

Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)



Physical and emotional neglect/abuse



Domestic violence



Sexual abuse



Parent using alcohol and other drugs



Loss of parent to death or incarceration



Parent suffering with mental health problems



The long-term effects of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) such as harmful substance use, mental health problems and physical health issues costs Ireland **2% of GDP** - around **€7billion annually**.

ACES ARE LINKED TO PROBLEMS ACROSS THE LIFESPAN:



Chronic health issues



Mental health problems



Risky behaviours



Early death



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