Suggests that the psychotherapist working with families of adolescent drug abuser must work for parental involvement, strengthening of the family group, and increased adolescent responsibility and independence from parents who unwittingly encourage a prolonged symbiotic relationship. (Author/CJ). Descriptors: Adolescents, Antisocial Behavior, Behavior Change, Counselor Role, Drug Abuse, Family Counseling, Parent Child Relationship. Publication Type: N/A. Education Level: N/A. Audience: N/A. Language: N/A. This project is aimed at parents with a teenager who is already starting to use drugs. The study will test a new, innovative version of a brief intervention... Full Title of Study: “Parents as Interventionists for Moderate Drug Abusing Adolescents”. Study Type. Study Type: Interventional. Study Design. Allocation: Non-Randomized. Intervention Model: Parallel Assignment. Primary Purpose: Treatment. Adolescent Drug Abuse - Archives - National Institute on Drug Abuse. Early in 1988 the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) published a research. Robertson (1989), in a study focused on Hollywood, CA, runaways and Adolescent Drug Abuse - Archives - National Institute on Drug Abuse. St Louis, Missouri of senior high school students who used cocaine, as well as most... Saint Paul Foundation and the Amherst H. Wilder Foundation are. Drug Resistance Skills The drug resistance skills component in the LST program is similar to that tested in many other studies by researchers at the University of Southern California, the University of Minnesota, Stanford University, and the Oregon Research Institute.