



# TARGET AMERICA:

Opening Eyes to the Damage Drugs Cause



## Making Connections A - Answer Key

1. What plant is used to produce opium & heroin? Poppy Name two countries that grow large quantities of this plant. Afghanistan, Burma, Colombia, Mexico, Thailand, Laos
2. What drug is primarily produced in clandestine laboratories in the Netherlands that is frequently found in Tampa and other areas of Florida in pill form? Ecstasy
3. Name three ways that drugs are smuggled into the U.S.  
Planes, boats, trucks, cars, luggage, clothing or in the body
4. Which causes more deaths per year in the U.S. of teens and young adults? *Circle one*  
A. drugs and alcohol poisoning that cause an overdose  
B. automobile accidents where the driver is under the influence of drugs or alcohol  
C. inhalation of fumes and chemicals in drug preparation
5. The DEA and law enforcement officials catch criminals from around the world that are trafficking drugs into the U.S. Florida is considered a "Gateway" because of its extensive amount of coastline.
6. Terrorists and drug dealers as part of their activity in the drug market also know how to convert their profits in money laundering.
7. Which natural chemical in the brain (or neurotransmitter) does LSD resemble? Serotonin
8. The exhibit contains production labs for cocaine and opium/heroin. What country is a top producer of cocaine? Colombia What country is the top producer of opium/heroin?  
Afghanistan
9. What part of the body is most affected by drug abuse and is also involved in addiction?  
Brain Name 2 other organs or systems that can be affected by drug abuse? organs- heart, liver, kidneys, lungs or systems – ALL! Central Nervous System, Circulatory, Respiratory, Reproductive, Digestive, Excretory, and Skeletal System
10. In addition to law enforcement, what are the 2 other components of **Breaking the Cycle** in the DEA Target America Exhibit that address drug abuse?  
Prevention and Treatment