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Dear Sir/Madam,

Universities should take the pro-active steps not only to make the youth live a healthy life but also stay away from the addiction of intoxicants which are spreading in the modern world. The youth are becoming highly dependent on drugs and substances which are not only ruining their academic career but it is a financial burden on their families. It is the moral duty of the educational institutions and the University Grants Commission to make students aware of the ill-effects of drug addiction. Media has already made adequate inroads educating our youth specially the ill effects of tobacco which has become a major cause of oral cancer and excessive intake of alcohol which is the cause of death and failure of vital organs and also the major cause of road accidents.

I am sure your university has incorporated informative inputs on aspects of these maladies in curricula of programmes offered at various levels. Apart from this, organizing orientation programmes especially targeting freshers would serve as an effective instrument of positively structuring their experience of higher education. Institutions may also use opportunities like annual day, cultural festivals and even convocation days to underscore the ills of addition in symbolic as well as material ways. You are requested to act upon the above suggestions, circulate this communication to all the colleges affiliated to your university and set up a mechanism to ensure compliance in this regard.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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