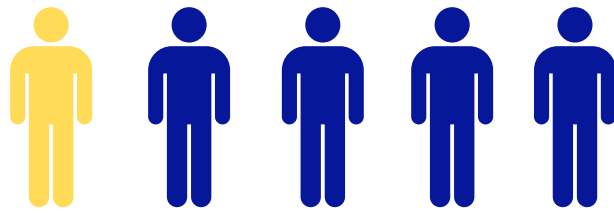




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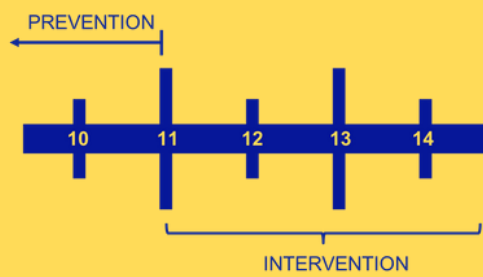
UNDERSTANDING THE IMPACTS FROM DRUG-ABUSING PARENTS



ONE OUT OF FIVE DRUG-ABUSING PARENT HAS A CHILD WHO CAME INTO CONTACT WITH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM



HAVING A DRUG-ABUSING MOTHER SIGNIFICANTLY INCREASES THE RISK OF THE CHILD OFFENDING



CRUCIAL AGE PERIOD FOR INTERVENTION IS BETWEEN 11 - 14 YEARS OLD
PREVENTION EFFORTS HAVE TO HAPPEN BEFORE 11 YEARS OLD



ABSENCE OF PARENTS AND LACK OF SUPERVISION ARE RISK FACTORS FOR THE CHILD

WHAT DO THESE FINDINGS MEAN?

KEY TAKEAWAYS



DRUG ABUSE HAS AN IMPACT ON THE FAMILY SYSTEM, BEYOND JUST THE ABUSER



IT IS IMPORTANT TO MITIGATE THE EFFECTS THAT DRUG ABUSE HAVE ON THE SECOND GENERATION



THE WORK WE DO CAN IMPACT THE NEXT GENERATION AND PREVENTING RE-OFFENDING HELPS BREAK THIS CYCLE!



TO BE MINDFUL NOT TO LABEL OR FURTHER STIGMATISE THE CHILDREN



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