

## Dissertation Questionnaire - Harm Reduction Programs In Iran

This questionnaire is for a dissertation to look at the harm reduction programs in Iran to see if there is/was any provisions applied for adolescent who got involved in the drug related issues.

The main questions, which your valuable insight based on your professional expertise, would be very helpful.

- There is no data available on young people from Middle East and North Africa in 2012 survey (The Global State of Harm Reduction, 2012) about the barriers to young people accessing harm reduction services. Do you have any idea, why? Has any attempt been done to collect that kind of data since then? If yes, can you please provide me with a link or any reference, which may help me to get access to that data?
- Based on your professional observations, do you think any development in existing harm reduction responses to target the needs of this population (under 18), is going to be among the drug policy's priorities in the region and/or in the country of your focus? If not, how do you analyze that?
- How do the local NGOs and the community react to the lack of youth-focused harm reduction programs? Is there any willingness to meet the needs of this population (youth under 18) in different setting to reduce drug-related harm and give visibility to this group of young people?
- Did the country you're working on become a member of CRC (signed or ratified the United Nation Convention on the Rights of the Child)?

Thanks a lot for your time and consideration in advance. Any contribution is highly appreciated.