

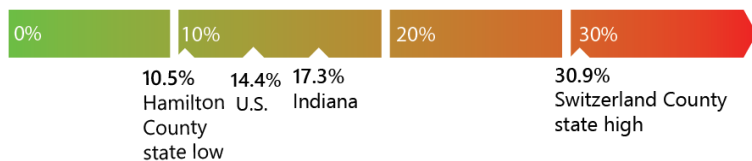
# The state of tobacco control Jackson County

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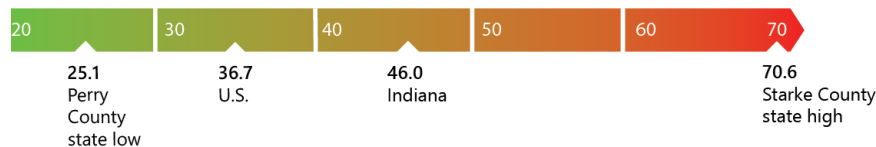
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## Tobacco and Health in Jackson County

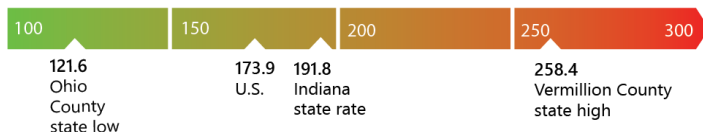
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **22.6%**



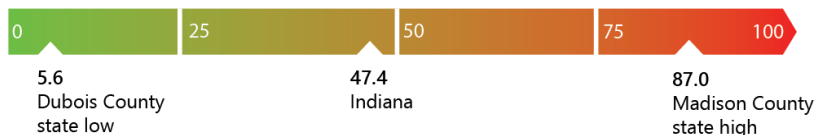
 **Lung cancer deaths**  
per 100,000 residents **52.1**



 **Heart disease deaths**  
per 100,000 residents **187.4**



 **Asthma related emergency room visits**  
per 100,000 residents **67.9**



## Tobacco Control Funding

**\$98,000**

Funding in Jackson County for July 2021-June 2023

**Total Population**  
**46,428**

White: 38,701  
Black: 501  
Hispanic: 6,251  
Asian: 471  
Other\*: 2,974



## Smoking and Pregnancy

**Births affected by smoking**  
*low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function* **111**

**Percent of pregnant women who smoke:**  
Indiana: **10.9%**  
Jackson County: **17.5%**



## Smoking deaths

**Deaths attributable to smoking**  
**76**

**Deaths due to secondhand smoke**  
**12**

**Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$15 Million**



**Smoking related illness**  
**2,278**



**\$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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