

Indiana's Smoke Free Air Laws

To date, 40 municipalities in Indiana have passed some local smoke free air law. Indiana's statewide smoke free air law, House Enrolled Act 1149, took effect July 1, 2012.

Nineteen communities plus the Indianapolis International Airport have passed a smoke free air law that includes workplaces, restaurants, and bars.

Indiana Communities with a Smoke Free Law that Includes Workplaces, Restaurants, and Bars			
Counties/Cities	Workplaces	Restaurants	Bars
Delaware County	x	x	x
Hancock County	x	x	x
Monroe County	x	x	x
Vanderburgh County	x	x	x
Vigo County	x	x	x
Bloomington	x	x	x
Columbus	x	x	x
Cumberland	x	x	x
Elkhart	x	x	x
Evansville	x	x	x
Fort Wayne	x	x	x
Franklin	x	x	x
Greencastle	x	x	x
Indianapolis	x	x	x
Lawrence	x	x	x
Plainfield	x	x	x
Terre Haute	x	x	x
West Lafayette	x	x	x
Zionsville	x	x	x
Indpls Airport Auth.	x	x	x

Sixteen communities plus the State of Indiana have passed a smoke free air law that includes workplaces and restaurants

Indiana Communities with a Smoke Free Law that includes Workplaces and Restaurants			
Counties/Cities	Workplaces	Restaurants	Bars
Allen County	x	x	
Avon	x	x	
Carmel	x	x	
Crown Point	x	x	
Greenfield	x	x	
Greensburg	x	x	
Greenwood	x	x	
Henry County	x	x	
Jeffersonville	x	x	
Kokomo	x	x	
Lafayette	x	x	
Madison	x	x	
Seymour	x	x	
Speedway	x	x	
Westfield	x	x	
Whitestown	x	x	
State of Indiana	x	x	

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Five Indiana communities have passed smoke free air laws that mostly include workplaces and have exemptions that do not follow the recommended guidelines outlined by the Surgeon General for protecting citizens from exposure to secondhand smoke. **These laws were passed prior to the statewide smoke free air law. Smoking is no longer permitted in restaurants and most workplaces in these communities.**

Indiana Communities with Laws that Only Include Workplaces and/or Allow for Restaurant Exemptions			
Counties/Cities	Workplaces	Restaurants	Bars
St. Joseph County	x	Allows Separate Smoking Rooms	
Goshen	x	Allows Separate Smoking Rooms	
Lowell	Allows Separate Smoking Rooms	Allows Separate Smoking Rooms	
Shelbyville	x	Allows Separate Smoking Rooms	
Valparaiso	x	Does not adequately cover restaurants	