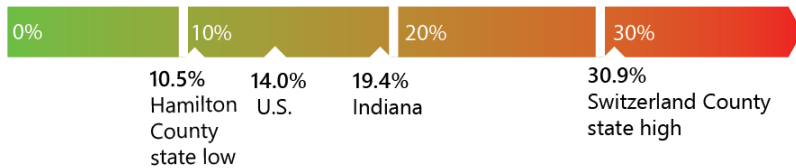


The state of tobacco control Starke County

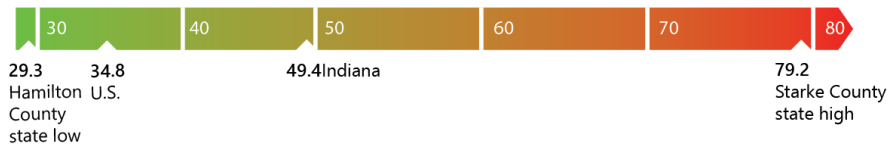
There is no tobacco control grant in Starke County for 2021-2023.

Tobacco and Health in Starke County

 **Percent of adults who smoke** **22.5%**



 **Lung cancer deaths** **79.2**
per 100,000 residents



 **Cardiovascular disease deaths** **306.7**
per 100,000 residents



 **Asthma related emergency room visits** **51.8**
per 100,000 residents



Total Population
23,371

White: 21,768
Black: 87
Hispanic: 902
Asian: 40
Other*: 242

 **Smoking and Pregnancy**

Births affected by smoking **52**
low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

Cost of smoking related births **\$70,616**

Percent of pregnant women who smoke:
Indiana: **11.8%**
Starke County: **19.6%**

 **Smoking deaths**

Deaths attributable to smoking **38**

Deaths due to secondhand smoke **6**

Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$7.6 Million

 **Smoking related illness** **1,147**



\$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.