

Cannabis screening urged

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NCPIC's new resource for general practitioners (GPs), 'Is cannabis the missing piece?' was featured in this article. The resource, which includes a screening tool for cannabis use problems, A2 and A4 posters for doctors' surgeries, patient and doctor factsheets and GP guidelines for the assessment and management of cannabis use disorder, amongst other materials, was launched recently at the HealthEd series of conferences. GPs are seen as being in an ideal position to screen for and offer support and referral to patients who may be experiencing cannabis-related issues. Despite many patients not consulting a GP specifically for cannabis-related issues, signs such as chronic coughs, depression or anxiety, or repeated sick-day certificate requests can alert a GP to screen for cannabis use and related problems. [Please click here](#) to learn more about this resource.