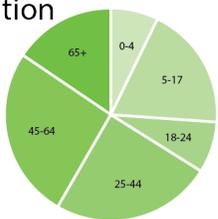


Jay County

Lead Agency

Jay County Drug Prevention Coalition Inc.
Coordinator: Sydney Haines

Total Population
21,253



Population by age group

Population by race

Hispanic	577
White	20,619
African American	60

Population by race

260-251-3259 ext. 1004

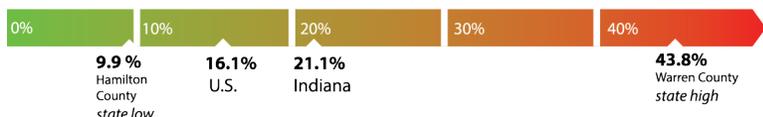
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TOBACCO AND HEALTH IN JAY COUNTY

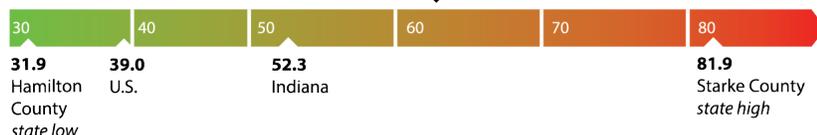
Percent of adults who smoke

28.8% = 4,502 smokers



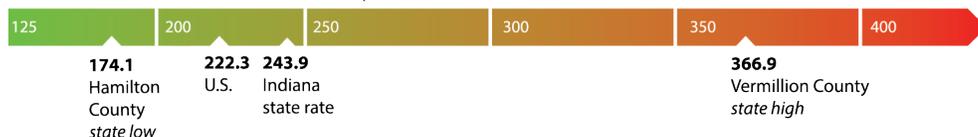
Lung cancer deaths per 100,000 residents

63.3



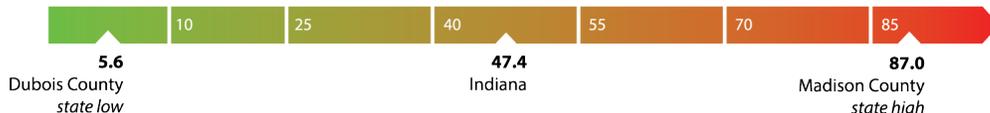
Cardiovascular disease deaths per 100,000 residents

260.8



Asthma related emergency room visits per 10,000 residents

54.2



Smoking and pregnancy

Births affected by smoking **46**

low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

Cost of smoking related births **\$62,468**

Percent of pregnant women who smoke

Indiana 11.5%
Jay County..... 13.4%

Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking
36

Deaths due to secondhand smoke
4

Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$7.1 million

Smoking related illness

1,066

TOBACCO CONTROL FUNDING

\$65,000

Funding in Jay County for July 2019- June 2021.

\$6.1 billion

Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking.

\$903 per Indiana household

State and federal tax burden from smoking-caused government expenditures.

TOBACCO FREE POLICIES

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities:

- Jay County Hospital

School Districts:

- Jay School Corporation

COMMUNITY INDICATORS

Protect and maintain local tobacco control coalition infrastructure needed to combat tobacco use, as well as working with community organizations to reduce tobacco use among those groups most impacted by tobacco

Protect Hoosiers from exposures to secondhand smoke by:

- Implementing tobacco-free campus policies for school districts
- Working toward smoke-free policies in multi-unit housing

Decrease adult smoking rates by:

- Promoting the Indiana Tobacco Quitline (1-800-QUIT NOW) throughout the community

Decrease youth smoking rates by:

- Supporting community efforts for counter tobacco point-of-sale strategies at the local level