organize workshops, round tables and seminars for all holders competent for</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic</p>	<p>Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, county</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the</p>

prevention programmes at the county level.		Drug Abuse	committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, local and regional self-government units, services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment	Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Ensure permanent training for health-care and other professionals involved in the treatment and care for persons facing addiction problems and drug abuse, and training for health-care professionals on pharmacotherapy in the treatment of opiate addiction.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Health, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	County institutes of public health - services for mental health protection, addiction prevention and outpatient treatment, experts in the field of addiction prevention, Croatian Medical Association, professional chambers and biomedical faculties, Referential Centre for Drug Addiction of the Ministry of Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Initiate the establishment of interdisciplinary professional and/or scientific postgraduate studies in the field of addiction to train experts of various profiles in the area of drug addiction. - Set up a multidisciplinary team of experts and scientists for the purpose of drawing up the study programme. - Draw up a proposal of the study programme and submit it to the universities for approval.	By 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, universities and faculties, competent ministries and other scientific and specialized institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
8. Improve and continuously implement professional training of police and customs officers in the field of suppression of drug abuse and smuggling of drugs. - Specially trained police officers should carry out trainings for all other police officers providing them with basic knowledge of that subject (drug abuse). - Carry out specialized trainings for specially trained police officers working on suppression and drug abuse in relation to the recent	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2013	Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Finance - Customs Administration	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the ministries and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget

<p>trends and modes of drug abuse, smuggling of drugs and new ways of carrying out their work (proactive measures, intelligence-based investigations, work with informants, etc.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Carry out trainings for police officers on the novelties in legislation in the field of drugs (the old and the new Criminal Procedure Act) - Carry out trainings for customs officers - Participate in international seminars and multidisciplinary conferences. 				
<p>IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number and type of conferences held and number of participants and published proceedings. 2. Number and type of trainings held and number of involved experts from the health care and social welfare institutions, therapeutic communities and homes for addicts, civil society organizations, and published materials from those trainings. 3. Number and type of trainings and the number of involved officers from the prison system. 4. Number and type of trainings on dealing with young people and number of involved experts from the repressive and judicial system. 5. Number and type of trainings, seminars and workshops at the county level, number of counties where trainings took place and the number of involved experts in the field of addiction prevention. 6. Number and type of permanent trainings for health-care and other professionals from the social welfare and treatment institutions and number of involved experts. 7. Number and type of study programmes that have been drawn up, submitted for approval and launched, including the number of attendants. 8. Number and type of trainings for police and customs officers and the number of involved officers. 9. Number of trainings held for all holders responsible for the implementation of the health education programme (Module: Addiction prevention) in the educational system. 			

4.4. NATIONAL INFORMATION SYSTEM

4.4.1. Monitoring

Objective 1 Follow new trends and monitor the drug situation in the country for the purpose of making timely and efficient responses.

Measure 1 Consistently and continuously carry out measures and implementation activities laid down in the Action Plan on National Drug Information System.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Ensure the implementation of all measures and implementing activities of the Action Plan on National Drug Information System for the period 2012-2013.	Continuously from the date of adoption of the APNDIS (2012-2013) to 31 December 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
2. Draw up biennial Action Plans on National Drug Information System for the periods in accordance with national needs and EU requirements.	Continuously during the validity period of each respective APNDIS	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
3. Gather and deliver in a timely manner all relevant data and information on the drug problem situation, in particular the information needed for drafting standard annual reports within set deadlines.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
4. Foster good multiagency cooperation for the purpose of exchanging information and data.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth,	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office

			Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
5. Carry out continuous training for experts in the field of methodologies for monitoring certain indicators.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
6. Develop customized software solutions for monitoring certain indicators.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
7. Ensure adequate technical/IT equipment for the purpose of gathering, processing and analyzing data.	By 31 December 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number of implemented activities laid down in the Action Plan on National Drug Information System 2012-2013 2. Drawn-up Action Plan on National Drug Information System 2014-2015 3. Drawn-up and timely delivered annual reports on the drug problem situation in the Republic of Croatia to the relevant bodies. 4. Number of operating protocols on multiagency cooperation and joint inter-ministerial projects in the field of monitoring of drug problem situation and new trends. 5. Number and type of trainings, seminars and workshops for experts who deal with monitoring of certain drug problem indicators. 6. Software programs for monitoring certain indicators. 7. Number and type of obtained technical/IT equipment in authorized institutions. 			

