A descriptive pilot survey of behavioural addictions in an adolescent secondary school population in Ireland

# Details

## Year

2020

## Scope

Local

## Countries

Ireland

## Type

Empirical research – Quantitative

## Methodologies

Survey

## Researched Groups

Children

## Children Ages

## Funder

None

## Has Formal Ethical Clearance

## Consents

Consent obtained from parents

## Informed Consent

Consent obtained

## Ethics

Ethical considerations and/or protocol mentioned in the research design

## Data Set Availability

Not mentioned

# Goals

"The aim of the present study was to evaluate the levels of possible internet addiction, gaming addiction, gambling addiction and associated mental health difficulties in a secondary school population in Ireland. An online survey containing questions related to internet addiction, gaming addiction, gambling addiction and associated mental health difficulties was administered to 234 secondary school adolescents . Participants were self-selecting and answered questions on the characteristics of each topic and screening questionnaires for addiction to each behaviour, as well as their respective effects on mental health"