

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS MDMA (Ecstasy)

Street Names

Molly, Club drug, Disco biscuits, E, Eve, Hug drug, Love drug, Lover's speed, X, STP, XTC

Method of Use

Swallowed (capsule or tablet)



Symptoms/ Effects of Use

- Nausea
- Chills, sweating
- Teeth clenching
- Muscle cramping
- Blurred vision
- Increased physical energy
- Confusion
- Heightened senses, mental stimulation
- Emotional warmth (desire to be close to or touching others)
- Enhanced sensory perception
- Decrease in body's ability to regulate temperature (can be deadly)
- Depression
- Sleep problems
- Severe anxiety
- Chronic use can lead to...
 - Liver damage
 - Learning disorders
 - Emotional difficulties



What to look for...

- Trance-like states
- Intense focus on lights and sounds
- Rapid eye movements
- Chills/sweating
- Severe anxiety/paranoia
- Unusual displays of affection
- Evidence of drug paraphernalia:
 - Pacifiers/lollipops (to guard against clenching teeth)
 - Candy necklaces/bags of small candy (used to hide pills)
 - Items such as: glow sticks, glowing jewelry, mentholated rub (used to over stimulate senses)



Withdrawal Symptoms

- Fatigue
- Loss of appetite
- Depressed feelings
- Trouble concentrating

Note: Each person may experience different symptoms/effects. This list is not inclusive. For more information, visit www.drugabuse.go