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CRESCENTS IN THE WORLD **HUNDREDS OF** THOUSANDS OF **VOLUNTEERS**



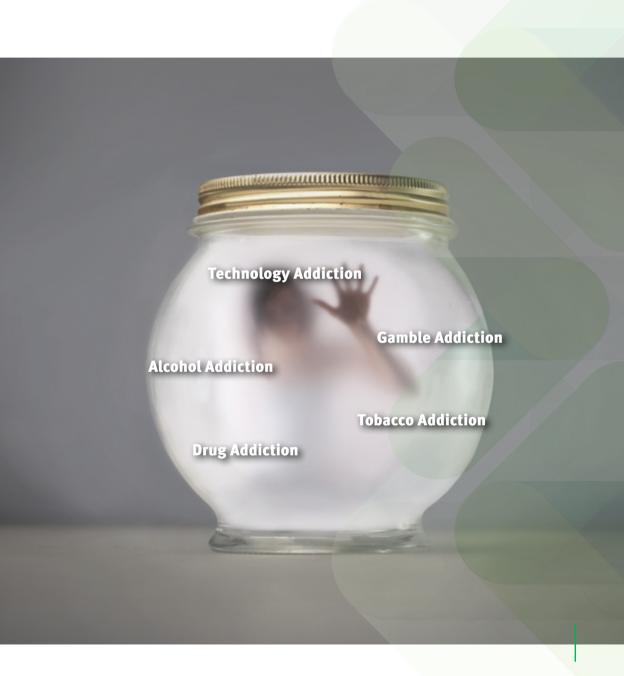
History

The Green Crescent was founded on March 5, 1920 in Istanbul for the purpose of fighting against alcohol and drug addiction to have begun spread during and after First World War.

Thirty highbrows of the period gave a promise to fight against addiction with a forward looking, which was not seen as a prior danger then but have become perhaps one of the biggest dangers of the future. A promise for healthy and peaceful life. Promise of hope and resolution on fight against addictions.

Prof. In Ordinary. The Green Crescent which was founded by the name of "Hilal- Ahdar" by Mazhar Osman and his friends have been given "public benefit society status" by Council of Ministers Decision.

As the types of addiction have increased since the date of it was founded, new study areas have been added to codes of the Green Crescent and after alcohol, cigarette, drug, gamble and recently technology addiction have been included in arena of it.





Vision, Mission

Vision

Celebrating its second century, Green Crescent is taking a leading part on national and international level in the fight against addiction.

Mission

The Green Crescent is a non-governmental organization grounding on human dignity and prestige; trying to protect the whole society and youth from bad habits without discriminating, fighting against addictions such as tobacco, alcohol, drug, technology, gamble, etc. by utilizing scientific methods and protecting national and ethical values; carrying out preventive and rehabilitating public health and advocacy studies.





The Green Crescent has United Nations Social Council Private Consultancy Status.

The Green Crescent, has Europe Quality Management Foundation "3 Star Competence on Excellence".

Basic Values and Principles

- Fight Against Addictiveness For Human Dignity
- Not To Discriminate
- Independency
- Charity Institution Qualification
- Public Health Qualification
- Scientificness
- Globality
- Sociality

PROJECTS





TBM Addiction Prevention Training Program of Turkey



tbm.org.tr

TBM, is a society based global training program model developed by Green Crescent. It is aimed to increase awareness throughout society particularly on children and teenagers regarding various addiction types such as tobacco, alcohol, substance, technology and prevent addiction by informing these target groups according to healthy life principles.

With this program realized by Green Crescent together with the Ministry of Education, 10 millions of students and 2 millions of parents have been achieved until now through 32.872 of school counsellors. TBM, which shall reach to students first and to the whole society later by generalizing through Public Training Centers all through the country, enhances its studies on fight against addiction with corporations.

812
TBM TRAINING OF TRAINERS
(SCHOOL COUNSELLORS)

32.872
TBM IMPLEMENTERS
(SCHOOL COUNSELLORS)

10 MILLION STUDENTS 2 MILLION ADULTS (EVERY YEAR)



OBM Program on Addiction Intervention in Schools



Program on Addiction Intervention in Schools (OBM), is a school-based short intervention program addressing to tobacco, alcohol, drug usage on adolescences.

On pilot practice trainings, school counselors have been expressed how to determine status of student, how the teacher recognizes student's use of substance, how to convince the teenage for treatment, to inform and support family about the issue, determination of intra-family relationships, how the student can be rescued from the risky situation through support of family.

