

## Australian methamphetamine-related clinical guidelines

The following document is one of three companion resources produced by the National Centre for Education and Training on Addiction (NCETA) as part of a project commissioned by the National Centre for Clinical Research on Emerging Drugs (NCCRED) involving an audit of Australian clinical guidelines for methamphetamine use disorder.

The other two resources in this series are:

Other Australian methamphetamine-related resources

International methamphetamine-related resources.

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1.	Australian General Practice Network (2007). <i>Management of patients with psychostimulant use problems – guidelines for general practitioners</i> . Canberra: Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing.	GPs Australia-wide	This is a 38 page document, formatted like a book. The document has four main sections. These are: background, guidelines, in a nutshell and references. The overall purpose is to provide Australian general practitioners with strategies to safely manage individuals who are experiencing problems related to psychostimulants. Psychostimulants are described on page vi. The role of general practitioners in assisting people who use psychostimulants is on page viii. This	<a href="http://www.nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/publishing.nsf/Content/F9BFD29DFA6DE474CA2575B4001353B2/\$File/psygp07.pdf">http://www.nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/publishing.nsf/Content/F9BFD29DFA6DE474CA2575B4001353B2/\$File/psygp07.pdf</a>

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			flows into a section on assessment and management. A decision tree flow chart is included on page 2. The DSM IV definition of substance dependence is located on page 5. There is a section on special considerations for amphetamine related psychosis (p. 11) behavioural disturbances (p. 12) and serotonin toxicity (p. 13). Information on whether a systematic methodology was used to develop the guidelines is not included. However, these guidelines are developed from <i>Models of intervention and care for psychostimulant users</i> described in row 2, below.	
2.	Baker, A., Kay-Lambkin, F., Lee, N.K., Claire, M. & Jenner, L. (2003). <i>A brief cognitive behavioural intervention for regular amphetamine users</i> . Canberra: Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing.	CBT Treatment	This is a project evaluating the effectiveness of two and four session cognitive behavioural interventions developed specifically for people who use amphetamines. Context and background into how the study was developed are included in section 1 and 2. Guidelines for how to use the intervention and tools to apply the intervention are provided in section 3 and 4. This is a systematic study.	<a href="http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/content/1DEA7F68576F8F16CA257BF0001F3E5C/\$File/cognitive-intervention.pdf">http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/content/1DEA7F68576F8F16CA257BF0001F3E5C/\$File/cognitive-intervention.pdf</a>
3.	Baker, A., Lee, N.K., & Jenner, L. (2004). <i>Models of intervention and care for psychostimulant users</i> . National Drug Strategy Monograph Series No. 51. Canberra: Australian	Detoxification and clinical interventions  Australia-wide	This is a 270 page document. It includes 3 main sections and is part of an Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing monograph series. The introduction, provides background to the Monograph. Section 2, discusses prevalence effects and risks. Section 3 provides clinical considerations. Information on amphetamines is embedded	<a href="http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/health-pubhlth-publicat-document-mono51-cnt.htm">http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/health-pubhlth-publicat-document-mono51-cnt.htm</a>

