

## Annex 1: Questions asked in IDPC's Civil Society Survey

**1. Since 2019, has there been any change in the levels of violence associated with drug-related policing and law enforcement or drug trafficking in your country/ies?**

### Levels of violence associated with drug-related policing and law enforcement

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the levels of violence associated with drug-related policing and law enforcement in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

### Levels of violence associated with drug trafficking organisations

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the levels of violence associated with drug trafficking organisations in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to any studies, reports or articles (200 words max)

**2. Since 2019, has there been any change in the availability of, and access to, harm reduction and treatment services in your country/ies for:**

### All people who use drugs:

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the level of access to harm reduction and treatment services for all people who use drugs in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

**Women and gender-non-conforming people who use drugs:**

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the level of access to harm reduction and treatment services for women and gender-non-conforming people who use drugs in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

**Young people who use drugs:**

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the level of access to harm reduction and treatment services for young people who use drugs in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

**Ethnic minorities, racial groups, and/or Indigenous Peoples who use drugs:**

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the level of access to harm reduction and treatment services for ethnic minorities, racial groups and/or Indigenous Peoples people who use drugs in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

***[Optional] Please explain what has changed in the provision of, and access to, these services (including in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic), and provide references to relevant laws, strategies, studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**3. Since 2019, has there been any change in the availability of, and access to, internationally controlled substances for medical purposes in your country/ies:**

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the level of availability of, and access to, internationally controlled substances for medical purposes in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

***[Optional] Please explain what has changed in the provision of, and access to, these services (including in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic), and provide references to relevant laws, strategies, studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**4. Since 2019, has there been any change in the levels of human rights abuses committed in the name of drug control in your country/ies?**

- Increased
- Decreased
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the level of respect for human rights in relation to drug policy in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

***[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to relevant laws, strategies, studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**5. Since 2019, has your government conducted campaigns that stigmatise or demonise people who use drugs?**

- Yes
- No
- Don't know

***[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to relevant studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**6. Since 2019, has your government recognised or made efforts to reduce the disproportionate impact of drug control operations on marginalised or oppressed communities?**

- Yes
- No
- Don't know

Please assess to what extent drug control operations have a disproportionate impact on marginalised or oppressed communities in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

***[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to relevant studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**7. Since 2019, have there been moves towards decriminalisation and/or legal regulation in your country (including at state or local levels)? Tick all the options which apply:**

- Adoption of new law on decriminalisation
- Debates in Parliament on decriminalisation
- Adoption of new law on legal regulation
- Debates in Parliament on legal regulation
- Adoption of new law on alternatives to coercive sanctions for drug offences
- Debates in Parliament on alternatives to coercive sanctions for drug offences
- None of the above

***[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to relevant laws, studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**8. Since 2019, have there been attempts (either debates, introduction of bills or adoption of laws) to change penalties for drug offences (other than those already covered in question 7) in your country (at federal or state level)?**

- Yes - to increase penalties

- Yes - to reduce penalties
- No
- Don't know

***[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to relevant laws, studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**9. Since 2019, has your government adopted a development approach towards communities that cultivate or manufacture drugs?**

- Yes
- No
- Not applicable / Don't know

***[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to relevant laws, strategies, studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***

**10. Since 2019, has there been any change in the levels of civil society space in your country/ies (e.g., access to policy makers, funding, banking, freedom of expression and association)?**

- Improved
- Worsened
- Unchanged
- Don't know

Please assess the extent to which civil society is meaningfully consulted and involved in drug policy making in your country in 2023 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being low, 10 being high)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

***[Optional] Please provide details, as well as references to relevant laws, strategies, studies, reports or articles (200 words max)***