

# THE BLUNT TRUTH

**Weed Out the Myths  
with**

## Myth:

Marijuana  
use will not affect  
your performance  
at school or  
at work

## Fact:

THC affects the  
brain in a way that  
impairs processing and  
storing new information  
as well as completing  
tasks that require  
focus and  
concentration

**“Reggie”**

**“Mary Jane”**

**“Kush”**

**Looking for help or more information?**

### DC Youth Prevention Centers:

#### Wards 1 & 2

1419 Columbia Rd. NW  
Washington, DC 20009  
(202) 319-3085

#### Wards 3 & 4

5335 Wisconsin Ave. NW  
Suite 440  
Washington, DC 20015  
(202) 686-4850

#### Wards 5 & 6

1022 Maryland Avenue NE  
Washington, DC 20002  
(202) 543-5796

#### Wards 7 & 8

3939 Benning Road NE  
Washington, DC 20019  
(202) 388-3001

*For additional information, please visit:*

[www.drugfreeyouthdc.com](http://www.drugfreeyouthdc.com)

DC Department of Behavioral Health: [www.dbh.dc.gov](http://www.dbh.dc.gov)

THEARC (Adults Only): [www.thearcdc.org](http://www.thearcdc.org)

### DC Youth Treatment Providers:

#### Latin American Youth Center

(Ward 1 Treatment Center)  
1419 Columbia Rd. NW  
Washington, DC 20009  
(202) 319-2225

#### Hillcrest Children and Family Center

(Ward 4 Treatment Center)  
915 Rhode Island Avenue NW  
Washington, DC 20001  
(202) 232-6100

#### Federal City Recovery Services

(Ward 6 Treatment Center)  
316 F Street NE Suite 118  
Washington, DC 20002  
(202) 710-1850

#### Riverside Treatment Center

(Ward 8 Treatment Center)  
2041 MLK Jr Avenue SE  
Washington, DC 20020  
(202) 889-3182

The Access HelpLine: 1(888)7WE-HELP or 1-888-793-4357

Metropolitan Police Department Anonymous Tip Line: (202) 727-9099

SAMHSA's National Helpline: 1-800-662-HELP (4357)

*For more information and resources about DC's marijuana laws, visit [theblunttruthdc.com](http://theblunttruthdc.com).*