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	Government Department of Health and Ageing.		throughout the entire document, mostly under the broader heading of psychostimulants.  The systematic review methods for developing the guidelines are included.	
4.	Cementon, E. (2011). <i>Alcohol and other drug withdrawal practice guidelines: Acute inpatient and residential services</i> . Melbourne: Substance Use and Mental Illness Treatment Team, North Western Mental Health.	Inpatient and Residential withdrawal  North Western Mental Health, VIC	This is a 52 page guideline document developed for a specific organisation (NWMH). Amphetamines are discussed explicitly in section 3 (pp. 21-25). Withdrawal management processes are included in a table on page 7. Clinical support and information services are identified on page 40. No systematic review or methodology section is included.	<a href="http://learnline.cdu.edu.au/units/thx1138/flo/a010101a.pdf">http://learnline.cdu.edu.au/units/thx1138/flo/a010101a.pdf</a> .
5.	De Crespigny, C. & Talmat, J. Eds. (2012). <i>Alcohol, tobacco and other drugs: Clinical guidelines for nurses and midwives</i> . Adelaide, South Australia: The University of Adelaide School of Nursing and Drug and Alcohol Services South Australia.	Nurses and Midwives  SA	This is a 427 page guideline is an SA Health document developed for nurses and midwives. Psychostimulants are covered in section 3.3.2 (p. 262). Methamphetamine is covered in section 3.4.5 (p. 299). There is a table titled symptoms and effects of drugs, which includes amphetamines on page 66. Table 6, (p. 94) has a table called harm and risk of withdrawal for drug use during pregnancy. Amphetamine withdrawal assessment charts are included in the Appendix section. These guidelines aim to provide a benchmark for quality intervention assessment and referral by nurses.	<a href="https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/9087368041793eefa6e1ef67a94f09f9/ATOD+Clinical+Guidelines+for+Nurses+and+Midwives+V3+2012-DASSA-April2014.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOTWORKS_PACE-9087368041793eefa6e1ef67a94f09f9-m0CTFze">https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/9087368041793eefa6e1ef67a94f09f9/ATOD+Clinical+Guidelines+for+Nurses+and+Midwives+V3+2012-DASSA-April2014.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOTWORKS_PACE-9087368041793eefa6e1ef67a94f09f9-m0CTFze</a>

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6.	Drug and Alcohol Clinical Advisory Service (2011). <i>Fact Sheet - Management of stimulant use</i> . Melbourne, Victoria: Drug and Alcohol Clinical Advisory Service.	GPs	This is a 2 page Fact Sheet for general practitioners and reads like a clinical guideline.	<a href="http://www.dacas.org.au/Clinical_Resources/For_GPs.aspx">http://www.dacas.org.au/Clinical_Resources/For_GPs.aspx</a>
7.	Insight Clinical Support Services (2016). <i>Psychostimulant early intervention flow chart: combined</i> . Brisbane: Queensland Health.	Frontline workers  QLD	This is a detailed one page flow chart. It identifies assessment strategies and questions to determine if the client should follow an acute or non-acute intoxication pathway. Included on the page but not in the flow diagram are medical investigations, information for dehydration, chest pain, hypertension, rhabdomyolysis, seizures and serotonin toxicity. Two separate versions are available showing the acute and non-acute pathways. See resources # 5-7.	<a href="https://insight.qld.edu.au/shop/combined-psychostimulant-medical-early-intervention-flowchart">https://insight.qld.edu.au/shop/combined-psychostimulant-medical-early-intervention-flowchart</a>
8.	Jenner, L. & Lee, N. (2008). <i>Treatment approaches for users of methamphetamine: A practical guide for frontline workers</i> . Canberra: Australian Government Department of Health.	Frontline workers  Australia-wide	This is a 115 page document, published by the National Drug Strategy. It was based on contemporary research at the time, national and international guidelines and expert opinion. There are 11 chapters and a summary of the important aspects of each chapter. Chapter 1, provides a background to methamphetamine. Chapter 2 describes the effects, risks and harms as well as harm reduction strategies. Chapter 3 provides information on recognising and managing intoxication. Chapter 4 provides	<a href="http://www.nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/Publishing.nsf/content/8D2E281FAC2346BBCA25764D007D2D3A/\$File/trmeth.pdf">http://www.nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/Publishing.nsf/content/8D2E281FAC2346BBCA25764D007D2D3A/\$File/trmeth.pdf</a>

