

# Marijuana

## the Science and the Experiment



**Tuesday,  
September 22, 2015**

9:00 am to 4:00 pm



**Black Canyon Conference Center**  
29440 N. 25th Ave. ~ Phoenix, AZ

This conference is for business professionals, health care professionals, behavioral health professionals, educators, prevention specialists, law enforcement, parents, and interested community members.

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Register online at  
**MarijuanaHarmlessThinkAgain.org**

- \$50 - full day, including lunch
  - \$25 - half day, lunch not included
- Scholarships available

**Marijuana Harmless?**  
**Think Again**  
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### **The Science**

What are the true scientific facts and harms of marijuana?

- How does marijuana affect the brain, intelligence and mental illness?
- What is happening to the THC levels of today's marijuana?
- What makes marijuana an addictive substance?
- What is effective treatment for marijuana addiction?

### **The Experiment**

What is happening in Colorado?

- With the business community
- With the treatment community
- With marketing and advertisement
- With law enforcement

### **Keynote Speakers**

- **Christian Thurstone, M.D.**, Addiction Psychiatrist, Medical Director at STEP, Denver Health and co-author of the book, "Clearing the Haze: Helping Families Face Teen Addiction"
- **Dr. Madeline Meier**, Assistant Professor of Psychology, ASU and co-author of the Dunedin IQ study
- **Dr. Christine Miller**, Ph.D. in Pharmacology
- **Jo McQuire**, Member of the Colorado Governor's Task Force to recommend the legislative framework for the regulation of marijuana
- **Christine Tatum**, CEO, Media Salad and co-author of the book, "Clearing the Haze: Helping Families Face Teen Addiction"
- **Sgt. Jim Gerhardt**, Rocky Mountain High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area
- **MOMS Strong** - Testimonies from mothers about marijuana addiction and suicide