

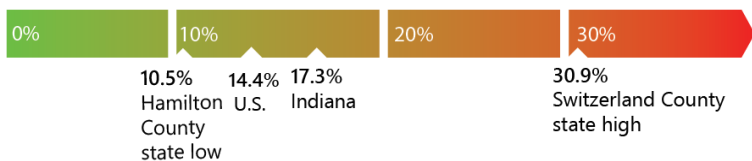
# The state of tobacco control Daviness County

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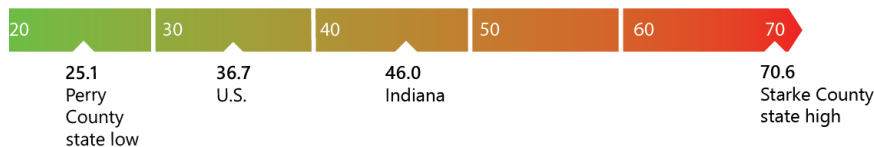
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## Tobacco and Health in Daviness County

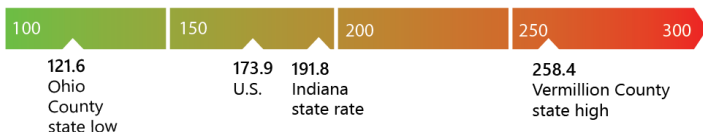
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **19.8%**



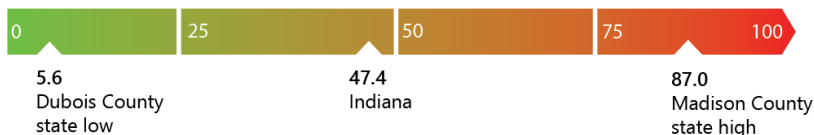
 **Lung cancer deaths**  
per 100,000 residents **43.8**



 **Heart disease deaths**  
per 100,000 residents **203.5**



 **Asthma related emergency room visits**  
per 100,000 residents **47.2**



## Tobacco Control Funding

**\$94,000**

Funding in Daviness County for July 2021-June 2023

**Total Population**  
**33,381**

White: 30,340  
Black: 638  
Hispanic: 2,103  
Asian: 133  
Other\*: 867



## Smoking and Pregnancy

**Births affected by smoking**  
*low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function* **50**

**Percent of pregnant women who smoke:**  
Indiana: **10.9%**  
Daviness County: **9.4%**



## Smoking deaths

**Deaths attributable to smoking**  
**55**

**Deaths due to secondhand smoke**  
**9**

**Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$10.8 Million**



**Smoking related illness**  
**1,638**



**\$6.1 billion**  
Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking

**\$903 per Indiana household**  
State and federal tax burden from smoking-caused government expenditures

\*Asian, Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, American Indians, and those identifying as multiple races. These racial groups are combined due to being underrepresented in Indiana.

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