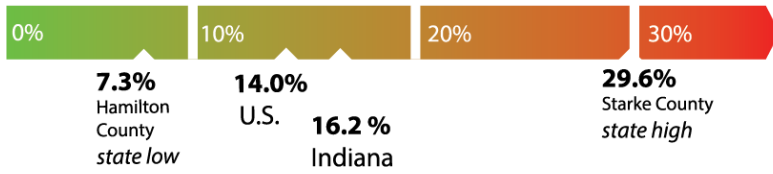


# The state of tobacco control in Cass County

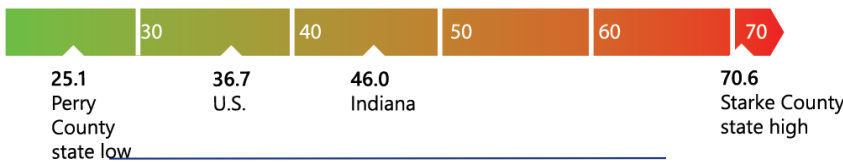
There is no tobacco control grant in Cass County for 2023-2025.

## Tobacco and Health in Cass County

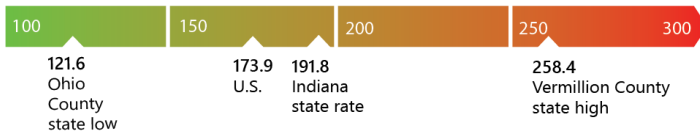
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **20.2%**



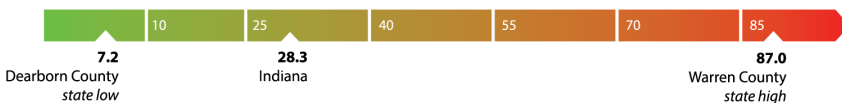
 **Lung cancer deaths** **46.5**  
per 100,000 residents



 **Heart disease deaths** **162.6**  
per 100,000 residents



 **Asthma related emergency room visits** **44.0**  
per 10,000 residents



**Total Population**  
**37,870**

White: 30,122  
Black: 604  
Hispanic: 6,675  
Asian: 577  
Other\*: 3,393

### **Smoking and Pregnancy**

**Births affected by smoking** **49**  
*low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function*

**Percent of pregnant women who smoke:**  
Indiana: **6.6%**  
Cass County: **9.8%**

### **Smoking deaths**

**Deaths attributable to smoking** **62**  
**Deaths due to secondhand smoke** **10**

 **Smoking related illness** **1,858**



**\$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.