

Pilot Study- Court Ordered First Time Offender Marijuana Class

Pre-test/Post-test

- Pre-test range 4-76
- Average score 43
- Post-test range 70-100
- Average score 91
- Average point gain 48 points

Sample Description

- N= 72
- Males 51
- Females 21

Age Range

- Age range 18 years to 57 years of age

Education Range

- College Graduates 6
- Some College 10
- High School Diploma 24
- Some High School 12
- GED 7

- * Estimated illiterate 8

Marital Status

- Married 10
- Single 50
- Divorced/Separated 2

Children

- Range 0-4
- Responded 59
- 21 report having 1 child or more

Race

- White 36
- African/American 7
- American Indian 7
- Pacific Islander 2
- Listed more than 1 race 2
- Hispanic 1

Religion

- 26 reported a religious affiliation

Recidivism

- Recidivism is defined in that a participant has received a new drug charge since completing the court ordered marijuana course.

Recidivism Rate

- Of the 72 participants, 3 reoffended. This group had a 4% recidivism rate.