

The image features a background of crumpled aluminum foil, which is highly reflective and textured. The top portion of the image is dominated by the silver, metallic sheen of the foil. At the bottom, there is a horizontal band of bright, glowing orange and yellow flames, suggesting a fire or heat source. The word "crack" is written in a clean, white, sans-serif font, positioned in the upper right quadrant of the image, overlapping the foil texture.

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THE FACTS: CRACK

Sometimes called Stones, Bones, Pebbles, Scud, Rock, Wash, Freebase

What it looks like:

Comes in the form of small off-white 'rocks' or lumps.

The Risks:

- Craving more crack makes it a very expensive habit and this can lead to debt or turning to crime to pay for it.
- Smoking Crack can damage the lungs and make breathing difficult.
- Overdosing on crack can lead to heart failure.

How it's used:

Smoked in an ordinary pipe or heated in tin foil.

The Law:

Crack as a form of cocaine is classified as a Class A drug. Having or using Cocaine can lead to 7 years in prison and/or an unlimited fine. Supplying Cocaine (which includes passing it on to a friend) is punishable by up to life imprisonment and/or an unlimited fine. Getting a criminal record can make it more difficult to travel abroad or get certain jobs.

The Effects:

- Crack has the same short-lived effects as cocaine but they're much stronger
- Feeling alert and energetic
- Feeling confident and powerful
- Craving (more and more is needed to get the same effect)
- Aching head and body
- Feeling irritable
- Increased breathing rate
- Raised blood pressure and heart rate
- Sleeplessness
- Tiredness and depression

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