

# Economic implications for bereaved carers: the unacknowledged costs of care

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# Economic constraints and opportunities

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- ◆ funeral arrangements and costs
- ◆ economic legacy of family care-giving
- ◆ changes in household income
- ◆ changes in budgeting patterns
- ◆ accommodation arrangements
- ◆ new economic roles and responsibilities

# Engaging with paid work

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- ◆ returning to a job
- ◆ entering or re-entering paid work
- ◆ changing direction or levels of activity

# Where does responsibility lie?

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- ◆ private matters
- ◆ public responsibilities
- ◆ employers' roles