

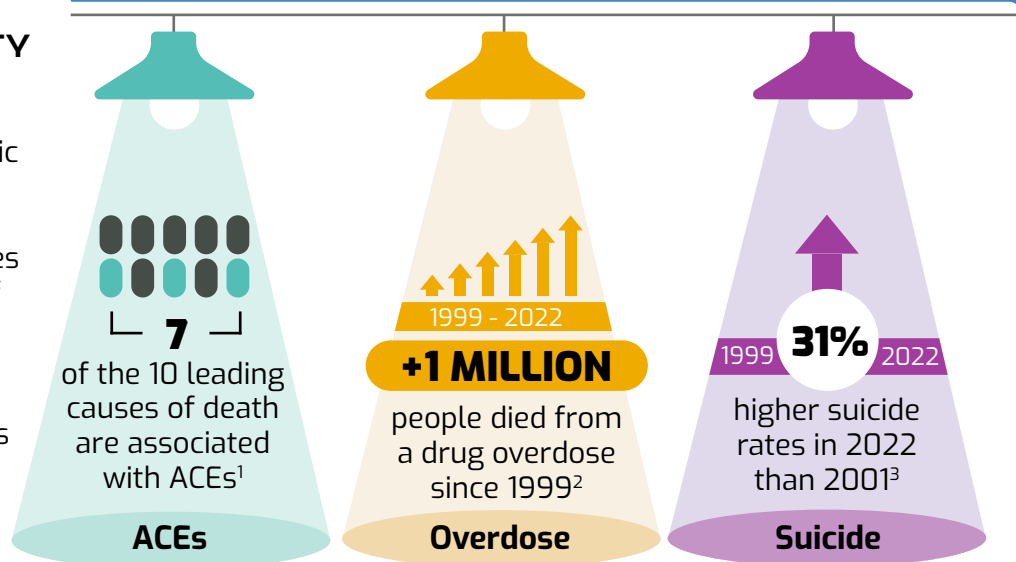
ADDRESS IT TODAY. PREVENT IT TOMORROW.

We can reduce the generational impact of adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), overdose, and suicide.

URGENT IN EVERY COMMUNITY

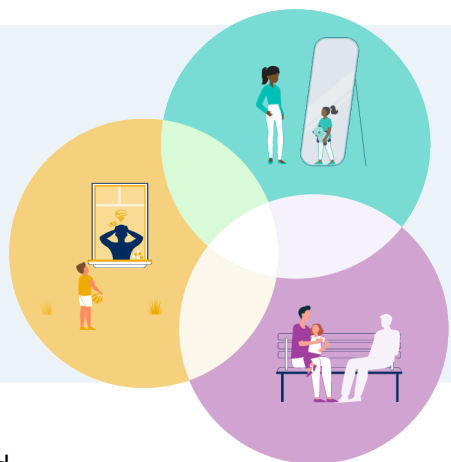
ACEs, overdose, and suicide are critical and growing public health challenges.

While these health challenges have consequences for all of us, some communities are more affected than others due to systemic barriers, like racism, or a lack of resources and opportunities.



RELATED TO EACH OTHER

ACEs, overdose, and suicide are related since preventing or addressing any one of these issues...




...decreases the risk of the others. In this way, we create more fair and full opportunities for everyone to be healthy now and for generations to come.

PREVENTABLE IF WE ACT NOW

We can prevent ACEs, overdose, and suicide by building on community strengths and aligning policies and programs to address inequities contributing to health disparities.

-  **Increase Understanding** of the causes and impact
-  **Engage in Broad Movement** of change agents in their communities
-  **Invest in Research** to better understand what works, why, and for whom
-  **Implement Successful Strategies** that are adapted for specific cultural contexts

Prevention benefits us all:

-  Increased economic productivity
-  Lower healthcare costs
-  More effective programs and services
-  Longer life span



¹ <https://www.cdc.gov/aces/about/index.html>
² <https://www.cdc.gov/overdose-prevention/about/index.html>
³ <https://www.cdc.gov/suicide/facts/index.html>