

Country factsheet



Brazil

45/100 USE OF EXTREME SENTENCING AND RESPONSES

• 20/100 PROPORTIONALITY OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESPONSE

9/100 HEALTH AND HARM REDUCTION

31/100 AVAILABILITY OF AND ACCESS TO INTERNATIONALLY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES FOR THE RELIEF OF PAIN AND SUFFERING

N/A DEVELOPMENT

median from the 30 countries

ABSENCE OF EXTREME SENTENCING AND RESPONSES

Death penalty	100	
Extrajudicial killings	0	
Militarised policing	0	
Life sentencing	100	
Non-consensual confinement	25	

PROPORTIONALITY OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESPONSE

Human rights violations	33	
Equity of impact of criminal justice response	0	
Mandatory minimum sentencing and pre-trial detention	37	
Alternatives to arrest, prosecution, conviction and punishment	44	
Extent of imprisonment of individuals involved in non-violent drug-related offences	0	
Decriminalisation	0	

HEALTH AND HARM REDUCTION

Extent to which state policy prioritises harm reduction for people who use drugs	14	
Harm reduction funding	0	
Harm reduction intervention availability and coverage	2	
Equity of access to harm reduction services	24	

AVAILABILITY OF AND ACCESS TO INTERNATIONALLY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES FOR PAIN RELIEF

Policy prioritisation of availability and accessibility of controlled medicines fo of pain and suffering	r the relief
De facto availability and accessibility of controlled medicines for the relief of pain	and suffering
Equity of Access to controlled medicines for the relief of pain and suffering	



DEVELOPMENT

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Alternative development policy design	n/a	
Management of crop eradication	n/a	
Efficacy of alternative development policy for key beneficiaries	n/a	

'[People from] the middle and upper classes receive one treatment, while in the favela you can be murdered at any time because the favela is considered a "territory of trafficking". I'm affected by this war daily. Every day, and most of the time, there is always an atmosphere of apprehension and anguish. People are always in mourning, there is always a neighbour who has had a child murdered. And then the favela goes all silent; because it's in mourning'

~Dayana Rosa, Adviser of the Brazilian Network for Harm Reduction and Human Rights (REDUC)