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Health promotion in young people for the prevention of substance misuse

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Findings from the 2009-10 British Crime Survey

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BIOMED Search

Substance misuse subtypes among women convicted of homicide.
Misuse of drugs and other substances: presenter slides

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Use of electronic health records in identifying drug and alcohol misuse among psychiatric in-patients

RCGP Substance misuse toolkit

Special Interest (GPwSI) accreditation for substance misuse and other clinical areas

Substance misuse guidance

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- Prevention, testing, treatment and management of hepatitis C: guidance for primary care practitioners
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Substance Misuse Skills Consortium

Building Effective Practice - Skills Consortium Conference - 28th June 2013

Fully Funded Apprenticeships - Available Now

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The Skills Consortium’s evidence matrix [Ashton M, 2012]

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A community engagement orientation among people with a history of substance misuse and incarceration.

Temperature-related deaths in people with psychosis, dementia and substance misuse.

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Research briefing 6: Parenting capacity and substance misuse

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Global Status Report on Alcohol and Health

Global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol

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Substance misuse among young people 2011-12

The missing link to child safety, permanency, and well-being: addressing substance misuse in child welfare.

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