Objective 2 Integrate Croatian data on the drug situation into the wider European picture.

Measure 2 Achieve full and sustainable cooperation with the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA).

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Ratify the Agreement between the Republic of Croatia and the European Union on the participation of Republic of Croatia in the work of the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA).	By 30 June 2013	Ministry of Interior	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Participate in the EMCDDA horizontal projects on technical assistance	Until 1 July 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
3. Meet reporting obligations to the EMCDDA – European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction in a regular and timely manner.	Continuously until 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Ministry of Finance, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
4. Strengthen administrative capacities of the Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse as the national focal point of the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA).	By 1 July 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse		Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office according to the annual budget
5. Ensure sufficient financial resources for meeting all national obligations to the EMCDDA as a prerequisite	Continuously from 1 January 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic	Ministry of Finance	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of

for entering into a contract on the allocation of grants, which will be concluded by and between the Office and the EMCDDA on an annual basis.		Drug Abuse		Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
6. Appoint a representative of the Republic of Croatia to the Management Board of the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA).	By 1 July 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse		Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office according to the annual budget
7. Ensure the participation of Croatian representatives in regular and ad hoc meetings of the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA).	Continuously until 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Interior	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Adopted Act on Ratification of the Agreement between the Republic of Croatia and the European Union on Participation of Republic of Croatia in the work of the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA) 2. Number and type of activities carried out within the framework of the EMCDDA horizontal projects on technical assistance. 3. Annual reports on the drug situation in the Republic of Croatia and a package of standard statistical data. 4. Sufficient number of employees 5. Amount of funds allocated from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia to the Office for the purposes of meeting the obligations to the EMCDDA and number of fulfilled obligations as stated in the agreement on the allocation of grants, concluded by and between the Office and the EMCDDA on an annual basis 6. Decision of the Government of the Republic of Croatia on the appointment of the representative of the Republic of Croatia to the EMCDDA Management Board. 2. Number of Croatian experts who have participated in regular and ad hoc meetings of the EMCDDA, and reports on participation in those meetings 			

4.4.2. Research

Objective 1 Raise the awareness of the importance of the research in the field of drugs not covered by routine gathering of data for the purpose of having a better understanding of the phenomenon, and use research findings to define efficient drug policies.

Measure 1 Conduct research on priority areas of drug problems and drug addictions.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Conduct research on Health Behaviour in School-aged Children (HBSC) or Children and Youth in Social Environment	By 31 December 2014	Croatian Institute of Public Health	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Conduct research on the behaviour of at-risk groups of young people with respect to addictive substances (including young people who have dropped out of school) - rapid assessment	By 31 December 2013	Croatian Institute of Public Health	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Conduct research on seroprevalence of HIV, HBV and HCV among intravenous addicts at the national level.	By 31 December 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Croatian Institute of Public Health, Ministry of Health, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
4. Conduct national retroactive cohort mortality research among registered drug addicts.	By 31 December 2013	Croatian Institute of Public Health	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
5. Conduct research on appearance and prevalence of new psychoactive substances,	By 30 June 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic	Scientific institution	Funds from the State Budget of the

especially among at-risk groups		Drug Abuse		Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
6. Conduct research on drug availability and drug market.	By 31 December 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Scientific institution, Ministry of Interior, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
7. Explore the possibility for conducting research on secondary crime related to drug abuse.	By 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Scientific institution, Ministry of Interior, Croatian Bureau of Statistics, Croatian Institute of Public Health	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
8. Conduct research on public expenditure in the system of drug abuse suppression.	By 31 December 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Scientific institution, competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Report on the implementation and results of HBSC research 2. Report on the implementation and results of the research on behaviour among at-risk groups of young people with respect to addictive substances - rapid assessment 3. Report on the implementation and results of national research on seroprevalence of HIV, HBV, and HCV among intravenous addicts 4. Report on the implementation and results of the national retroactive cohort mortality research among registered drug addicts 5. Report on the implementation and results of research on appearance and prevalence of new psychoactive substances, especially among 			

	<p>at-risk groups.</p> <p>6. Report on the implementation and results on drug availability and drug market.</p> <p>7. Results of the feasibility study on the possibility for conducting research on secondary crime related to drug abuse.</p> <p>8. Report on the implementation and results of research on public expenditures in the system of drug abuse suppression</p>
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4.4.3. Evaluation

Objective 1 Increase the efficiency of programmes in the area of suppression of drug abuse through the implementation of evaluation and supervision of programmes/projects resulting from the National Strategy and the Action Plan.

