

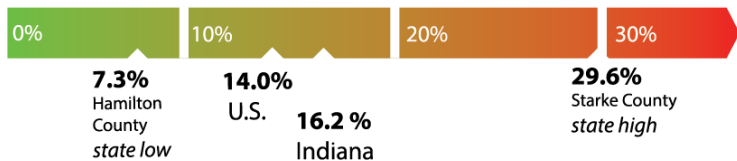
The state of tobacco control in Lawrence County

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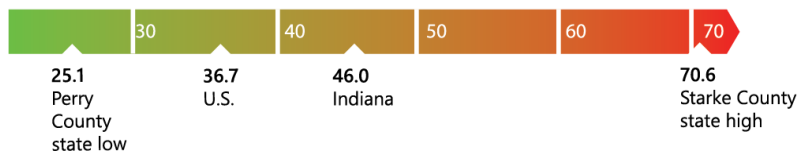
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Tobacco and Health in Lawrence County

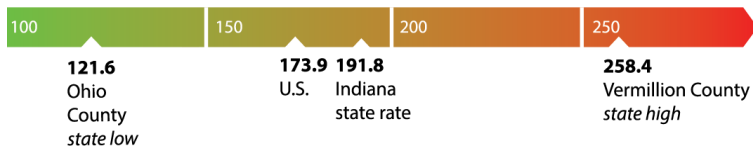
 **Percent of adults who smoke** **25.4%**



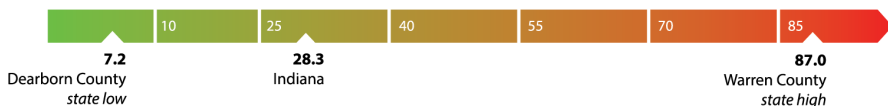
 **Lung cancer deaths** **50.2**
per 100,000 residents



 **Heart disease deaths** **193.2**
per 100,000 residents



 **Asthma related emergency room visits** **35.8**
per 10,000 residents



Total Population
45,011

White: 42,528
Black: 204
Hispanic: 765
Asian: 208
Other*: 252

 **Smoking and Pregnancy**

Births affected by smoking **65**
low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

Percent of pregnant women who smoke:

Indiana: **6.6%**

Lawrence County: **14.2%**

 **Smoking deaths**

Deaths attributable to smoking

74

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

12

 **Smoking related illness**
2,209

Tobacco Control Funding

\$110,000

Funding in Lawrence County
for July 2023-June 2025



\$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.

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