

## 27<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice

Vienna, 14-18 May 2018



## MENTAL HEALTH IN PRISON

Thursday 17 May 2018 | 09:00 - 09:50  
Conference Room M2



The purpose of this side event is to raise awareness on the importance of promoting mental health in prison settings, reflecting the general impact which the deprivation of liberty has on individuals as well as the typical profile of prison populations. Next to general interventions aimed at providing psycho-social support to prisoners, the side event will equally consider issues related to the lack of appropriate treatment and care for people suffering from mental health issues in contact with the criminal justice system, including cases of co-morbidity with substance use disorders. It will be the occasion for UNODC, Member States and non-governmental organizations to present and discuss findings, recent activities and concrete initiatives undertaken on this topic.

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