Measure 1 Integrate and implement evaluation and supervision of programmes/projects resulting from the National Strategy including the National Strategy itself and carry out trainings for all holders in charge of the implementation of the National Strategy measures on programme evaluation and drafting.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Initiate the appointment of an independent professional body and/or professional team of evaluators for the evaluation of programmes to be implemented in the area of suppression of drug abuse and addiction prevention.	By 30 June 2013	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Pre-school educational institutions, primary and secondary schools, local and regional self-government units, health care and social welfare institutions, civil society organizations, specialized institutions and independent experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Develop professional standards and guidelines for the implementation of all evaluation stages, define evaluation frameworks and conduct evaluation of all programmes financed from the State Budget and lottery funds, and which are based on and result from the State Budget, including civil society organization programmes.	By 31 December 2012	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Croatian Institute of Public Health, Office for Cooperation with NGOs, pre-school educational institutions, primary and secondary schools, local and regional self-government units, health care and social welfare	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget

			institutions, civil society organizations, specialized institutions and independent experts	
3. Independently and in cooperation with European experts, organize trainings for trainers on the evaluation of programmes of suppression of drug abuse.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	European organizations, state bodies, specialized institutions and independent experts	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
4. At the regional level, organize professional conferences, seminars and workshops on the planning and evaluation of prevention programmes for all managers of school prevention programmes, county coordinators and other experts implementing programmes of addiction prevention in schools.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, pre-school educational institutions, primary and secondary schools, local and regional self-government units	Funds from the State Budget of Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
5. Publish a manual on evaluation standards and methods and have it distributed to all relevant institutions and experts.	By 31 December 2012	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, pre-school educational institutions, primary and secondary schools, local and regional self-government units	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Develop a structure for regular monitoring/assessment/evaluation which will give an insight into the effectiveness of the implementation of policy measures for suppression of drug abuse (review of the processes and results) and public expenditures for the implementation of the measures in the area of drugs.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent state administration bodies, local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Create brochures and portals which will provide information on the results of the	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic	Ministry of Science, Education and Sports,	Funds from the State Budget of

evaluation of programmes aimed at drug demand reduction and guidelines on the improvement of evaluation methods.		Drug Abuse	Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency, pre-school educational institutions, primary and secondary schools local and regional self-government units, European organizations, specialized institutions and independent experts	the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Appointed independent professional evaluation body/team of experts. 2. Developed professional standards and guidelines on evaluation. 3. Number of organized trainings of trainers and number of trainers trained for the evaluation and planning of programmes. 4. Number of trainings for county coordinators, managers of school prevention programmes and experts and the number of attendants. 5. Established structure for monitoring and evaluation of drug policy and public expenditures. 6. Published and distributed manual on evaluation standards and methods. 7. Number and type of brochures and portals on the evaluation of drug demand reduction programmes. 			

4.5. COORDINATION

Objective 1 Enhance coordination and cooperation by and between line ministries and state administration bodies, and institutions at the county level in order to contribute to the efficient and continuous implementation of all the measures referred to in the National Strategy and the Action Plan, and to ensure a balanced and integrated approach to the drug issue.

Measure 1 Monitor the implementation of measures and activities laid down in the Action Plan and the National Strategy through continuous coordination and cooperation with competent state administration bodies, local and regional self-government units, and other institutions at the state and local level, as well as non-governmental organizations.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Strengthen administrative capacities of the Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse as a prerequisite for the implementation of the integrated policy on suppression of addictive substance abuse, and coordination, planning and supervision of the implementation of strategic documents at the local and state level.	Until 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent state bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget

