BUGS
ALL OVER YOUR BODY!

WHEN ON METH, YOU WILL BELIEVE THE UNREAL.

Nothing can be creepier than the feeling of bugs crawling under your skin or bugs crawling up your hands and legs. You're disgusted at the thought of it and want them off. You pick at your skin, feeling for bugs, trying to get rid of them. **Except, the bugs aren't there**.

Delusional parasitosis or "crank bugs" is one of the more common mental delusions caused by Methamphetamine. Abusers often hallucinate that bugs are creeping up on or beneath their skin. They will pick and scratch their skin, wanting to get rid of imaginary bugs. As a result, their face, arms and legs are covered with open sores that could get infected.

Sounds bad? Methamphetamine does more harm to one's health than just rashes.

YOUR MIND ON METH

Heavy abuse of Methamphetamine leads to problems such as irritability, fatigue, anxiety, insomnia, delusion, violent rages and depression. Abusers may become psychotic and experience paranoia, mood disturbances. The paranoia can cause abusers to think about killing themselves or others. This is also known as entering a "drug psychosis".

YOUR BODY ON METH

Methamphetamine not only complicates the body's chemical structure causing mental disorder, it can also cause permanent damage to the heart, brain and lungs. Recent studies even showed higher incidence of Parkinson's disease among previous Methamphetamine abusers.

EVEN DENTISTS FEAR IT

Long-term abusers suffer from severe tooth decay problems also known as "meth mouth". These dental issues are caused by a combination of poor nutrition and oral hygiene as well as teeth grinding caused by Methamphetamine. It reduces the amount of protective saliva around the teeth causing teeth to eventually fall out.

PENALTIES

Abusing Methamphetamine comes at a high penalty too. Unauthorised possession or consumption of Methamphetamine upon conviction can carry imprisonment of up to 10 years or a fine of S$20,000 or both.

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METH MESSES WITH YOUR BODY AND MIND.