

Every day I see the hapless drug addicts on our street in Portland.

Folks need a nudge to get treatment. I think using gross cache phrases such as “don’t criminalize” ignores the fact that these folks need encouragement to go to drug treatment.

It’s inhumane to continue our current policy even it it fits professional “harm reduction” ideology.

Help these people.

Make drug possession of hard drugs a misdemeanor that can be avoided by entering treatment,

Regards,  
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