

How Illegal Drugs Can Ruin your Life

There are many ways that illegal drugs can ruin your life. They can make you unhealthy, affect the people around you, and get you in trouble.

I have first hand experience with the effect illegal drugs can have on a person's life. Five years ago, my cousin Steven died of a drug overdose. He was not your typical "druggo" type. He went to a private school in Asheville, on to college, and received a nursing degree. However, he lost his nursing license after becoming addicted to heroin. He went into rehab and was drug free for many years. He found himself still tempted by this demon and started hiding his drug use. His drug use ultimately killed him and orphaned his two small children. Steven lost his career, two wives, and in the end, his life. His children lost their daddy, and his parents lost their only son. Needless to say, they were devastated.

There are several things that should be understood about drug use. For one thing, they are highly addictive. The more you take, the more you want. They kill brain cells, damage organs, and shared needles can spread disease. Drug use can affect the people around you. Addiction impacts your judgment and often leads to a life of crime.

As you can see, illegal drugs can ruin your life. They make you unhealthy, hurt those around you, and get you in trouble. In all, drugs are very bad for you and can be deadly.