

# CLUB & DATE RAPE DRUGS



Top: Rohypnol  
Center: GHB  
Lower: Ketamine  
(source of images: Drug Enforcement Agency)

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF USE

Impaired judgment, slurred speech, sudden deep sleep, missing money, a sudden change in appearance and/or attitude, unexplained absences, change in friends, attending all night dance parties (raves) or clubs

## SHORT AND LONG-TERM EFFECTS

Short-term: loss of memory, deep sleep, impaired judgment, loss of inhibitions, nausea, vomiting, increased blood pressure, hallucinations

Long-term: addiction, coma, seizures, frequent flashbacks

## STREET NAMES

Rohypnol—Forget Pill, Roach, Roche, Roofenol, Roofies, R2  
GHB—Grievous Bodily Harm, Georgia Home Boy, Easy Lay, Liquid Ecstasy, G  
Ketamine—Special K, Super K, Ket, K-hole

## HOW IT'S USED

Rohypnol—Swallowed in pill form or after it dissolves in a beverage  
GHB—Swallowed in pill form  
Ketamine—Smoked with marijuana/tobacco or injected

## WHY IT'S DANGEROUS

Many people believe that using club and date rape drugs is harmless, but that is untrue. All of these drugs have the potential to kill someone from an overdose or by other means such as choking on their own vomit, and they may cause someone to slip into a coma. These drugs are usually used among young people. Also, people must be careful who they are with and what they are doing to prevent someone from giving them the drug without their knowledge and then being taken advantage of.

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