On pilot study process, school counselors have been provided supervisor support by Green Crescent and result assessment have been done. OBM shall become widespread at schools throughout Turkey.





Green Crescent Living Skills Training Program

Green Crescent Living Skills Training Program (YYBE), is a school-based protective, booster training program aiming at decreasing risk factors to cause substance abuse, increase protective factors through life skills.

With YYBE, it is aimed to prevent risks during adolescence period by improvement of life skills and capabilities such as solving problem, overcoming the stress, curiosity, wannabe, proving oneself.



Turkey Addiction Rehabilitation Model/Center

The increasing use of drugs in recent years has become one of the most important health problems of our country. In order to be able to intervene effectively to this problem, the integration of addicts into social life after treatment should be ensured.

The Green Crescent performing effective activities on each field through a holistic view on fight against addiction, has developed a model including service presentation, financing, human resource, accreditation and inspection of rehabilitation centers with "Turkey Addiction Rehabilitation Model". When the model is made actual, a Turkey-specific addiction rehabilitation system shall be founded.



Green Crescent Consultancy Center (YEDAM)





yedam.org.tr

The Green Crescent has added rehabilitation service to its working area by a code amendment made on 2013. Green Crescent Consultancy Center (YEDAM) was founded on 2015. It began to provide call center service in the first step through 444 79 75 Information Hotline and then established Üsküdar, Cerrahpaşa, Başakşehir and Ümraniye service buildings in İstanbul, Eyyübiye service building in Şanlıurfa, Düzce and Antalya service buildings. Green Crescent provides free psychological consultation end rehabilitation support to addicts and their acquaintances. Team of YEDAM comprising of specialist psychologists in addiction field, provide information on substance and alcohol addiction to people who call, true guidance, advise and consultancy services.





YEDAM Workshop

YEDAM Workshop, has been designed as a model in accordance with Turkish culture, giving importance to values and prioritizing family. Main purpose is to reintegrate target group to society and provide they have a profession and enable them to spend this period with their families.

The model relocating family, individual and society to its center has been framed by "ahi community" approach having placed in our culture over the centuries. On ahi community tradition meaning to fellowship, the apprentice learns from his/her master not only professional skills and professional ethics, but also to be "good person". In YEDAM Workshop, the individual shall profess a job during rehabilitation process and begin to get professional training formation which is key basic of ahi community. During this time, the individual shall also have an opportunity to correct and improve his/her behaviors by living within the society. YEDAM Workshop is the step of therapy by profession of YEDAM model which aims at optimal participation of individual into society.

Comprehensive trainings are provided by the experts in their fields in the following YEDAM Workshops.

- Crafts and Toy Workshops
- Gastronomy (culinary) Workshop
- Graphic Design Workshop
- Sports and Healthy Life Workshops







The Green Crescent has started Green Crescent Ambassadors project to collaborate with all sections of the society. As the first step, occupational groups where children and teenagers predominantly in relation with were determined for the project implemented in istanbul Bağcılar and Başakşehir. Craftsmen were requested to notify derelict buildings, kennels where alcohol is drunk and idle parks to 153 White Table. It was also requested from Green Crescent Ambassadors to guide individuals and their relatives abusing drug and alcohol to local authorities to get support and to guide the ones demanding to get treatment to YEDAM.

As of 2017, the project implemented through Green Crescent branches in the districts of İstanbul shall be widespread all over Turkey.



Workplace Improvement Program



The Green Crescent, have implement Improving Business Life (IYI) program to create a healthy working environment and contribute motivation of employees. It is aimed to design training and activity programs for companies and employees within the project, to increase performance and efficiency of employees and to create a healthier and happier workplace profile in the context of informing studies regarding mentally and physically harmful addictions.



Green Detector Mobile Application



Green Detector mobile application is a mobile application aiming at decreasing violation of enterprises and customers violating tobacco products use indoor. Green Detector has been developed to ensure the ban of tobacco products use indoor is respected, to create awareness within society for violations and to protect rights of people who do not use tobacco products and raise their awareness on their legal rights.

This mobile application aiming at decreasing violations of enterprises and customers can be used by downloading to smart phone or tablet. Statements made through choosing location and ground on application are directed to audit system of the Ministry of Health and reaches to area inspection team. Area inspection teams go to ground where there is violation and perform inspections and required proceedings.



Zümrüdüanka Awards



Individuals who serve as a model to society by their lives, have a power to effect the youth positively and having fight against addictions all through their lives, and institutions and organizations supporting this fight, are rewarded with Zümrüdüanka Awards by a ceremony organized on Green Crescent week.







