

Our Vision

"With you, making Mauritius a drug free society"

Our Mission

- Enforcing the Dangerous Drug Act 2000 and other related laws;
- Identifying, investigating, disrupting and dismantling drug trafficking organizations and those who facilitate them by using our operational and intelligence capabilities;
- Strengthening our partnerships with other Branch/Units and foreign law enforcement counterparts, the Customs, the public and private sectors and community in our endeavour to dismantle drug networks;
- Supporting drug demand reduction initiatives and giving assistance to the community, and NGOs in sensitising the population on the ill effects of dangerous drugs;
- Attacking the financial infrastructure of drug trafficking organizations by working in close collaboration with the Asset Recovery Unit, Integrity Reporting Services (IRSA), ICAC, DPP's Office and FIU; and,
- Liaison with the UNODC, INTERPOL, and other organizations on matters relating to international drug control programs.

Intensifying vigilance at Points of Entries

- Collaborating with NCG, MRA Customs, PIO, Courier Services and other agencies at the Airport and Port.
- Surveillance of our coastal regions, tracking suspicious yachts, speedboats etc... especially the Western Coast.

Focus on dismantling local drug networks

- Improvement of intelligence development capacity.
- Training and professional development of human resources.
- Use of technological tools and means to conduct operations and secure drugs and arrests.

Drug Prevention Strategy

- Upgrading ADSU Education Cell for improved sensitization and education programmes.
- Focusing our interventions on youngsters and the vulnerable groups.



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Anti-Drug & Smuggling Unit ANNUAL OPERATIONAL PLAN 2021



'Together, for a Safer Community'

Foreword

I am pleased to present the Annual Operational Plan 2021 of the Anti Drug and Smuggling Unit (ADSU). This plan rolls out how ADSU will continue to improve and develop new strategies to keep the drug scourge at bay, so that the community can strive in a safer environment.

We intend to operate in partnership with all stakeholders, particularly the community in the combat against drugs.

The drug scourge is a pandemic issue affecting the world on a scale which is compromising the security and wellbeing of the society.

Our country is no exception to the drugs issue. Drugs have become a national concern, thus requiring actions from all stakeholders to bring under control their proliferation.

In this respect, ADSU is fighting drugs on two fronts: Supply and Demand sides. On the Supply side ADSU carries out operations islandwide intensively, targeting drug networks and focusing on drug dealing cases. It is worthy of note that ADSU adopts a zero tolerance policy in the fight against drugs. Hence, arrests range from drug dealing to cases of simple possession.

On the demand front, the ADSU Education Cell conducts sensitization and awareness in primary and secondary schools, youth clubs, sites of works and community groups throughout the country to prevent people falling prey to the drug trap.

With its resources and commitment, ADSU is determined to accentuate its combat against illicit drugs. Although the challenge is tough, the unflinching support of the Government and the higher command of the Mauritius Police Force will be instrumental in meeting set targets.



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OUR COMMITMENT

We are committed to achieve the Force Priorities through efficient and effective response with a high degree of commitment. In addition we also endeavour to achieve our Branch objectives:

DISRUPTING THE DRUG SUPPLY NETWORK

- (i) Increasing the number of successful drug operations (arrest, seizures, etc..) by 5%.
- (ii) Increasing the detection of Drug Dealing Cases by 2%.
- (iii) Increasing the number of crackdown operations in hot beds/drug prone areas by 3%.

TARGETING DRUGS MONEY

- (i) Reinforcing our existing cooperation with the ICAC, FIU and ARID by increasing the number of Referrals in suspected Money Laundering Cases by 3%.

SERVICE DELIVERY/ ENQUIRIES/ PHQ'S/ ICT PROJECTS

- (i) Ensuring fast track dissemination of cases to Courts in Simple cases of Possession of Drug, with the approval of the Judiciary by 50%.
- (ii) Reduce number of Outstanding cases by 50%.
- (iii) Ensure 75% of correspondences/ letters are responded to within 21 days.
- (iv) Reply to PHQ's within 15 days as the case may be.
- (v) Reply to PIAC correspondences within five (5) working days.
- (vi) Ensure a 100% usage of Crime Occurrence Tracking System (COTS).

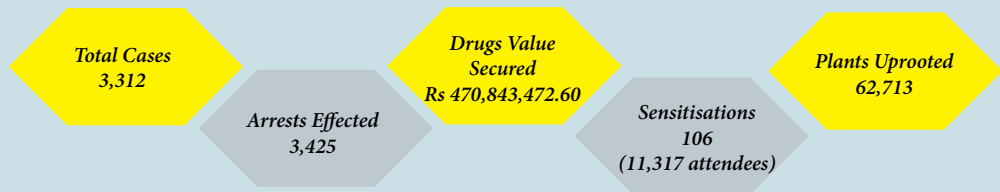
ENHANCING PARTNERSHIP WITH THE COMMUNITY

- (i) Attending to at least 90% of requests from members of the public on drug activities in their areas with 15 min of notice-to-move.
- (ii) In line with our Drug Prevention Strategy we will enhance our collaboration with Educational Institutions and other Governmental bodies by 3% to sensitize a larger number of student population on the ill effects of drugs.
- (iii) Ensuring ADSU/Community partnership by participating in at least two Neighbourhood Level meeting and Station Level Community Policing Forums Division-wise on a monthly basis.
- (iv) Conduct quarterly awareness session with parents, youngsters, elderly, disabled, social worker, etc.



Administrative mechanisms in place at the level of ADSU Headquarters and Divisional Office play a vital role and has a direct impact on Policing and the quality of service delivery. Therefore, we will ensure that administrative support are optimised in ensuring that objectives set are achieved.

Achievements 2020



Implementation, Supervision, Monitoring & Evaluation

Implementation, Supervision & Monitoring	1st Level Fortnightly Meeting at Div. ADSU	2nd Level Monthly Meeting at ADSU HQ
	3rd Level Force Monthly Coordinating Meeting by Commissioner of Police	