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			information on how to recognise and manage an overdose. Chapter 5 discusses managing mental health problems. Chapter 6 concerns supporting a person through withdrawal. Chapter 7 provides poly drug use information. Chapter 8 addresses treatment options. Chapter 9 provides guidance for families and carers. Chapter 10 addresses legal issues and Chapter 11 concerns community partnerships. A systematic review and methodology is not included.	
9.	Jenner, L., & Lee, N. K. (2008). <i>Responding to challenging situations related to the use of psychostimulants: A practical guide for frontline workers</i> . Canberra: Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing.	Front Line Workers, particularly those without a professional or clinical background	This is a 47 page document published by the Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing. This publication specifically concerns dealing with challenging behaviours exhibited by people who use methamphetamine. It is categorised into five main sections. 1. About challenging situations 2. Before, preventing and reducing the likelihood of a challenging situation 3. During, responding to challenging situations 4. After, recovery and review 5. Special considerations for specific service settings.	<a href="http://www.nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/publishing.nsf/Content/07FF9B0DE1B39D7ECA25764D0080C854/\$File/chall.pdf">http://www.nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/publishing.nsf/Content/07FF9B0DE1B39D7ECA25764D0080C854/\$File/chall.pdf</a>
10.	Jenner, L., Spain, D., Whyte, I., & Baker, A. (2006). <i>Management of patients with psychostimulant toxicity: Guidelines for emergency departments</i> . Canberra: Australian Government	Emergency Departments Australia-wide	This is a 37 page document. The document states its purpose is to provide draft guidelines to emergency departments in Australia. The key words methamphetamine and psychostimulants are consistently used throughout the entire document. There are six main sections. 1. Background, introducing the purpose of the study to provide draft guidelines to	<a href="http://www.health.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/publishing.nsf/Content/9DFC79ECB850641ECA2571F40016229F/\$File/emergency-book.pdf">http://www.health.gov.au/internet/drugstrategy/publishing.nsf/Content/9DFC79ECB850641ECA2571F40016229F/\$File/emergency-book.pdf</a>

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	Department of Health and Ageing.		emergency departments in Australia. 2. Introduction, which includes patterns of psychostimulant use and toxicity. 3. Draft guidelines which include the role of emergency departments, assessment and diagnosis. 4. Management which refers to responding to behavioural disturbances and sedative protocols. A systematic review and methodology section is not included.	
11.	Lee, N. K., Freeburn, B., Ella, S., Miller, W., Perry, J., & Conigrave, K. (2012). <i>Handbook for Aboriginal alcohol and drug work</i> . Sydney: University of Sydney.	Aboriginal Health Workers  NSW	This is a 464 page handbook with 17 chapters. The Handbook covers different types of substance use. Stimulants are covered in chapter 6 (p.159). Polydrug use is addressed in chapter 10 (p.237). Methamphetamine is also discussed in the general principles section on page 7.	<a href="https://ses.library.usyd.edu.au/handle/2123/8339">https://ses.library.usyd.edu.au/handle/2123/8339</a>
12.	Lee, N., Johns, L., Jenkinson, R., Johnston, K. H., Connolly, K., & Cash, R. (2007). <i>Clinical treatment guidelines for alcohol and drug clinicians: Methamphetamine dependence and treatment</i> . Fitzroy, Victoria: Turning Point.	Variety of Practitioners  VIC	This is a 141 page clinical guideline document published by the Turning Point Alcohol and Other Drug Centre. An overview of the guidelines is provided. There are 4 main sections. 1. Introduction, which describes amphetamine, and related harms, dependence withdrawal and mental health. 2. Principles of application. 3. Practice guidelines, has two main sections, managing acute presentations and interventions for use and dependence. 4. Provides clinical resources and tools. Key words methamphetamine and psychostimulants are	<a href="https://www2.health.vic.gov.au/about/publications/research&amp;reports/clinical-treatment-guidelines-for-methamphetamine-dependence-&amp;treatment-2007">https://www2.health.vic.gov.au/about/publications/research&amp;reports/clinical-treatment-guidelines-for-methamphetamine-dependence-&amp;treatment-2007</a>

