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One of the worst things about the mass incarnation of the black community would be the stigma that goes behind. The stereotype of drug dealing and drug use creates a stigma around the community and instead of having a helping hand in the process it is straight to jail. With drug use it is like a monopoly. When a black person is caught it is straight to jail while everyone else gets to pass go and collect 200\$. With mass incarceration this also leads to a life of poverty because while in prison and after your opportunities are limited and the only option can lead to a life of crime. This becomes a generational problem because of the lack of opportunities and the cycle of poverty. This also leads many in the black community to be raised by just one parent or none which then leaves them at an even greater disadvantage. Also without having a male role model in the picture this creates an even greater disadvantage of younger african american boys. They see the older black population resorting to illegal activities after and just think they are destined to a life of crime which just keeps the cycle going. Without dual income parents this limits the opportunities for the family and for the kids. With for the local black economy if 1 and 4 that is taking out a major part of the work force and having to settle for the lowest of the income paying jobs because of being a felon. This increases the pay gap and does not allow money into the local community. Also with economics would be the selling of drugs such as weed. Now the local drug dealers who have been labeled a felon can not get a license once it becomes legal this allows the rich to open up the dispancerys and get even richer off of the product excluding people who were in the business when it was illegal.