THC Hyperemesis:
THC hyperemesis can often be refractory to typical antiemetics such as ondansetron [1]. Studies have shown improvement in symptoms with medications such as topical capsaicin cream and low-dose haloperidol [2]. Patients should know that the only cure is cessation of THC use.

Intoxication:
Intoxication is treated supportively and usually lasts 3-5 hours. THC edibles can delay onset and resolution. THC raises sympathetic tone, which often increases heart rate and blood pressure. THC should be considered in patients with undifferentiated psychosis. Agitation is typically treated with benzodiazepines [3].

Dependence:
THC can be addictive and patients desiring support with substance use can be referred to local resources or the national substance use disorder hotline: 1-800-662-4357 FINDTREATMENT.GOV

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