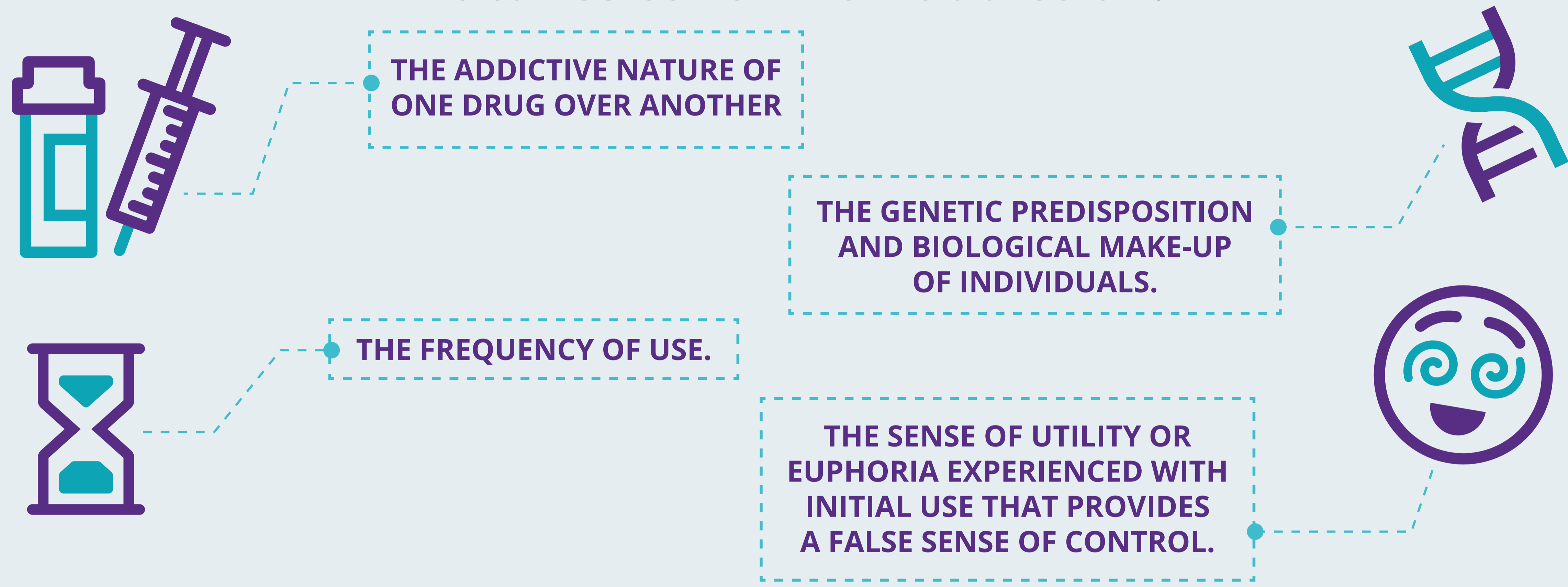


HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO DEVELOP AN ADDICTION?

ADDICTION TIMELINE FACTORS

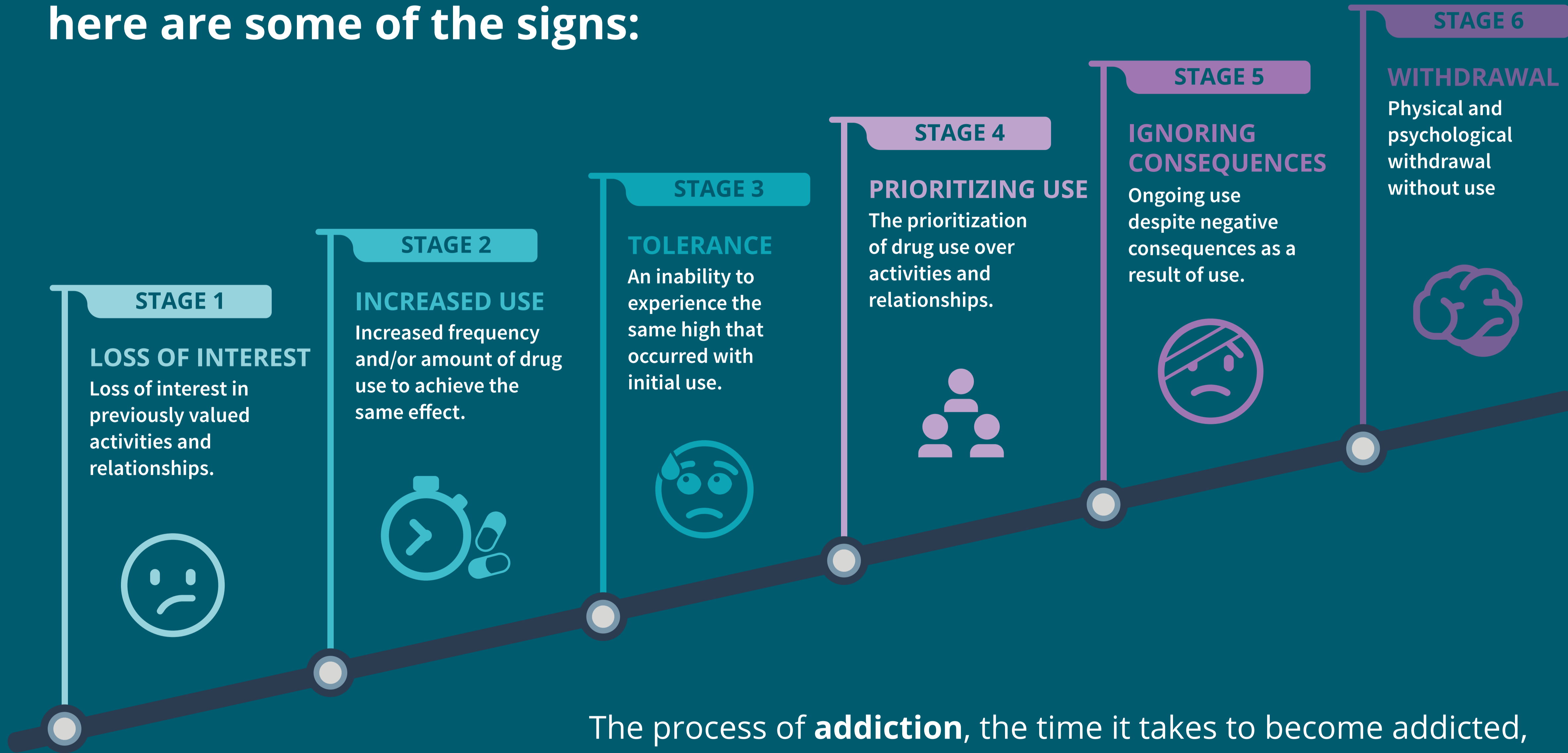
There is no prescribed drug addiction timeline. The response to drugs and the time it takes to develop an addiction can vary.

Here are some factors that play a role in the amount of time it takes to form an addiction:



STAGES OF ADDICTION

Whatever the timeline may be, there are signs that may indicate drug addiction. Although not all-inclusive, here are some of the signs:



The process of **addiction**, the time it takes to become addicted, and the impact of drugs on the brain can occur with one use or with repeated use.