

*Adverse Childhood Experiences*

Risk factors for people with 4 or more ACEs  
compared to people without ACEs

*Research conducted by the CDC & Kaiser Permanente*

Risk Factors:	% Increase:
Alcoholism	555%
Injected Drug Use	1,133%
Illicit Drug Use	443%
Smoking	242%
Depression	357%
Obesity	222%
STD	298%
Attempted Suicide	1,525%

People with six or more ACEs died nearly 20 years  
earlier on average than those without ACEs

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*The adverse childhood (ACE) study*

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