<p>2. Define the role, competencies, responsibilities and mutual relationship of the three coordinative bodies in the area of the implementation of drug abuse policy; Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Croatian Government, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse and county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse.</p>	<p>By 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministries and other competent state bodies</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>3. Coordinate the work of the bodies at the state level through regular meetings with representatives of the bodies concerned and cooperation in the implementation of the programmes.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministries and other competent state bodies</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>4. Provide expert assistance and support to the holders of measures at the national and local level concerning the implementation of measures and activities resulting from the National Strategy and the Action Plans.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministries and other competent state bodies</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>5. Initiate the adoption of legal regulations and other strategic documents in the area of the suppression of drug abuse and provide professional assistance in the course of the drawing-up process.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministries and other competent state bodies</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget</p>
<p>6. Include civil society organizations in the drafting of new legal regulations, strategic documents and programmes relevant for the suppression of drug abuse.</p>	<p>Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014</p>	<p>Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse</p>	<p>Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units,</p>	<p>Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other</p>

			civil society organizations	competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Enhance a coordinated approach to drawing-up and implementation of the strategic documents, setting priorities and making decisions through regular communication between Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Croatian Government and experts working on the drug issue, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
8. Adopt Guidelines for the drawing-up of the protocol on cooperation among relevant bodies/services/organizations at different levels (local, county and national level) and among different sectors (treatment system, prevention system, prison system, community, police/judiciary).	By 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
9. Hold regular national or regional (inter-county) meetings in order to exchange knowledge, experience and good practice and promote mutual understanding and consensus among stakeholders.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
10. Receive and analyze annual reports on the implementation of all measures at the national and local level.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014 (by 1 April of the current year for the previous year)	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
11. Establish an information system for submission of annual reports on the implementation of all	By 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of

measures at the national and local level in electronic form.			local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
12. Provide the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse and the Government of the Republic of Croatia with proposals for measures to supplement the Action Plan and/or measures for new ways of resolving current issues.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
13. Provide the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Government of the Republic of Croatia with proposals for the annual implementing programmes of the Action Plan and allocation of annual funds from the State Budget for the implementation thereof.	Continuously until 31 December 2014 (by 31 December of the current year for the previous year)	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
14. Where necessary, include external experts into the work of the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Croatian Government in order to provide information on priority areas and issues and prepare the ground for making decisions on the implementation of specific measures.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent bodies at the level of state administration and local and regional self-government units, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
15. Prepare sessions of the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Croatian Government, monitor the implementation of its conclusions and inform the Commission about the implementation thereof.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014 (hold a Commission session at least once every three months)	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, ministries and other competent state bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
16. Submit to the Government of the Republic of Croatia and	Continuously from 2012 to 31	Office for Combating	Ministries and other competent	Funds from the State

the Croatian Parliament an annual report on the implementation of the measures laid down in the Action Plan and the National Strategy.	December 2014. (by 1 September of the current year for the previous year)	Narcotic Drug Abuse	state administration bodies and county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
17. Establish an information portal (help-desk) that will provide experts working on the drug issue with information on the services carried out in the area of addiction prevention, treatment and care but also on activities carried out in the area of suppression of drug abuse.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministries and other competent state administration bodies and county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Administrative capacities of the Office strengthened, competencies defined, and the number of necessary staff employed. 2. Adopted documents defining the competencies of the Office, Commission of the Croatian Government and county committees 3. Defined and harmonized models of cooperation and protocols of relevant bodies and the number of meetings held. 4. Number and type of expert assistance provided and number and type of programmes within which the Office has provided assistance. 5. Number and type of draft proposals submitted on the initiative of the Office. 6. Number and type of regulations and strategic documents drafted in coordination with civil society organizations. 7. Improved coordination and cooperation in the drawing up and implementation of strategic documents, number of established and active expert working groups, and number of meetings on the topic of coordination and evaluation indicators. 8. Developed guidelines for drafting the protocol on cooperation. 9. Number of meetings held at the county level. 10. Number of received and analyzed reports of state administration bodies, civil society organizations, county committees and other stakeholders involved in the suppression of drug abuse. 11. Information system for submission of reports in electronic form established. 12. Number and type of proposals submitted to the Commission for amendments to the Action Plan and number of proposals for new measures aimed at solving issues. 13. Drafted and adopted annual implementing programmes 14. Number of external experts taking part in the work of the Office. 15. Number of the Commission meetings held, number and type of documents/issues/problems discussed by the Commission and number of Commission conclusions implemented 16. Annual report drafted and submitted to the Government of the Republic of Croatia and the Croatian Parliament for approval. 17. Information portal (help-desk) established. 			

Objective 2 Enhance coordination and monitoring of the implementation of measures at the local level and the quality and efficiency of the implementation of measures at the local level.