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			embedded throughout the document. No systematic review or methodology is included.	
13.	Manning, V., Arunogiri, S., Frei, M.R., Ridley, K., Mroz, K.K., Campbell, S., Lubman, D. (2018). <i>Alcohol and other drug withdrawal: Practice guidelines</i> . Richmond, Victoria, Turning Point.	Variety of Practitioners  VIC	This is a 132 page clinical guideline document published by Turning Point Drug and Alcohol Centre. It contains 18 sections. Section 15 (p. 151) is dedicated to psychostimulants. Amphetamine type stimulants are included in the withdrawal table on page 15 and the complex withdrawal table on page 16. Methamphetamine is also discussed in section 9. Special populations in regard to poly drug use (9.1 p.39) co-occurring disorders (9.3 p. 40) and ATSI population (9.6 p. 52) are all highlighted. Methamphetamine synthetic cathinone and serotonin syndrome are discussed in section 16.3 (p. 79). No systematic review or methodology is provided.	<a href="https://www.turningpoint.org.au/sites/default/files/inline-files/Alcohol-&amp;-Drug-Withdrawal-Guidelines-2018.pdf">https://www.turningpoint.org.au/sites/default/files/inline-files/Alcohol-&amp;-Drug-Withdrawal-Guidelines-2018.pdf</a> .
14	Marsh, A., O'Toole, S., Dale, A., Willis, L. & Helfgott, S. (2013). <i>Counselling guidelines: Alcohol and drug issues</i> . Perth: Western Australian Alcohol and Drug Authority.	Counselling  WA	This is a 264 page counselling guideline document with 55 Sections. Amphetamines are explicitly mentioned on pages 10 and in relation to assessment. The key word amphetamine is present throughout the document. No systematic review or methodology is provided.	<a href="https://www.mhc.wa.gov.au/media/1178/aod-counselling-guidelines.pdf">https://www.mhc.wa.gov.au/media/1178/aod-counselling-guidelines.pdf</a> .
15	Mental Health Alcohol and other Drugs Directorate (2012). <i>Queensland alcohol</i>	Withdrawal  QLD	This is a 128 page clinical guideline document. There are 8 main sections, section 7 (p. 62) specifically relates to psychostimulants. Section 2 (p. 10) general	<a href="https://www.health.qld.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/">https://www.health.qld.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/</a>

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	<i>and drug withdrawal clinical practice guidelines</i> . Brisbane: Queensland Health.		principles of withdrawal management also applies to amphetamines and they are included in a table on page 11 which describes the street names and prices of drugs. No systematic review or methodology is provided.	<a href="http://0026/444419/detox-guidelines.pdf">0026/444419/detox-guidelines.pdf</a>
16	Mental Health and Drug and Alcohol Office (2008). <i>Drug and alcohol psychosocial interventions professional practice guidelines</i> . Sydney: Ministry of Health, New South Wales.	Psychosocial Interventions NSW	This is a 102 page clinical practice guideline document. Psychostimulants are discussed explicitly in section 7 pages 49-54. Section 2.3.5 (p. 7) has a table of street names that include amphetamines. Page 11, has a table describing the different forms of psychostimulants. Page 15 provides a table of illicit psychostimulants in Australia. No systematic review or methodology is provided.	<a href="https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2008_011.pdf">https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2008_011.pdf</a> .
17	Mental Health and Drug and Alcohol Office (2008). <i>Drug and alcohol withdrawal clinical practice guidelines - New South Wales</i> . Sydney: Mental Health and Drug and Alcohol Office.	Withdrawal NSW	This is a 102 page document. It states explicitly that it is a clinical guideline. There are eight main sections. Psychostimulants are discussed in section 7. Page 6 provides information on how to take a consumption history and page 7 highlights street names for drugs. Both sections highlight amphetamines. Page 11 includes a table of psychostimulants available in Australia. Section 2.3.10 (p. 13), contains information about selective withdrawal from amphetamines.	<a href="https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2008_011.pdf">https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2008_011.pdf</a>
18	National Centre for Education and Training on Addiction (NCETA) Consortium (2004). <i>Alcohol and other drugs: a</i>	Health Professionals	This is a five-part handbook. Part 1 provides an introduction. Part 2 discusses drugs, part 3 includes non-medical interventions. Part 4 raises special issues for consideration and part 5 is the appendix and	<a href="http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/content/e5203e6d5cbaa6">http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/content/e5203e6d5cbaa6</a>



