# Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph Childhood Experiences and Health Outcomes Survey

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### **ACEs**

#### **ABUSE**

#### **NEGLECT**

#### HOUSEHOLD DYSFUNCTION



**Physical** 



Physical



Mental Illness



**Incarcerated Relative** 



**Emotional** 



**Emotional** 



Mother treated violently



Substance Abuse

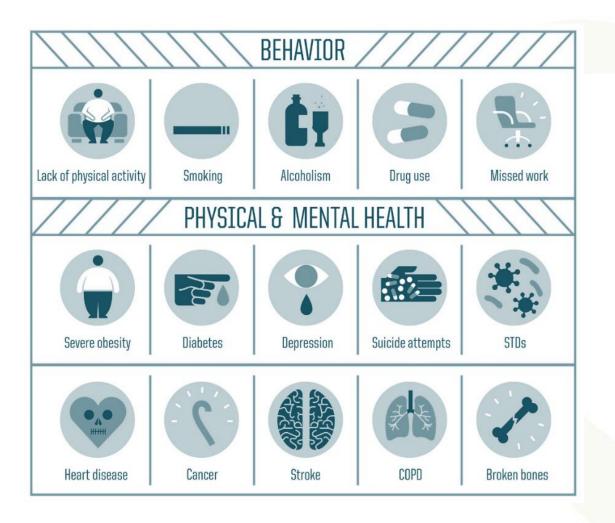


Sexual



Divorce

### **ACEs outcomes**



### **Survey Purpose**

- To examine the prevalence and distribution of ACEs in WDG in order to inform future program priorities and planning
- 2. To examine differences in ACE distribution among priority populations/ socio-demographic variables in order to inform potential targeted interventions
- 3. To support the collective impact activities of the Guelph-Wellington ACEs Coalition and other community groups (e.g. DuCK, DC Moves)
- 4. To raise awareness about ACEs in the general population of WDG
- 5. To support public health's work within a broader health system

### **Survey Content**

Module 1

ACEs Tool

Module 2

Resilience Tool

Module 3

Health Outcomes and Behaviours

Module 4

Demographics

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ACEs Tool

- Additional ACEs
  - Poverty in childhood (source TBD)
  - Bullying (Alberta ACEs Study)
- Other Factors?

Health Outcomes and Behaviours

- Diabetes
- Asthma
- COPD
- Heart Disease
- Mood disorders
   (depression, biopolar disorder, mania or dysthymia)
- STIs
- Alcohol abuse

- Smoking
- Drug abuse
- Physical inactivity
- Poor nutrition

Health Outcomes and Behaviours

#### Other health outcomes/ behaviour of interest

- Intimate partner violence?
- Pregnancy outcomes?
- Other?