



The Jacobs Center Research Seminar Series

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Pregnancy Loss - Stress, Investment, and Subsequent Children



Pregnancy loss, which affects about 1 in 4 pregnancies, is often a traumatic, although unacknowledged, event which may alter prenatal stress and investments in subsequent pregnancies. Using Norwegian registry data, we exploit the random nature of single, early miscarriages to examine the impact of previous pregnancy loss on maternal

investment, the birth and educational outcomes of subsequent children, and parental labor market outcomes. Pregnancy loss initially improves subsequent maternal investment and child outcomes, but effects dissipate over time.

Friday, November 4, 2022, 10:15 h

The talk will be held at Andreasstrasse 15, 8050 Zurich, AND 4.06 (4th floor)