The state of tobacco control in Ripley County

There is no tobacco control grant in Ripley County for 2021-2023.

### Tobacco and Health in Ripley County

**Percent of adults who smoke**

- 0%
- 10%
- 20%
- 30%
- 10.5% Hamilton County state low
- 14.0% U.S.
- 19.4% Indiana
- 30.9% Switzerland County state high

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

- 29.3 Hamilton County state low
- 34.8 U.S.
- 49.4 Indiana
- 79.2 Starke County state high

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

- 172.7 Ohio County state low
- 217.1 U.S.
- 239.6 Indiana state rate
- 344.8 Vermilion County state high

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

- 12.4 Franklin County state low
- 47.4 Indiana
- 87.0 Madison County state high

### Total Population

- White: 27,332
- Black: 82
- Hispanic: 541
- Asian: 188
- Other*: 243

### Smoking and Pregnancy

**Births affected by smoking**

- **low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function**

**Cost of smoking related births** $86,912

**Percent of pregnant women who smoke:**

- Indiana: **11.8%**
- Ripley County: **16.8%**

### Smoking deaths

**Deaths attributable to smoking**

- **47**

**Deaths due to secondhand smoke**

- **8**

**Economic burden of secondhand smoke:** $9.4 Million

### Smoking related illness

- **1,423**

### Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking

- **$6.1 billion**

### Economic cost per Indiana household

- **$903**

*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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