

Training to Strengthen National Drug observatories in Latin America and the Caribbean: Fourth Edition

Cartagena, Colombia - June 25-27, 2019

Tuesday – June 25

Time	Activity
08:30 - 09:00	Registration of participants
09:00 - 09:30	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rafael Parada, Unit chief, Supply Reduction Unit, CICAD/OAS. • Pernell Clarke, Specialist, Inter-American Observatory on Drugs, CICAD/OAS. • Sofía Mata Modrón, Director of the Spanish Agency for International Development Cooperation (AECID) in Cartagena, Colombia.
09:30 - 9:45	Inter-American Observatory on Drugs and Supply Reduction Unit of CICAD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Introduction of the participants. - Presentation of meeting objectives and the work methodology.
9:45 – 10:30	Report on Drug Use in the Americas 2019 Presenter: Juan Carlos Araneda , Project Officer OID/CICAD/OAS.
10:30 – 11:00	Break – Photograph with all the participants.
11:00 – 11:45	Panel Discussion: Reports and publications on supply control and/or the market for illicit drugs (scope and methods). Leah-Perle Bloomenstein , DEA - Intelligence Analyst, National Strategic Intelligence Unit. Hernán Epstein , UNODC – Statistics, Data Development and Dissemination Unit, Research and Trends Analysis Section (Via Skype from Vienna). Moderator: Pernell Clarke , Specialist OID/CICAD/OAS.

11:45 – 13:00	<p>Experience in the collection of information on drug supply in countries of the Americas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tiago Martín, presentation on Argentina. • Avajeán Sánchez, presentation on Belize. • Gabriela Reyes, presentation on Bolivia. • Jorge Muñoz Bravo, presentation on Chile. <p>Moderator: Juan Carlos Araneda, Project Officer, OID/CICAD/OAS.</p>
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:30	<p>Experience in the collection of information on drug supply in countries of the Americas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Andrés Rodríguez Pérez, presentation on Costa Rica. • Samantha Almeida, presentation on Ecuador. • Dave Alexander, presentation on Grenada. • Tynisha Niles, presentation on Guyana. • Jean-Alain Bernadel, presentation on Haiti. <p>Moderator: Graciela Ahumada, Coordinator of Component 1 National Drug Observatories, COPOLAD Program.</p>
15:30 – 15:45	Break
15:45 – 17:00	<p>Experience in the collection of information on drug supply in countries of the Americas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uki Atkinson, presentation on Jamaica. • Edith Bautista, presentation on Mexico. • María Laura Báez, presentation on Paraguay • Néstor Pastor Armas, presentation on Peru. <p>Moderator: Rafael Parada, Unit Chief, Supply Reduction Unit, CICAD/OAS.</p>

Wednesday, June 26

Time	Activity
9:00 – 10:15	<p>Experience in the collection of information on drug supply in countries of the Americas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nelson Santos, presentation on Dominican Republic. • Caleb Paul, presentation on Saint Lucia. • Cyllan Gilead, presentation on Trinidad and Tobago. • Jenna Leffler, presentation on the United States. • Jessica Ramírez, presentation on Uruguay. <p>Moderator: Luis Ruiz, Coordinator of the Global SMART Programme, Latin America.</p>
10:15 - 10:30	<p>Open Plenary: Discussion on countries and institutions experiences in the management of supply control information and the drug market.</p>
10:30 – 11:00	<p>Break</p>
11:00 – 12:30	<p>Open Plenary: Advances in the tools and instruments used for the collection on supply control and the drug market.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graciela Ahumada, Coordinator of Component 1 National Drug Observatories, COPOLAD Program. • Luis Ruiz, Coordinator of the Global SMART Program, Latin America. • Pernell Clarke, CICAD Standardized indicators for national drug information networks. <p>Moderator: Juan Carlos Araneda, Project Officer, OID/CICAD/OAS.</p>
12:30 – 13:00	<p>Results of the 7th Round of the Multilateral Evaluation Mechanism (MEM)</p> <p>Presentation: Sofía Kosmas, Unit Chief of the Multilateral Evaluation Mechanism (Via Skype, from Washington D.C.)</p>
13:00 – 14:00	<p>Lunch</p>

14:00 – 15:30	<p>Panel Discussion: Information on forensic laboratories, analysis of chemical substances and experiences in the collection of drug supply information.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daniela Cristina Porto, Cabinet of the National Secretariat for Drug Policies of the Ministry of Justice and Public Security, Brazil. • Jenny Fagua Duarte, Specialist, Strategic and Analysis Subdirectorate, Colombian Drugs Observatory. • Luis Ruíz, Coordinator of the Global SMART Programme, Latin America. <p>Moderator: Rafael Parada, Unit Chief, Supply Reduction Unit, CICAD/OAS.</p>
15:30 – 16:00	<p>Open plenary: Discussion on what are the necessary supply control and drug market data to generate drug policies in the Western Hemisphere.</p>
16:00 – 16:15	<p>Break</p>
16:15 – 17:00	<p>Open Plenary: Formation of working groups. Objectives and methods.</p>

Thursday, June 27

Time	Activity
09:00 - 10:30	<p>Plenary will divide into four working groups to develop a work plan for the preparation of a report on drug supply and the drug market in the Americas.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Topics (List of possible topics to be included in the report) 2) Scope of the report (What topics should be included and why?) 3) Methods (Data sources, data collection, data generation, types of analysis) 4) Opportunities and Challenges 5) What is the level of interest of member states in this type of report and how will this information be used? 6) Other suggestions.
10:30 – 11:00	Break
11:00 – 13:00	Work in small groups – continued.
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00– 15:30	<p>Group Presentations. PowerPoint presentation - 15 minutes for each group.</p> <p>Discussion</p>
15:30 – 15:45	Break
15:45 – 16:15	Review of the workshop and the main agreements reached.
16:15 – 16:30	Evaluation of the workshop.
16:30 – 17:00	Closing and delivery of certificates.