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SUBSTANCE USE AND "LOSS OF CONTROL"

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Problems with alcohol and other drug use are sometimes considered to be a "disease". What are the relative benefits and disadvantages of saying that a person is "powerless over alcohol"?

How can the issue of problematic substance use be managed within Existential Therapy? Anders Bergmark, Lars Oscarsson, and Herbert Fingarette have all contributed to an improved understanding of "addictive behaviour."

What is the role of medications in the management of Opioid Use Disorder?

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