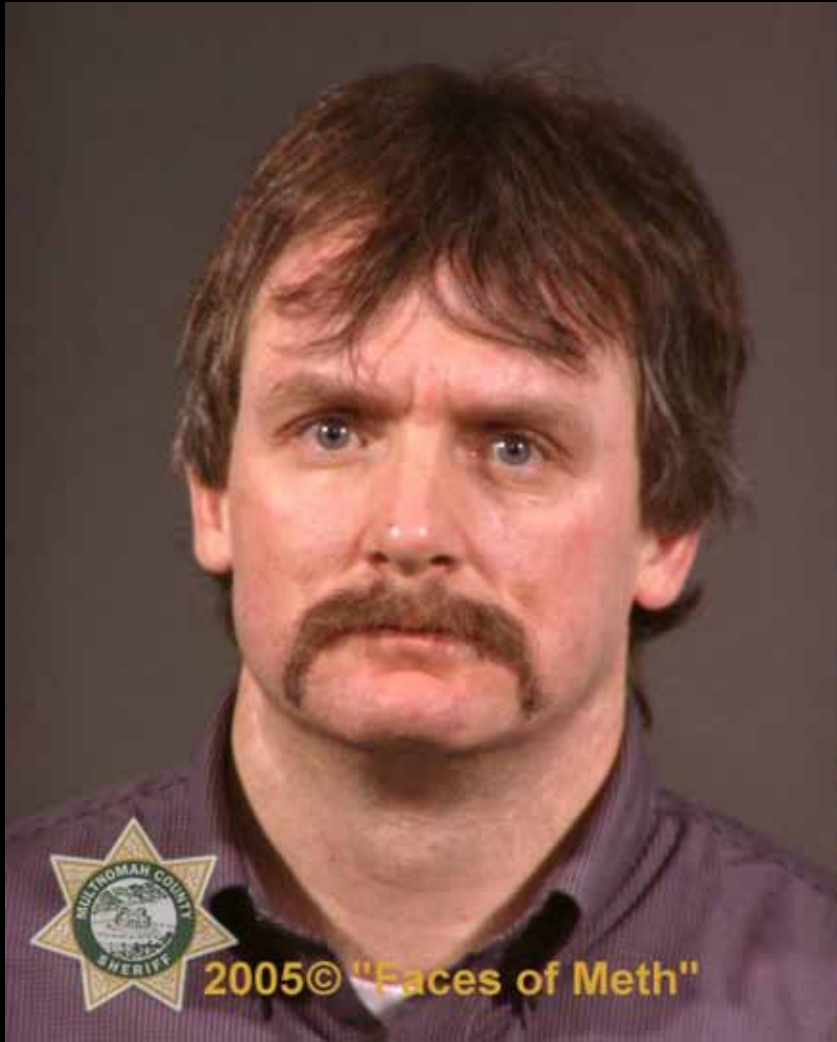


The Nature of Addiction

Andy Cartmill



2005© "Faces of Meth"



3 Months Later

DRUG-FREE AMERICA



AGE 0-4
AMOXICILIN

4-12
RITALIN

12-18
APPETITE
SUPPRESSANTS

18-24
NO-DOZ

24-38
PROZAC

38-65
ZANTAC
VIAGRA

65 —
EVERYTHING
ELSE

ADDICTION

The uncontrollable need, whether it be physical or psychological, for a substance or activity.

PROGRESSIVE?

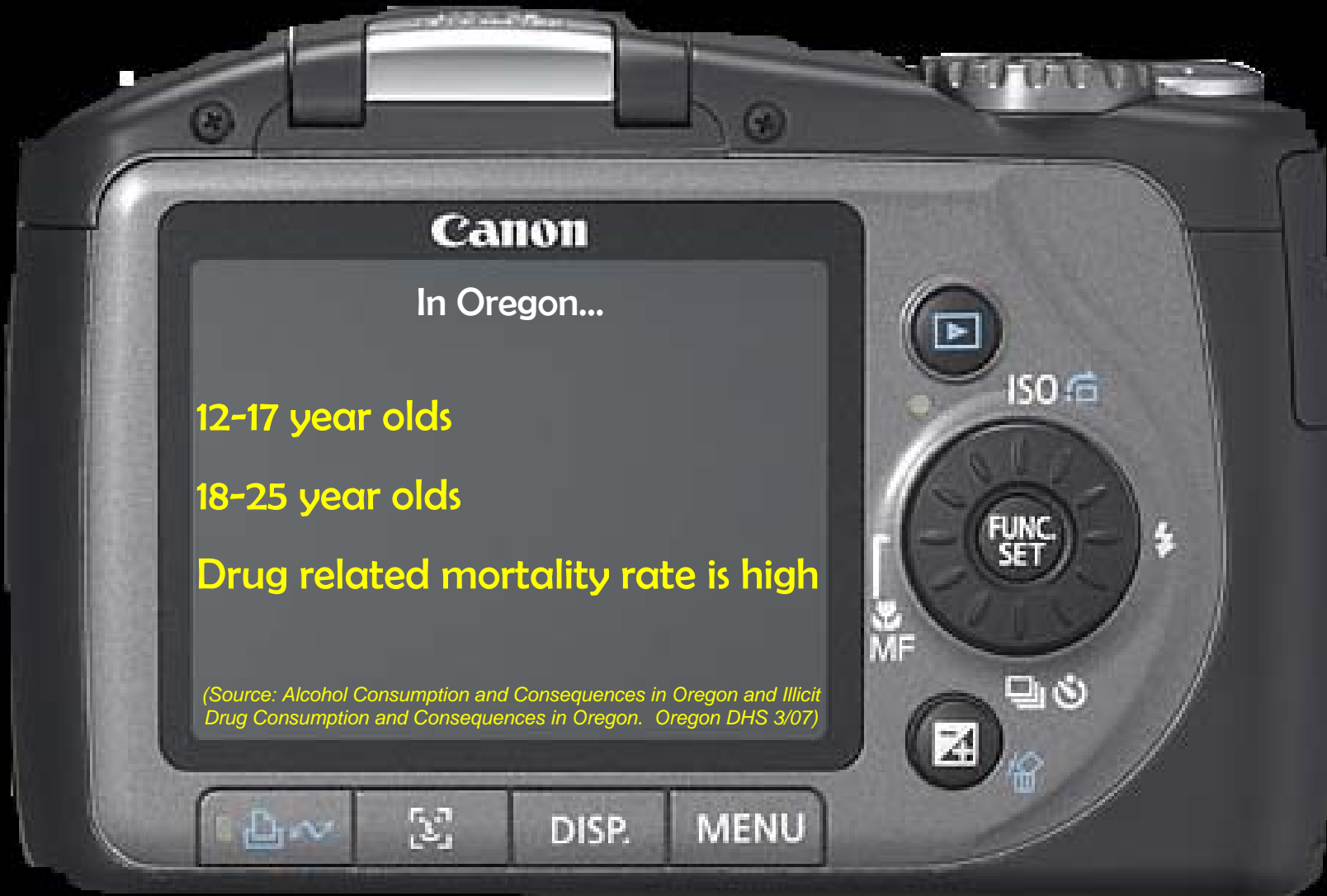
First-time use of the substance or activity