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	<i>handbook for health professionals</i> . Canberra: Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing.	Australia-wide	glossary. Part 2, chapter 6 (p. 79) discusses amphetamines specifically. Management and intervention strategies are on page 85.	<a href="#">96ca257bf0001e02ed/\$file/aodgp.pdf</a>
19.	New South Wales Health (2007). <i>Clinical guidelines for nursing and midwifery practice in NSW: Identifying and responding to drug and alcohol issues</i> . North Sydney: NSW Department of Health.	Nursing and Midwifery  NSW	This is a 114 page guideline document made up of 10 main sections Section 9.4 (p. 50) is for psychostimulant drugs, including a section on maternal health. Information on the effects and withdrawal of amphetamines are located on page 98. Amphetamines and pregnancy information is on page 99. Both of these are in section 9, screening tools. Amphetamines are raised in section 3.3 (p. 12). in the context of special Populations, co-occurring disorders and ATSI. Amphetamines are included in table 6.1 (p 24) which outlines symptoms and effects of specific drugs. A systematic review and methodology is not included.	<a href="https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2008_001.pdf">https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2008_001.pdf</a> .
20.	NSW Ministry of Health (2014). <i>Clinical guidelines: For the management of substance use during pregnancy, birth and the postnatal period</i> . North Sydney: NSW Ministry of Health.	Nursing and Midwifery  NSW	This is a 128 page clinical summary document with 21 sections. Amphetamines are mentioned explicitly in relation to breast feeding in section one. The document refers to substance use, in relation to supporting a woman though pregnancy, birth and the postnatal period. Information dedicated to Aboriginal and Torres strait islander people is included in section 11. No systematic review or methodology is provided.	<a href="https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2014_022.pdf">https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2014_022.pdf</a>

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21.	Remote Primary Health Care Manuals (2017). <i>CARPA standard treatment manual</i> . Alice Springs: Northern Territory, Centre for Remote Health.	Indigenous communities in Northern and Central Australia	This is a 148-page treatment manual is specific to remote practice. The manual development included an editorial group and primary and secondary reviewers. Mental health and drug problems are captured in section 3 (p. 191). Amphetamines are covered explicitly pages 214-217. An amphetamine withdrawal chart is included. Serotonin syndrome is discussed on page 204. The CARPA STM is not intended to be a comprehensive resource or a standalone manual. It is designed to be used with other remote primary health care manuals.	<a href="https://www.crh.org.au/the-manuals/carpa-standard-treatment-manual-7th-edition">https://www.crh.org.au/the-manuals/carpa-standard-treatment-manual-7th-edition</a>
22	Royal Women's Hospital (2017). <i>Drug and Alcohol - Management of Methamphetamine Dependence in Pregnancy</i> . Parkville, Victoria: The Royal Women's Hospital.	Nursing Midwifery/ WCH  Hospital Specific  VIC	This is an 8 page guideline document. It does not include a contents section. There are eight main sections. Four have the majority of the content. There is a flow chart on page 2 which is designed to assist with the management of patients who disclose amphetamine use during pregnancy.	<a href="https://thewomens.r.worldssl.net/images/uploads/downloadable-records/clinical-guidelines/drug-&amp;-alcohol-management-methamphetamine-dependence-in-pregnancy_160517.pdf">https://thewomens.r.worldssl.net/images/uploads/downloadable-records/clinical-guidelines/drug-&amp;-alcohol-management-methamphetamine-dependence-in-pregnancy_160517.pdf</a>
23.	SA Health (2017). <i>Management of acute presentations related to methamphetamine use: Clinical guidelines for adults</i>	Adults and Adolescents  SA	This is an 18 page guideline document. There is a contents section and 11 sections. Acute behavioural disturbances, medical complications of methamphetamine use, methamphetamine withdrawal and methamphetamine psychosis topics are included.	<a href="https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/b1f536a1-eb41-469c-997c-ed5a67fd4a29/Clinical+Guideline+Acute+Presentations+Related+to+Meth+Use_20">https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/b1f536a1-eb41-469c-997c-ed5a67fd4a29/Clinical+Guideline+Acute+Presentations+Related+to+Meth+Use_20</a>