Measure 2 Ongoing, systematic and coordinated planning and monitoring of the implementation of all activities and measures for the suppression of drug abuse, especially in terms of addiction prevention, at the level of local and regional self-government units.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Coordination of the work of county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse by organizing meetings with the committees' chairpersons and participating therein.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget and budgets of local and regional self-government units
2. At the county level, clearly define responsibilities for political decision-making and responsibilities for the implementation of decisions made by representatives of the institutions and specialized services in charge of their implementation.	By 31 December 2014	Local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and budgets of local and regional self-government units
3. Initiate county coordination networks and draft the protocol on cooperation between the Office and the counties.	By 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Local and regional self-government units, county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and budgets of local and regional self-government units
4. Conduct regular assessments of the implementation of measures for the suppression of drug abuse at the county level based on the submitted reports and in the course of annual meetings between the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Office for Combating Drug Abuse and county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Croatian Government, local and regional self-government units county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and budgets of local and regional self-government units
5. Coordinate the work of all	Continuously from	County	State administration	Funds from

relevant institutions working on the suppression of drug abuse at the level of local and regional self-government units.	2012 to 31 December 2014	committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public media and other relevant institutions	the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and budgets of local and regional self-government units
6. Plan and develop activities in the area of addiction prevention and suppression of the abuse of drugs and other addictive substances at the level of local and regional self-government units.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	State administration offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public media and other relevant institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia and budgets of local and regional self-government units
7. Adopt the Action Plan on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse for the Period 2012-2014 at county level, where it is necessary: - to define the role of county committees in the adoption of decisions concerning the methods for measure implementation; - to ensure a sufficient number of expert teams for the implementation of the measures laid down in the county action plans on combating narcotic drug abuse - to establish a stable funding system for the implementation of county action plans combating narcotic drug abuse - to adjust the type and number of holders at the level of local and regional self-government units to the actual needs of each individual county - to implement targeted programmes according to the needs of the local community.	By 28 February 2013	County committees on combating drug abuse	State administration offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public media and other relevant institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia and budgets of local and regional self-government units
8. Develop and adopt annual implementing programmes on the basis of the Action Plan at the county level.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014 (by 31 December of the current year for the previous year)	County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	State administration offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia and budgets of local and regional self-government units

			media and other relevant institutions	
9. Engage civil society organizations in the drafting of strategic documents and programmes relevant for the suppression of drug abuse at the county level.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	State administration offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public media and other relevant institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia and budgets of local and regional self-government units
10. Evaluate existing programmes, measures and activities in the area of addiction prevention and the suppression of drug abuse at the level of local and regional self-government units.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	State administration offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public media and other relevant institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia and budgets of local and regional self-government units
11. Draw up and submit to the Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse annual reports on the implementation of measures and activities laid down in the Action Plan at the county level.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014 (by 31 March of the current year for the previous year)	County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	State administration offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public media and other relevant institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia and budgets of local and regional self-government units
12. Organize meetings with the representatives of the county committees at least twice a year on topical issues and problems in the counties.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, County committees on combating narcotic drug abuse	State administration offices at the county level, educational, health care and social welfare institutions, police, police departments, state attorney's offices, civil society organizations, public media and other relevant institutions	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia and budgets of local and regional self-government units
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number of meetings between the Office and county committees. 2. Adopted documents that define competencies and responsibilities at the county level. 3. Established regional county networks and drafted protocols on cooperation and communication between the Office and counties. 4. Number of conducted county report assessments, number of meetings and number of attendants at county committees' sessions. 5. Reports on the operation of the county committees 6. Reports on the operation of the county committees 7. Action plans for the period 2012-2014 adopted in each county 8. Adopted annual implementing programmes at the county level 9. Number and type of strategic documents and programmes at the 			

	<p>county level drawn up in cooperation with civil society organizations</p> <p>10. Number of evaluated programmes carried out at the level of local and regional self-government units</p> <p>11. Annual reports on the implementation of the Action plan at the county level drawn up and submitted.</p> <p>12. Number and type of meetings on topical issues with county committees</p>
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4.6. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Objective 1 Enable the Republic of Croatia to fully participate in the creation of drug-related policies at the EU level.