Continued use, to escape or avoid problems

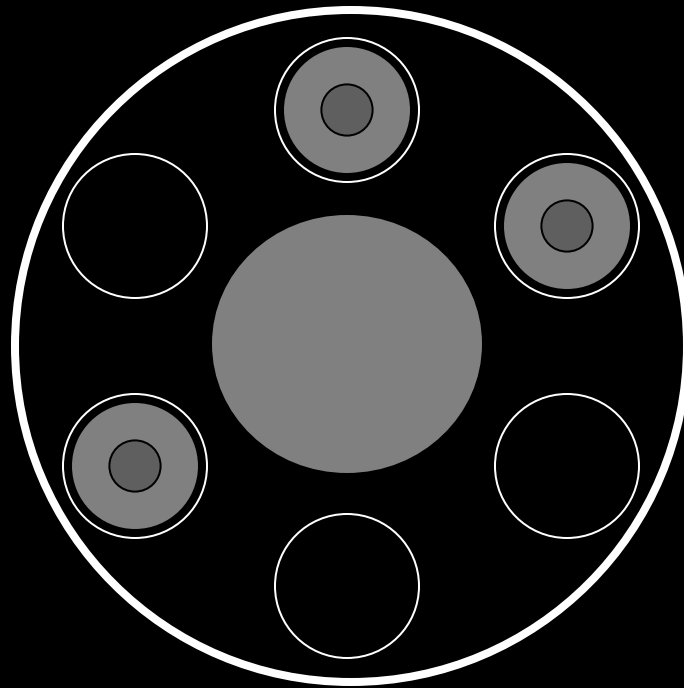
Denial of having a problem

Loss of control

A Snapshot of What's Going On...



Risk Factor Roulette



Recent Winners:

Dylan B.
WON

\$357,508.00




WIN REAL MONEY!

[Click here!](#)

I Agree! Play Now!

DEPOSIT \$100 & GET \$100 FREE!



[CLICK HERE!](#)

EXCITING NEW SOFTWARE

20% Bonus
on your first Deposit.



DOWNLOAD



BET ON BASKETBALL PLAYOFFS




[click here <](#)

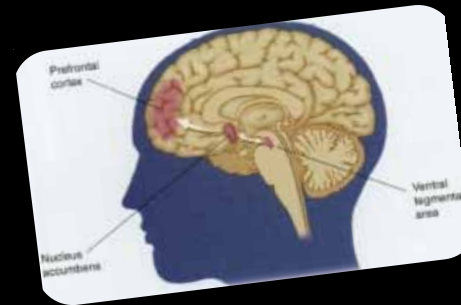
\$90

FREE BONUS

Free Casino Bonus Money
[Click Here!](#)



We welcome the above secure and simple purchasing methods



The Addiction...

Similarities

- × Loss of control
- × Denial
- × Depression & mood swings
- × Progressive
- × Chasing
- × First win (high) remembered
- × Blackouts/brownouts
- × Use as an escape
- × Preoccupation
- × Low self esteem & high ego
- × Use of rituals
- × Similar highs

Differences

- × Hidden addiction
- × Can't overdose-no saturation point
- × Huge financial problems
- × Can function at work
- × Can't be tested
- × Doesn't require ingestion
- × Fewer resources available
- × Perceptions

The Elevator of Addiction



IN THE LAST TWELVE MONTHS, HAVE YOU...

- Found it difficult to stop alcohol/drug use when you want to?
- Ever had blackouts or flashbacks from alcohol/drug use?
- Had anyone express concern about your alcohol/drug use?
- Neglected your family or other responsibilities as a result of alcohol/drug use?

IN THE LAST TWELVE MONTHS, HAVE YOU...

- Broken the law due to alcohol/drug use?
- Ever missed work or had an accident at work due to alcohol/drug use?
- Experienced withdrawal symptoms or felt sick when stopping alcohol/drug use?
- Had medical problems resulting from alcohol/drug use?



For Referral and Advice concerning **Addiction Services** in Washington County
Call
503/291-9111

For **Free Onsite Presentations** and **Materials**
Call
503/846-4903

For Free, Confidential, Effective, and Local **Gambling Treatment**
call:
1-877-2 STOP NOW (1-877-278-6766)