Uses of Medical Marijuana
(as stated in Arizona statute 36-2801)

- Cancer
- Glaucoma
- HIV(+)
- AIDS
- Hepatitis C
- Chronic or debilitating disease or medical condition or its treatment that causes one or more of the following:
  - Cachexia or wasting syndrome
  - Severe and chronic pain
  - Severe nausea
  - Seizures characteristic of epilepsy or severe and persistent muscle spasms, including those characteristic of multiple sclerosis
- Lou Gehrig’s disease/Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis
- Crohn’s disease
- Agitation of Alzheimer’s disease

Side Effects*
Possible negative side effects from smoking or eating marijuana are listed below. If you have any of these side effects, call the Poison and Drug Information Center at 1-800-222-1222 for instructions.

Neurologic
- Anxiety
- Difficulty walking
- Dizziness
- Drowsiness
- Slurred speech
- Disorientation
- Loss of consciousness
- Depression
- Lack of motivation
- Paranoia
- Panic disorder
- Headaches
- Memory problems
- Mood swings
- Hallucinations

Lungs
- Coughing or wheezing
- Shortness of breath

Heart
- Dizziness (or low blood pressure) when rising
- Increase or decrease in heart rate
- Heart arrhythmias (rare)

Stomach/Intestinal
- Increased appetite
- Dry mouth
- Pancreatitis (rare)

Muscles
- Tremors/shaking

Kidney
- Difficulty urinating

Eyes
Changes in vision: pupils get smaller in adults and larger in children

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Using Marijuana with Other Drugs*

As with any medication, marijuana may interact with other drugs you are taking. In some cases, these reactions may be severe. Use medical marijuana cautiously, and call your doctor or the poison center if you have any of the following symptoms when using the drugs below.

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