

PEOPLE IMPACTED

When you combine the closing of mental health facilities with a war on drugs you get a huge prison population that disproportionately impacts people of color and people who suffer from a mental health and/or addiction disorder. You also get an enormous ripple effect on children who are the invisible victims of mass incarceration's impact on families.



A Devastating Ripple Effect

> **OVER** 20,000 **CHILDREN** in Colorado have a parent in state prison

THE TIME IS NOW

The time is now to transform drug policy, increase access to treatment, and repair the damage done to individuals, families and communities.

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Lifetime Likelihood of Imprisonment

BLACK MEN



1:17

LATINO MEN





Justice Involved People in Colorado

ADDICTION DISORDER

25% **SERIOUS MENTAL ILLNESS**

Source: The Sentencing Project