Measure 1 Strengthen national mechanisms and capacities for the fulfilment of obligations to the competent drug-related EU working bodies and agencies, and take active part in their work on a regular basis

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Harmonize national legislation with the new EU acquis in the area of drugs	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Take active part in the work of the Council of the European Union Horizontal Working Party on Drugs (following Croatia's accession to the EU) on a regular basis,	Continuously from 1 July 2013 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Social Policy and Youth, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds
3. Actively and regularly participate in the work of and meet obligation to the EU drug agencies (European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction - EMCDDA) and EUROPOL (European Police Office)	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Interior	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget, EU funds

IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Amendments to legal acts and by-laws in accordance with the new EU acquis in the area of drugs 2. Report on the participation in meetings of the EU Council Horizontal Working Party on Drugs and documents on Croatia's positions/suggestions/initiatives 3. Annual reports on the situation of drug-related issues in the Republic of Croatia.
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Objective 2 Recognition of the Republic of Croatia at the international level as an active participant in international efforts to combat drug-related issues and as a creator of regional initiatives

Measure 2 Encourage the implementation of Croatia's experiences and examples of good practice in the implementation of policies on combating drug-related issues at the international level and particularly on the territory of Southeast Europe, as well as participation in international projects aimed at further improvement of the national system.

IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES	IMPLEMENTATION DEADLINE	HOLDERS	ASSISTANTS IN IMPLEMENTATION	FINANCIAL RESOURCES
1. Encourage implementation of international conventions on narcotic drugs (1961), psychotropic substances (1971) and against illicit trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances (1988) through cooperation with competent ministries.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
2. Regularly and actively participate in the work of the relevant international bodies (UN Office on Drugs and Crime, UN Commission on Narcotic Drugs, International Narcotics Control Board, World Health Organization, World Customs Organization, Pompidou Group of the Council of Europe, INTERPOL – International Criminal Police, SELEC Centre – Southeast European Law Enforcement Centre, SEPCA Southeast Europe Police Chiefs Association)	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
3. Attend international conferences and congresses on drugs and drug addiction.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies

				according to the annual budget
4. Develop bilateral cooperation with countries of particular interest to the Republic of Croatia, particularly in the field of combating trafficking in narcotics and precursors and substances banned in sports.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Finance - Customs Administration	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
5. Encourage cooperation with Southeast European countries, particularly by means of regional initiatives	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
6. Participate in international and bilateral projects of particular interest to the Republic of Croatia	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
7. Encourage participation of Croatian experts in projects on technical assistance to countries involved in the EU stabilisation and association process and candidate countries for EU accession.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies, civil society organizations	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Office and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
8. Strengthen international police cooperation, either bilateral or within international police organizations (Interpol – International Criminal Police, Europol – European Police Office, SELEC Centre -	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Interior	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry

Southeast European Law Enforcement Centre).				and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
9. Develop and improve cooperation between the "Ivan Vučetić" Forensic Science Centre (CFIIV) and forensic laboratories from other countries and form a network for exchanging information, participate in projects on drug profiling, trainings, seminars and conferences organized by relevant bodies.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Interior, "Ivan Vučetić" Forensic Science Centre	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
10. Conduct international customs operations and deliver information on cooperation with the SELEC Centre – Southeast European Law Enforcement Centre, World Customs Organization, customs services of other countries.	Continuously from 2012 to 31 December 2014	Ministry of Finance - Customs Administration	Competent ministries and other state administration bodies	Funds from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia for the operation of the Ministry and other competent state bodies according to the annual budget
IMPLEMENTATION INDICATORS:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number of intersectoral meetings on the implementation of the relevant international conventions and resolutions of the UN Commission on Narcotic Drugs 2. Reports on the participation in the work of relevant international bodies and documents on Croatia's positions/suggestions/initiatives 3. Reports on the participation in international conferences and congresses on drugs and drug addiction and conclusions reached there 4. Number of bilateral agreements and cooperation protocols signed with countries of particular interest to the Republic of Croatia and reports on mutual bilateral activities carried out pursuant to the signed agreements and protocols on cooperation. 5. Documents on regional initiatives undertaken by the Republic of Croatia and reports on conducted activities 6. Reports on the participation in international bilateral projects of particular interest to the Republic of Croatia 7. Number of applications for the implementation of projects and number of Croatian experts actively involved in projects on technical assistance to countries in the EU stabilization and association process and candidate countries for EU accession 8. Number of activities in the area of international police cooperation 9. Number of exchanged drug samples for the purpose of forensic drug profiling, established contacts with forensic laboratories from other countries and reports on the participation in relevant professional conferences 10. Number and type of conducted international customs operations and reports on the cooperation between the Customs and the relevant international bodies and customs services of other countries 			