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	<i>and adolescents</i> . Adelaide: SA Health.			<a href="https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/ac8a8e0041783f539037ff67a94f09f9/Psychotherapy+for+Methamphetamine+Treatment+Manual_2008-DASSA-Oct2013.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOTWORKSPACE-b1f536a1-eb41-469c-997c-ed5a67fd4a29-m596zE1">012018.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOTWORKSPACE-b1f536a1-eb41-469c-997c-ed5a67fd4a29-m596zE1</a>
24.	Smout, M. (2008). <i>Psychotherapy of methamphetamine dependence: Treatment manual</i> . Adelaide: Drug and Alcohol Services South Australia (DASSA).	Clinicians SA	This is a 112 page document comprising 11 chapters, applying the ACT model of therapy to psychostimulant users.	<a href="https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/ac8a8e0041783f539037ff67a94f09f9/Psychotherapy+for+Methamphetamine+Treatment+Manual_2008-DASSA-Oct2013.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOTWORKSPACE-ac8a8e0041783f539037ff67a94f09f9-lzZyzQyfe406e8041784dc39127ff67a94f09f9-m1g4rcA">https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/ac8a8e0041783f539037ff67a94f09f9/Psychotherapy+for+Methamphetamine+Treatment+Manual_2008-DASSA-Oct2013.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOTWORKSPACE-ac8a8e0041783f539037ff67a94f09f9-lzZyzQyfe406e8041784dc39127ff67a94f09f9-m1g4rcA</a>
25.	Smout, M. S., Krasnikow, S., Longo, M., Wickes, W., Minniti, R., & Cahill, S. (2015). <i>QUICKFIX: Identify and intervene in psychostimulant use in primary health care</i> . Adelaide: Drug and Alcohol Services South Australia.	Primary Health care workers, focusing on GPs SA	This is a 10 page document. The document contains a brief background and three levels of <i>quickfix</i> , screening, brief and full check.	<a href="https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/a86b4d0041783e3b9015ff67a94f09f9/Quickfix+-+Psychostimulant+Use+in+PH+Care+2008+updated+March+2015+DASSA.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOT">https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/a86b4d0041783e3b9015ff67a94f09f9/Quickfix+-+Psychostimulant+Use+in+PH+Care+2008+updated+March+2015+DASSA.pdf?MOD=AJPERES&amp;CACHEID=ROOT</a>

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				<a href="https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2006_001.pdf">WORKSPACE-a86b4d0041783e3b9015ff67a94f09f9-m1g4riG</a>
26.	St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne, NEXUS and VDDI (2014). <i>Guidelines for the acute assessment and management of methamphetamine-type stimulant intoxication and toxicity</i> . Melbourne: St Vincent's Hospital Melbourne.	Emergency Department  St Vincent Specific  VIC	This is a 4 page document presented as tables. Table 1: Guideline for acute assessment and management of amphetamine type stimulant toxicity. Table 2: Management of acute behavioural disturbance due to amphetamine type stimulant intoxication. Table 3: Stages of change and matching interventions and long term management of amphetamine use and dependence.	<a href="https://www.svhm.org.au/ArticleDocuments/2140/AT_SIntoxicationWithdrawalflowchartNov2014.pdf.aspx?embed=y">https://www.svhm.org.au/ArticleDocuments/2140/AT_SIntoxicationWithdrawalflowchartNov2014.pdf.aspx?embed=y</a> .
27.	Sydney South West Area Drug Health Services (2015). <i>Clinical guidelines for assessment and management of psychostimulant users</i> . Sydney: NSWs Health.	Medical	This is a 2 page guideline with brief information for assessment and management of psychostimulant users. Page 2 consists of a flowchart.	<a href="https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2006_001.pdf">https://www1.health.nsw.gov.au/pds/ActivePDSDocuments/GL2006_001.pdf</a>

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