

WORK IS ABOUT MORE THAN MONEY

Public debate on work and employment tends to focus on economic outcomes, like wages, the Gross Domestic Product, and how much money we make as individuals and households.

BUT WORK IS ABOUT MORE THAN MONEY.

It has other benefits and challenges that cannot be measured by paycheques alone. The same goes for lack of work. In fact, it's time policy-makers paid attention to the fact that

LOSING A JOB IS ASSOCIATED WITH INCREASED ...



SELF-HARM OR
COMMIT SUICIDE

UNHEALTHY
LIFESTYLE
BEHAVIOURS,
CONTRIBUTING TO
THE DEVELOPMENT
OF HEART DISEASE
AND CANCER:



FAMILY CONFLICT
AND DIVORCE



DOMESTIC ABUSE
AND CHILD NEGLECT

Higher smoking rates

Higher alcohol and
substance abuse rates,
including opioid abuse

More sedentary lifestyles



INVOLVEMENT IN A
TRAFFIC ACCIDENT



ANTI-SOCIAL
BEHAVIOUR OR
CRIMINAL ACTIVITY

Business leaders and policy-makers need to take into account all the effects of joblessness,

NOT JUST THE FINANCIAL ONES.

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