5. FINANCIAL RESOURCES NEEDED FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ACTION PLAN

The implementation of the Action Plan requires financial resources provided for in the State Budget for certain ministries, which will enable a quality implementation of measures in accordance with the scope of work and tasks of respective holders engaged in the implementation. Holders which do not have separate budgetary positions for the prevention of narcotic drug abuse, but finance this area through their regular activities, need to secure transparent financing of the Action Plan measures and activities. According to the principle of shared responsibility between the state and the local community, it is necessary to encourage allocation of more substantial funds in county, city and municipal budgets for the activities of county committees on combating narcotic drug abuse, implementation of preventive measures at the local level and other activities whose quality implementation depends on the initiatives of local governments. With regards to the national budget, lottery funds and local community budgets, it is necessary to ensure funds to finance quality and evidence-based programmes of drug demand reduction, which are carried out by civil society organisations. Additional funding should be sought from funds generated by games of chance and funds from international organizations (United Nations (UNODC), European Union, and Council of Europe). The funds necessary for the implementation of the 2012 Action Plan have been provided for in the State Budget at the positions of specific ministries in the total amount of HRK 73,637,167.00. An estimate has been made of the funds needed for specific ministries and other competent state bodies for the implementation of the measures laid down in the Action plan for 2013 and 2014. These funds are shown in the table below (Appendix 1).

6. CONCLUSION

The Action Plan on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse for the Period 2012-2014 is adopted by the Government of the Republic of Croatia, at the proposal of the Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse and on the basis of the previous opinion by the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse. The Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Government of the Republic of Croatia is responsible for coordinating the implementation and preparation of the Action Plan implementation reports submitted to the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Government of the Republic of Croatia on an annual basis. The Action Plan serves as the basis for the drawing-up of implementing programmes containing measures and activities adopted by the Commission on Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Government of the Republic of Croatia, whereas their implementation is monitored by the Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse of the Government of the Republic of Croatia through cooperation and coordination with state administration bodies, local and regional self-government units and non-governmental organizations.

7. APPENDIX 1

ESTIMATE OF THE STATE BUDGET FUNDS REQUIRED FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NATIONAL ACTION PLAN ON COMBATING NARCOTIC DRUG ABUSE IN THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA FOR THE PERIOD 2012-2014 (in HRK)

HOLDER	AREA	2012	2013	2014
Ministry of Defence	Addiction prevention at work	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00
	Evaluation and research			
	Suppression of drug-related crime			
	Training			
Ministry of Labour and Pension System	Addiction prevention at work	454,660.00	644,740.00	644,740.00
	Resocialization of addicts			
	Training			
Ministry of Social Policy and Youth	Addiction prevention among children and youth	10,338,194.00	10,518,375.00	10,756,895.00
	Work with young people with behavioural disorders			
	Programmes aimed at solving social issues			
	Resocialization of addicts			
	Cooperation with NGOs			
	Training			
Ministry of Justice	Penal policy – treatment of addicts in the prison system	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
	Resocialization of addicts			
	Work with addicts within the probation system			
	Training			
Ministry of Science, Education and Sports	Addiction prevention among children and youth	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00
	Resocialization of addicts			
	Cooperation with NGOs			
	Training			

Ministry of Interior	Suppression of drug-related crime	25,300,000.00	25,300,000.00	25,300,000.00
	Training			
Ministry of Health	Addiction prevention among children and youth	32,440,063.00	32,988,385.00	33,636,721.00
	Addiction prevention at work			
	Prevention, early detection, medical treatment and rehabilitation of addicts			
	Resocialization of addicts			
	Training and qualification of health-care and other experts and associates			
	Cooperation with NGOs			
	Harm reduction – prevention of infectious diseases			
Office for Combating Narcotic Drug Abuse	Coordination	3,974,250.00	3,667,305.00	3,137,500.00
	Monitoring, information system, evaluation and research			
	Addiction prevention among children and youth			
	Resocialization of addicts			
	International cooperation			
	Cooperation with NGOs and operation of civil society organizations			
	Training			
TOTAL		73,637,167.00	74,248,805.00	74,605,856.00