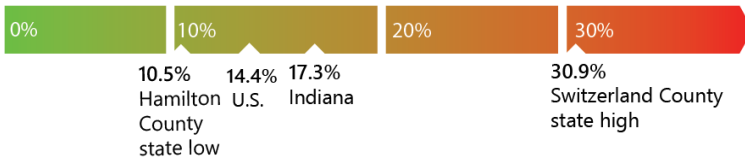


# The state of tobacco control Decatur County

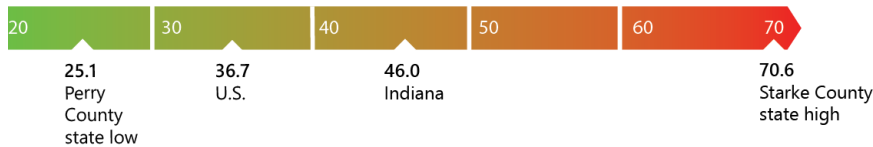
There is no tobacco control grant in Decatur County for 2023-2025.

## Tobacco and Health in

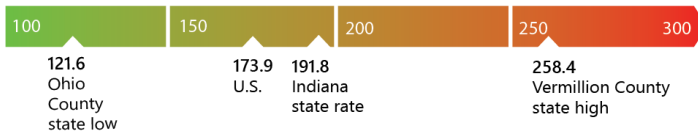
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **17.6%**



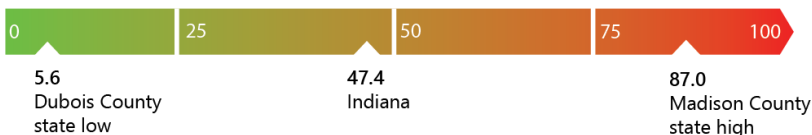
 **Lung cancer deaths** **44.2**  
per 100,000 residents



 **Heart disease deaths** **208.4**  
per 100,000 residents



 **Asthma related emergency room visits** **49.2**  
per 10,000 residents



**Total Population**  
**26,472**

White: 24961  
Black: 91  
Hispanic: 614  
Asian: 160  
Other\*: 246

 **Smoking and Pregnancy**

**Births affected by smoking** **55**  
*low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function*

**Percent of pregnant women who smoke:**

Indiana: **9.8%**

Decatur County: **18.3%**

 **Smoking deaths**

**Deaths attributable to smoking**

**43**

**Deaths due to secondhand smoke**

**7**

**Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$8.6 Million**

 **Smoking related illness**  
**1,299**



**\$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.