

Supplementary Table 1. Demographics of the study population, Dental and Medical Students, Karachi, 2019

Demographics	n (%)
Gender	
Female	183 (51.7)
Male	171 (48.3)
Average Age (years)	21.62 (95% CI: 21.41 – 21.83)
Ethnicity	
Muhajir	94 (26.6)
Punjabi	75 (21.2)
Sindhi	71 (20.1)
Pashtun	32 (9)
Baloch	16 (4.5)
Seraiki	13 (3.7)
Other	53 (15)
Relationship Status	
Single	271 (76.6)
Dating	31 (8.8)
Engaged	27 (7.6)
Married	25 (7.1)
Substance Use (Users, n=86 [24.3%])	
Tobacco	43 (12.1)
Alcohol	3 (0.8)
Marijuana	2 (0.6)
All of the above	17 (4.8)
Any two	21 (6.0)

Supplementary Table 2. Associations between substance use and specific demographic characteristics among dental and Medical Students, Karachi, 2019 (n=86)

Substance	Gender		Relationship Status		Ethnicity		
	Males	Females	Single	Dating	Muhajir	Sindhi	Other ethnicity
Tobacco	19(22.6)	24(28.57)	38(44.1)	5(5.8)	9(10.4)	15(17.4)	19(22.1)
Alcohol	3(3.5)	0(0)	3(3.5)	0(0)	0(0)	2(2.4)	1(1.1)
Marijuana	2(2.4)	0(0)	2(2.4)	0(0)	0(0)	1(1.1)	1(1.1)
All of the above	15(17.8)	2(2.4)	12(13.9)	5(5.8)	2(2.4)	5(5.8)	10(11.6)
Any two	19(22.6)	2(2.4)	17(19.7)	4(4.6)	2(2.4)	9(10.4)	10(11.6)