

ESPAD - European School survey Project on Alcohol and other Drugs

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General

Identification

Detailed name European School survey Project on Alcohol and other Drugs

Sign or acronym ESPAD

General Aspects

Medical area Psychology and psychiatry

Health determinants Addictions
Social and psychosocial factors

Keywords illegal drugs, alcohol, smoking

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Organization	OFDT
Collaborations	
Funding	
Funding status	Public
Details	OFDT
Governance of the database	
Sponsor(s) or organisation(s) responsible	OFDT
Organisation status	Public
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Organisation status	Public
Additional contact	
Main features	
Type of database	
Type of database	Study databases
Study databases (details)	Repeated cross-sectional studies (except case control studies)
Database recruitment is carried out by an intermediary	A population file
Database recruitment is carried out as part of an interventional study	No
Additional information regarding sample selection.	Random sampling, stratified into two tiers until 2003 and then balanced sampling (cube).
Database objective	
Main objective	Gathering comparable data on alcohol, tobacco and illicit drugs use in 15-16 year-olds in as many European countries as possible - using a standardized methodology. Monitoring and comparing trends across European countries.

Inclusion criteria	Adolescents aged 15-16 or older, attending a school under the Education or Agriculture Ministries in France.
Population type	
Age	Adolescence (13 to 18 years)
Population covered	General population
Pathology	
Gender	Male Woman
Geography area	International
Detail of the geography area	European survey. In France, the survey of subjects recruited covers mainland France
Data collection	
Dates	
Date of first collection (YYYY or MM/YYYY)	1999
Date of last collection (YYYY or MM/YYYY)	2015
Size of the database	
Size of the database (number of individuals)	[1000-10 000[individuals
Details of the number of individuals	About 10,000
Data	
Database activity	Current data collection
Type of data collected	Declarative data
Declarative data (detail)	Paper self-questionnaire
Presence of a biobank	No
Health parameters studied	Others
Other (detail)	Prevention

Procedures

Data collection method	In class. All of the pupils in the classes selected complete a questionnaire.
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Participant monitoring	No
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Followed pathology	
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Links to administrative sources	No
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Promotion and access

Promotion

Link to the document	http://en.ofdt.fr/publications/tendances/levels-drug-use-france-2014-tendances-99-march-2015/
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Description	Levels of drug use in France in 2014. Tendances, OFDT, No. 99, 2015
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Link to the document	http://en.ofdt.fr/index.php?CID=306
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Description	Drug use during the « lycée years » - Results of the 2015 ESPAD survey in France. Tendances, OFDT, No. 112, 2016
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Link to the document	http://www.ofdt.fr/index.php?CID=762
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Link to the document	http://www.ofdt.fr/index.php?CID=896
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Access

Terms of data access (charter for data provision, format of data, availability delay)	The data can be accessed two years after the survey year through a research agreement.
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Access to aggregated data	Access on specific project only
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Access to individual data	Access on specific project only
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