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**NATIONAL DRUG ADDICTION SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM 2022
'KONGSI FAKTA, SELAMATKAN KELUARGA MALAYSIA'**

The National Anti-Drug Agency (NADA) organized the National Drug Addiction Science Symposium 2022 program as a platform to present new research findings related to drugs substances.

The symposium which highlights the theme 'Kongsi Fakta, Selamatkan Keluarga Malaysia' aims to increase information and awareness on the factual repercussions of drug abuse. In addition, the symposium was held to obtain input and views to best produce methods in controlling the drug problem.

The symposium has three plenary presentations, 12 presentations sequence, 20 research poster presentations and video screenings of success stories of lifelong recovery.

A total of 12 presentations are divided into three sub-themes namely Pencegahan: Lebih Baik Cegah, Rawatan dan Pemulihan: Kepulihan Berterusan as well as Penguatkuasaan: Manfaat atau Mudarat.

NADA believes that the symposium is able to increase dissemination of information by implementing strategy of controlling drug problems based on evidence and increase the involvement of strategic and smart partners in achieving the goal of Dadah Terkawal 2025.

Based on the World Drug Report 2022 released by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), a total of 36.3 million individuals suffer from drug addiction worldwide. However, due to discrimination, social stigma and social exclusion, only one of the eight individuals received drug rehabilitation treatment.

In general, society harsh attitude influenced the vision and mission of Good Health and Well-Being under the Sustainable Development Goals making it difficult to attain and achieve.

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