

Research Chemicals

The Term "**Research Chemicals (RCs)**" makes reference to chemical combinations, whose psychoactive effects and toxicology are barely or not sufficiently investigated, as in only very rare cases they were tested on humans or animals.

Many RCs are (at the moment) legally available.

The risks related to the use of "Research Chemicals" can be possibly higher, than to the use of other psychoactive substances, which are common for much more time. For the common substances therefore is more information available about how a risk can be assessed.

Detailed mechanisms about effects, toxicity, possible long-term consequences, possible deadly doses, as well as consequences of overdoses are unknown for the most "Research Chemicals": the actual knowledge about f.e. effects, doses and risk reduction is almost exclusively based on user reports.

Even when 'Research Chemicals' are legally available, under no circumstances they are a 'safe' alternative to controlled substances!!!

What you should have in mind, if you have took the decision to use RCs despite of unknown risks:

Inform yourself as detailed as possible!

Try to collect all information, that you can get (books, magazines, internet, trip reports). Please also consider, if the information can be correct and if it is credible.

Medicaments and psychoactive substances are dosed in relation to the body weight. Generally light persons tolerate less than heavy ones.

Every person reacts different on (psychoactive) substances, therefore one should not trust blindly in the doses that other users report, but test always carefully (with smallest quantities, of which an effect is expected). An easy-going quantity for one person can be a toxic dose for the other!

Often most RCs show their effects already at very small quantity. Therefore is essential to use a fine scale for the determination of the quantity. Never apply methods to "estimate over the thumb", because like this one can misjudge easily with powder.

Do not use Research Chemicals together with other psychoactive substances.

Do not do drugs alone! Use them with friends, those you can trust and those can offer you support. Arrange that previously and do not let others alone!

After the use of RCs take always a longer break, before repeating.

Actual information about substances and new findings related to Research Chemicals you can find on www.CheckYourDrugs.at

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