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Titolo	Drug Addiction Mechanisms in the Brain
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ISBN	9789815223828 9815223828
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (90 pages)
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Soggetti	Drug addiction Neuropharmacology
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Nota di contenuto	Cover -- Title -- Copyright -- End User License Agreement -- Contents -- Preface -- Cocaine and its Effects on the Brain -- INTRODUCTION -- Cocaine in Brain -- Effects of Cocaine on Brain Cells -- Cocaine at the Synapse -- Cocaine and Genetic Changes in Brain -- CONCLUSION -- REFERENCES -- Heroin and its Effects on the Brain -- INTRODUCTION -- Heroin and the Brain -- Action of Heroin on Mu-opioid Receptors -- CONCLUSION -- REFERENCES -- MDMA (3,4-methylenedioxy-methamphetamine) -- INTRODUCTION -- Norepinephrine (NE) and MDMA -- Antioxidant and Signalling Pathways and MDMA -- Non-human, Primates, and MDMA Effects -- Mitochondria and MDMA -- MDMA and Hippocampus -- Inflammatory Cytokines and MDMA -- CONCLUSION -- REFERENCES
Sommario/riassunto	Drug Addiction Mechanisms in the Brain explores the fascinating world of drug substances and their effects on the brain. This book provides a comprehensive overview of the ten major substances that contribute to drug addiction Information about each substance is presented in a

specific chapter, shedding light on their biochemical mechanisms and physiological effects. From the stimulating effects of cocaine to the sedative properties of heroin, and the hallucinogenic experiences induced by LSD, the book takes the reader through the intricate pathways of addiction. Other substances covered in the book include alcohol, nicotine, MDMA, METH, morphine, ketamine, and fentanyl. Readers will gain an understanding about neurochemical alterations in the brain Anyone looking for interesting knowledge about the addictive nature of common drugs and their complex interplay with the brain will find this book informative. Readership Researchers, healthcare professionals, counsellors and general readers.

2.	Record Nr.	UNINA9910971591903321
	Autore	Miller Hugh T (Hugh Theodore), <1953->
	Titolo	Postmodern public policy / / Hugh T. Miller
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	Soggetti	Political planning - United States
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	Nota di contenuto	Front Matter -- Contents -- Preface -- The System and its Nemesis -- The Mutation of Meaning -- Idea Contagion -- Contextualism -- Policy Inquiry -- Democratic Discourse -- References -- Index
	Sommario/riassunto	Postmodern Public Policy introduces new ways of investigating the urgent difficulties confronting the public sector. The second half of the twentieth century saw approaches to public administration, public policy, and public management dominated by technical-instrumental

thought that aspired to neutrality, objectivity, and managerialism. This form of social science has contributed to a public sector where policy debates have been reduced to "bumper-sticker" slogans, a citizenry largely alienated and distant from government, and analysis that ignores history and context and eschews the lived experiences of actual people. Hugh T. Miller brings together the latest thinking from epistemology, evolutionary theory, and discourse theory in an accessible and useful manner to emphasize how a postmodern approach offers the possibility of well-considered, pragmatic solutions grounded in political pluralism and social interaction between public service professionals and community members.