The Healthy Generation and Healthy Future Contest

A competition of story, poster, comics, composition, discussion and slogan on the subject of "Addiction" is organized by the Green Crescent and İstanbul Provincial Directorate of National Education since 2011 in the context of "Healthy Generation, Healthy Future".

Competitions have been organized on discussion, story, poster, painting, composition, slogan, caricature fields to ensure primary, middle and high school students are grown in a conscious way against bad habits, to make negative and corruptive effects of cigarette, alcohol, drug and internet addiction are comprehended, to ensure that they have knowledge on activities of Green Crescent. It has been implemented all over Turkey since 2016 through Green Crescent branches. 33,873 students from 8377 schools applied to the competition with their works in 2018.





International Green Crescent Cartoon Contest



The competition organized to draw attention of public and particularly the youth on addiction and to make them think on this issue has attracted intensive attention.

With International Green Crescent Caricature Competition; it is aimed to draw attention to addiction via humor and its global language caricature, to create awareness and so to ensure that public and particularly the youth consider about addiction and develop reflexes.

414 cartoonists from 51 countries including USA, Brazil, Mexico, European Countries, Indonesia, China, Australia and Middle East attended the 3rd International Green Crescent Cartoon Contest with 878 cartoons in 2019.



ACTIVITIES





1-7 March Green Crescent Week



Various activities are organized to create awareness in Green Crescent Week celebrated all over the country every year on 1-7 March. Festival spaces are founded on city squares and activities for children, exhibitions, competitions and interviews are organized. İstanbul being in the first place, all the Turkey take place in fight of Green Crescent by bicycle tours and joggings for health, and say NO to addiction.





31 May World Non-Cigarette Day

Several activities are held all across Turkey by Green Crescent and its branches on May 31, the day World Health Organization has declared as World No Tobacco Day. Damages of tobacco on human health and studies of Green Crescent are explained on stands set up in the squares.



26 June Fight Against Drugs Day



On this day declared as International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking by United Nations, various activities are held in the squares along with Narcotic Crime Control Bureau, and the public is informed regarding substance addiction.



FINANCIAL SUPPORT PROGRAMS





Young Green Crescent Financial Support Program



With Young Green Crescent Financial Support Program developed in accordance with targets and priorities on corporate strategical plan within the frame of Green Crescent's fight against addiction understanding, it is aimed that University Green Crescent Clubs take active roles on fight against addiction



The Youth Financial Support Program

The Green Crescent supports the youth projects in the context of activities for fight against substance addiction. Effective and distinctive projects of Nongovernmental organizations and universities which contribute to fight against substance addiction are provided support.



Fight Against Addictiveness Financial Support Program



Preventive-based innovative projects are supported within the project. The purpose of this program is to create local and international good practice examples on the youth and defined target groups, and to create awareness by adequate informing.



Postgraduate Thesis Research Scholarship Program

Scholarship is awarded to graduate and doctoral students for the purpose of getting scientific data to constitute source for studies on addictions, and to contribute development of qualified people source on this field.



Country Green Crescents Financial Support Program

It is a support program aiming at improving capacities of country Green Crescents and getting grant supports from Green Crescents for studies they have carried out in their countries on fight against addiction.

SCIENTIFIC WORKS

Politikaları ve Halk Sağlığı
Sempozyumu

International Symposium
On Drug Policy And
Public Health

nd

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STANBUL 26-27 KASIM IN O V E M B E R





Global Alcohol Policies Symposium

26 - 27 April 2013





3rd International Technology Addiction Congress

3-4 May 2016



2nd International Symposium on Drug Policy and Public Health



26-27 November 2018



4th International Technology Addiction Congress

27 - 28 November 2017



Green Crescent Academy



Green Crescent Academy arranges training programs for the purpose of eliminating deficiency of society based struggle, basing upon deficiencies of studies on struggle against addiction in Turkey and scientific practices on this field. It is aimed to ensure common language on addiction field, to present current scientific information and to increase information, skill and capacities of companies and people working in the field.

All contents prepared through scientific approach by Green Crescent Science Board are also ensured continuity via new-generation training means such as virtual classes within remote training system.

ADDICTA THE TURKISH JOURNAL ON ADDICTIONS

addicta.com.tr

ADDICTA Journal

Addicta: The Turkish Journal on Addictions, is refereed journal broadcasting on addiction. On Addicta, studies discussing the issue of addiction in terms of theoretic and providing practical expansions on addiction take place. In this context, unique researches from various disciplines, experimental and clinical studies, political analyses, case notifications, book evaluations are broadcasted.



