

# The state of tobacco control Jay County

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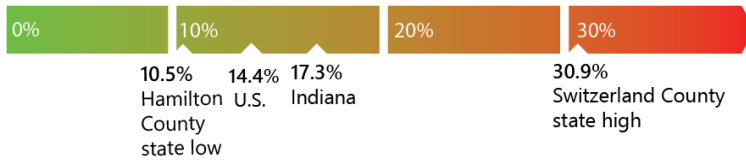
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## Tobacco and Health in Jay County



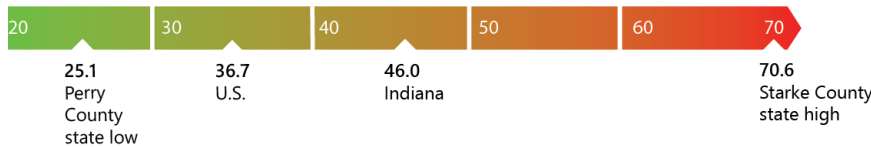
**Percent of adults who smoke**

**28.5%**



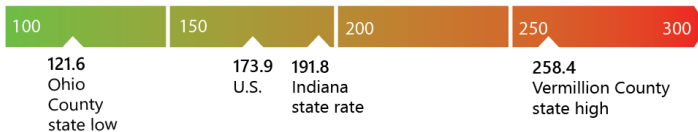
**Lung cancer deaths**  
per 100,000 residents

**51.2**



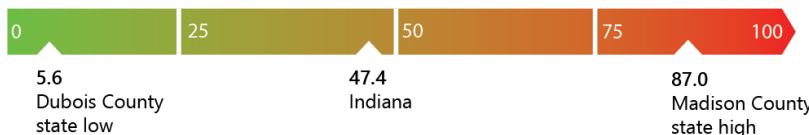
**Heart disease deaths**  
per 100,000 residents

**187.7**



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

**54.2**



## Tobacco Control Funding

**\$115,000**

Funding in Jay County for July 2021-June 2023



**\$6.1 billion**

Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking

**\$903 per Indiana household**

State and federal tax burden from smoking-caused government expenditures



**Smoking related illness**

**1,005**



**Smoking and Pregnancy**

**Births affected by smoking**

*low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function*

**49**

**Percent of pregnant women who smoke:**

Indiana: **10.9%**

Jay County: **16.4%**



**Smoking deaths**

Deaths attributable to smoking

**33**

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

**5**

Economic burden of secondhand smoke: **\$6.6 Million**

\*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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