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As a Transit bus operator I have seen first hand riders in the back of my bus holding tin foil and glass pipes, trying to hide under blankets of coats to get there fix. It causes a number of safety issues for the driver as I am watching them to see what they do next instead of giving 100% attention on the road. For riders it discourages people from riding the bus because they don't want to be exposed to whatever it is they are using.