Turkey Addiction Archive



Turkey addiction Archive has been prepared to contribute studies on permanent an effective solutions for addiction issues and to meet bibliography needs of researchers on addiction field in Turkey. 6500 identity tags, 6437 works are available on **bagimlilik.org.tr**

By this online archive, researchers are provided:

- Easier access to demanded data by detailed search opportunity,
- Direct access to works such as thesis, article, report provided in PDF form on virtual environment,
- Continues improvement of addiction bibliography opportunity thanks to identity tag add and feedback features.

THE YOUTH COUNCIL





The Youth Council



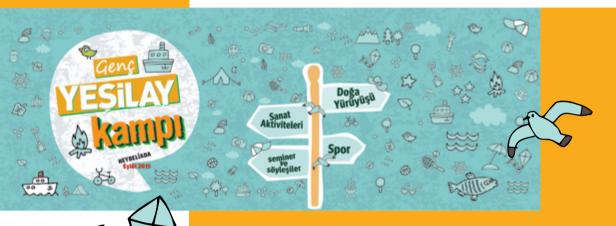
The pioneer team in fights with addictions, the Young Green Crescent, continues its activities all over Turkey through the clubs it has founded in about 110 universities.

Besides activities such as trainings, workshops, photo club and English speaking club, activities such as running, joggings, bicycle tours and dragon boat races are also organized all trough the year.





Camps



The youth coming together in the camps organized each year and turning their ideas into project, have opportunity to realize them thanks to support of the Green Crescent.

The camps organized to ensure awareness, belonging and motivation of Young Nephalists, to increase experience of the team aim to increase number of university clubs and volunteers.

Moreover, addiction trainings are given in scout camps organized by Young Green Crescent volunteers each year.



GREEN CRESCENT PUBLICATIONS





Green Crescent Publications



YEŞİLA**Y**AYINLARI

To create awareness and increase conscious level by putting forward scientific studies on fight against addiction that is activity area of the Green Crescent.

101 Soruda Bağımlılık Prof. Dr. Kültegin Ögel

Dijital EbeveynlikMahmut Yay

İnternet Bağımlılığı
"Ne Bilmeliyiz, Ne Yapmalıyız"
Klinik Psikolog Mehmet Dinc

Apaçi Gençlik Ömer Miraç Yaman

Türkiye'de Uyuşturucu Madde Bağımlılığı Önleme, Tedavi ve Rehabilitasyon Çalıştayı

Tütün Kontrolü ve Ticaret İhtilafı

Sebahattin Kuş

Yeşilay Diyor ki!

Prof. Dr. M. İhsan Karaman

Milli Mücadele Yıllarında Bir Yasak Denemesi: Men-i Müskirat (İçki Yasağı) Kanunu ve Toplumsal Hayata Yansımaları

Doç. Dr. Uğur Üçüncü

Türkiye Kimyasal Bağımlılık Çalışmaları Bibliyografyası Türkiye Davranışsal Bağımlılık Çalışmaları Bibliyografyası İnternetin Bilinçli Kullanımı ve Teknoloji Bağımlılığı Çalıştayı Raporu



Child Books

- 1. Yeşilcan'la Sağlıklı Yaşam
- 2. Yeşilcan'la Teknoloji
- 3. Yeşilcan'la Sokak Oyunları



TBM Training Books

- 1. TBM Anaokulu Serisi
- 2. TBM İlkokul Serisi
- 3. TBM Ortaokul Serisi
- 4. TBM Lise Serisi
- 5. TBM Yetişkin Serisi





Yeşilay Magazine

YEŞİLAY market yesilaymarket.com

Green Crescent Magazine has been published incessantly since 1925, covering the areas of health, education and culture and features the unique magazine on addictions field in Turkey. The deepest rooted health and life magazine Green Crescent Magazine, is edited out each month through articles of specialists on addictions field and interviews made with specialists. Besides articles as of current news, advice and informing, interviews on culture-art, cinema, books, theater, hobbies, gastronomy, travel and sport advertisements also take place on the magazine.





Mavi Kırlangıç Green Crescent Child Magazine

Mavi Kırlangıç magazine, 229 issues of which have been issued since 1969, resumes its broadcast life today under the name of "Yeşilay Çocuk Mavi Kırlangıç (Green Crescent Child Mavi Kırlangıç)". On the magazine addressing to 6 - 11 ages, issues such as healthy life, nutrition, hygiene, sport, improving skills to prevent addictions are handled through Yesilcan character.







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