**The state of tobacco control**
**Union County**

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

### Tobacco and Health in Union County

#### Percent of adults who smoke

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

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

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

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### Total Population

- White: 6,789
- Black: 21
- Hispanic: 74
- Asian: 33
- Other*: 41

#### Total Population

- **7,087**

### Smoking and Pregnancy

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

#### Estimate

- **20**

- **Cost of smoking related births**
  - **$27,160**

- **Percent of pregnant women who smoke**
  - Indiana: **11.8%**
  - Union County: **Unavailable**

### Smoking deaths

- **Deaths attributable to smoking**
  - **12**

- **Deaths due to secondhand smoke**
  - **2**

- **Economic burden of secondhand smoke:**
  - **$2.3 Million**

### Smoking related illness

- **348**

### Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking

- **$6.1 billion**

**$903 per Indiana household**

State and federal tax burden from smoking-caused government expenditures

*Updated September 2021*