

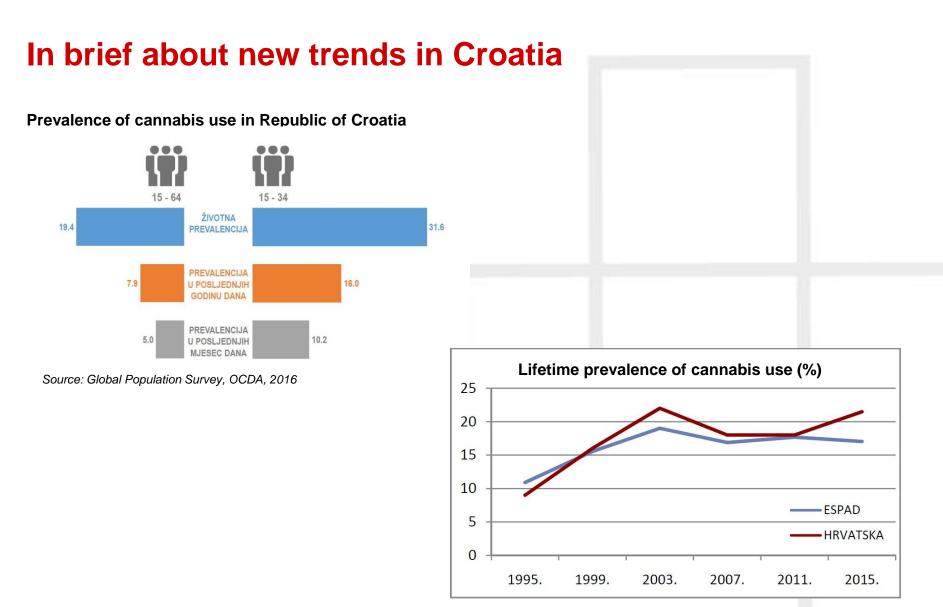
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How to use new tools in tailoring national drug policies?

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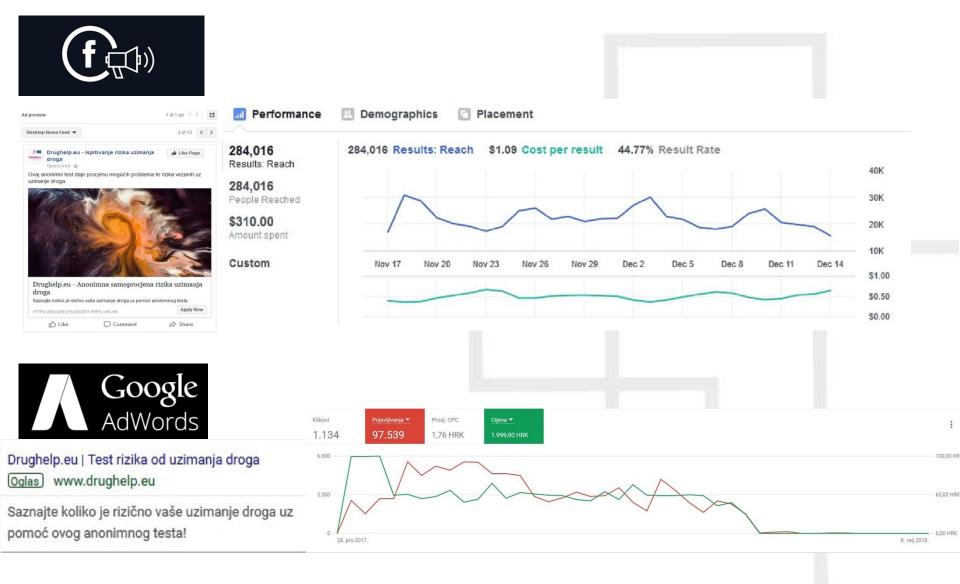
Content:

- Experience with social marketing
- Profile of clients in online intervention Drughelp.eu
- Evaluating system response
- Adapting strategic approach



Source: ESPAD - Croatian Report, NPHI, 2016

Experience with social marketing techniques



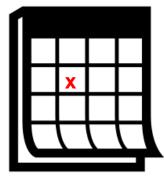
Profile of clients in online intervention Drughelp.eu

Frequency of use: 20,5 %



Frequency on a typical day of use: 1-2 x (**57%**) 3-4 x (**16%**)

Polydrug use: 66%



PROFILE

Age: < 20 (43%)

21-30 (40%)

F= **50%**

M= **50%**

90% never received treatment

Main substance of choice



Heavy influence of drugs: Every month: 26 % Less than once a month 19 %

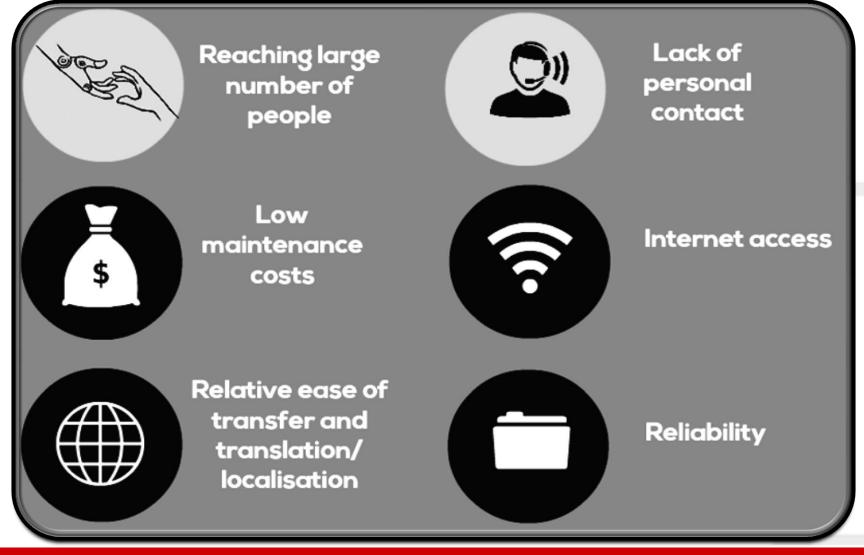
Evaluating system response

Can our system respond to current needs and emerging trends?



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Target group could easily be reached by online interventions



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Adapting strategic approach



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