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Which database(s) do you apply for? 2003
 2007 (Non-ESPAD researchers from July 1, 2013)
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Working title of the project:

Perceptions of young people on health risks of consuming psychoactive substances as a public health problem

Work Plan: (Please describe objectives, methods and specify the research question(s), maximum 250 words.)

The main purpose is to investigate perception of youth on health risks of consuming psychoactive substances in several transitional countries related to socio-economic status of their families, contact with partners, overall circumstances in the society and comparison between countries. It is important to recognize the real directions for public health activities. Identification and recognition of risk factors for the development of addictive behavior is of great importance for the design of both the individual prevention approach, and for the development of operational social activities

Method: Comparison between transitional countries with main focusing in the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Research questions:

1. How students perceive health risks of consuming psychoactive substances?
2. How does early psychoactive initiation related to socio-economic status of their families, contact with partners, overall circumstances in the society?

Planned type of publication: Paper/article Report PhD
 Other, which:

Questions (see Questionnaire(s)) to be included in the analysis: (Please indicate the question numbers.)

1,5, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34,35,36, 37, 38, 39, 43 (Core questionnaire)

Countries to be included in the analysis: All accessible countries

A more limited number of countries, namely:

South East European countries

Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina (Republika Srpska), Bulgaria, Croatia, Kosovo, Moldova, Montenegro, Romania, Serbia

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