

Study Guide

General Information About Drugs

1. Define the word *drug*.

2. List four types of mood-altering drugs.

3. Describe how drugs are made.

4. List four ways drugs can enter the body.

5. List and describe at least six factors that influence how drugs can affect the body.

6. List and describe four factors that influence how drugs affect the mind.

7. What are some behavior changes that show that someone may be having a problem with drugs?

8. List five signs of someone who is addicted to drugs.

9. List four places people can get help for drug problem?

10. Describe the difference between *prescription* and *over-the-counter* medicines.

11. Describe the difference between *store-bought drugs* and *street drugs*.

12. List four reasons people take illegal drugs. Then, list one alternative for each.
